

FIRST ITALIAN-INDIAN BILATERAL DIALOGUE

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Milan, Palazzo Clerici (Via Clerici, 5)

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Preliminary Programme

2.30 - 4.00 p.m.

SESSION I: INDIA FOCUS

“India’s economic reforms: challenges, prospects and opportunities”

Mobashar Jawed AKBAR, Editorial Director, India Today

Meghnad DESAI, Founder, Centre for the Study of Global Governance, London School of Economics

Prem Shankar JHA, Editor, The Financial World and former advisor to Prime Minister

Giovanni VERONESE, Senior economist, Research Department - Bank of Italy

*Chair: Barbara STEFANELLI**, Vice Director, Corriere della Sera

4.00 - 4.30 p.m.

Break

4.30 - 7.00 p.m.

SESSION II: KEY ISSUES IN ITALIAN-INDIAN DIALOGUE

“Foreign policy and cooperation in the multilateral system”

Massimo D’ALEMA, President, Italianieuropei Foundation

Vasantha R. RAGHAVAN, Director, Delhi Policy Group

Roberto TOSCANO, Italian Ambassador to India (2008-2010)

Shri Debabrata SAHA, Indian Ambassador to Italy

Chair: Boris BIANCHERI, President, ISPI

“Business Opportunities”

Federica GUIDI, Chief Executive, Ducati Energia; President of Confindustria Young Entrepreneurs

Francesco GIANNI, senior founding partner, Gianni, Origoni, Grippo & Partners

Ansgar SICKERT, EBG Council member & Membership Chairman and Managing Director, Fraport India

Representative from Mahindra Europe S.r.l.

Chair: **Romeo ORLANDI**, Vice President, Osservatorio Asia

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