# CALENDRIER du 25 mars au 31 mars 2019

(Susceptible de modifications en cours de semaine)

Déplacements et visites

#### Lundi 25 mars 2019

Mr Frans **Timmermans** in The Hague, the Netherlands: meets Mr Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of the Netherlands.

Ms Cecilia Malmström in Stockholm, Sweden: delivers a speech at the Conference on the EU-Canada Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) taking place at the Embassy of Canada; and participates in a seminar on the centenary of the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) in Stockholm.

Mr Karmenu **Vella** in Monaco: delivers a speechat the 10th Edition of the Monaco Blue Initiative.

Mr Christos **Stylianides** in Lahnstein, Germany: participates in a dialogue on Europe at a high school together with Mr Roger Lewentz, Minister for the Interior and Sport of the German State of Rhineland-Palatinate.

Mr Christos **Stylianides** in Koblenz, Germany: visits the local fire brigade training centre together with Mr Roger Lewentz, Minister for the Interior and Sport of the German State of Rhineland-Palatinate.

Ms Corina **Crețu** in Cluj-Napoca, Romania: delivers a keynote speech at the Opening session of the <u>COTER commission Conference</u> on "Supporting and developing an efficient cohesion policy which starts with the EU's local and regional authorities".

Mr Carlos **Moedas** receives Mr Gonçalo Bernardes, University Lecturer at the Department of Chemistry, University of Cambridge.

Ms Mariya **Gabriel** in Blagoevgrad, Bulgaria: meets with Mr Atanas Kambitov, Mayor of Blagoevgrad Municipality for the symbolic award of the WiFi4EU voucher; meets with Professor Borislav Yurukov, Rector of South-West University "Neofit Rilski", and Mr Preslav Dimitrov, Dean of the Faculty of Economics; and participates in <a href="Citizens">Citizens</a>' Dialogue with students of the South-West University "Neofit Rilski" on the topic "Digital education: the engine for a strong digital economy".

## Mardi 26 mars 2019

Informal meeting of transport ministers General Affairs Council

#### College Meeting

President Jean-Claude **Juncker** participates in a meeting on Global Governance with Mr Emmanuel Macron, President of France; Mr Xi Jinping, President of the People's Republic of China; Ms Angela Merkel, Chancellor of Germany; and Mr António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations, in Paris, France.

President Jean-Claude **Juncker** delivers a joint press statement with Mr Emmanuel Macron, President of France; Mr Xi Jinping, President of the People's Republic of China; Ms Angela Merkel, Chancellor of Germany; and Mr António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations, in Paris, France.

Mr Vytenis **Andriukaitis** in Bucharest, Romania:meets Mr Klaus Iohannis, President of Romania;participates in the Global Forum on Human Rights and a Tobacco-free World; meets Ms Sorina Pintea, Minister for Health of Romania;meetsMr Petre Daea, Minister for Agriculture and Rural Development of Romania; and meets HRH Princess Dina Mired of Jordan.

Ms Violeta **Bulc** in Romania (until 28/03): visits the EU-funded project "FAIRway Danube"; and delivers a keynote speech at the Trans-European Transport Network (TEN-T) and Connecting Europe Facility (CEF) conference.

Mr Tibor **Navracsics** in Vatican City, Italy: visits the Vatican Museum, followed by a meeting with Barbara Jatta, Museum Director. (tbc); meets with H.E. Cardinal Giuseppe Versaldi Prefect of the Congregation for Catholic Education; and participates in and speaks at the Academic Event to promote the ERASMUS+ programme and the future participation of the Holy See.

Mr Tibor **Navracsics** in Rome, Italy: meets Mr Marco Busetti, Minister for Education, University and Research of Italy.

## Mercredi 27 mars 2019

Informal meeting of transport ministers General Affairs Council

President Jean-Claude **Juncker** addresses the plenary of the European Parliament on the conclusions of the March European Council

Mr Vytenis **Andriukaitis** in Bucharest, Romania: participates in the Opening Plenary session of the 4th ENSOP-SRP Conference on Tobacco Control.

Mr Tibor **Navracsics** in Rome, Italy: meets with Mr Rocco Crimi, Italian undersecretary for sport. (tbc)

Mr Tibor **Navracsics** in Rome, Italy: meet with Mr Lorenzo Fontana, Italian Minister for Family and the Disabled.

Ms Corina **Crețu** in Berlin, Germany (until 29/03): meets the Romanian community of Germany.

Ms Margrethe Vestager in Harvard, Boston, United States: gives an on-stage

interview at the Kennedy Gordon lecture.

Mr Carlos **Moedas** receives Professor Gérard Mourou, member of the Haut-collège of the École polytechnique and Nobel Prize winner in Physics 2018.

Ms Mariya **Gabriel** in the Vatican City, Italy: participates in the General Audience with His Holiness Pope Francis; meets with H. EM. Cardinal Pietro Parolin, Secretary of State; participates in a workshop on technology, society and governance organised by the Pontifical Council for Culture; and delivers the Lectio Magistralis on disinformation at the inauguration of the 2018/2019 academic year at the LUISS School of journalism.

#### Jeudi 28 mars 2019

President Jean-Claude **Juncker** receives Mr Peter Maurer, President of the International Committee of the Red Cross.

Ms Federica **Mogherini** in Quito, Ecuador: co-chairs the second meeting of the International Contact Group on Venezuela.

Mr Andrus **Ansip** in Tallinn, Estonia: visits Fuel cell technology company Elcogen, and participates at the Estonian opinion leaders lunch 2019 organised by Postimees.

Mr Jyrki Katainen receives a group of Finnish security organisations.

Mr Johannes Hahn on official visit to Sarajevo, Bosnia & Herzegovina.

Ms Cecilia **Malmström** receives Mr Alexander Stubb, Vice-President of the European Investment Bank.

Ms Cecilia **Malmström** receives Mr Poul Michelsen, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of the Faroe Islands.

Mr Miguel Arias Cañete in Madrid, Spain: receives representatives of Deoleo.

Mr Karmenu **Vella** in Malta (until 29/03): delivers a speech at an Annual External Meeting and Conference organised by the European Committee of the Regions (CoR): "Blue Economy in European Regions."

Mr Vytenis **Andriukaitis** receives Mr Kristján Thór Júlíusson, Minister for Fisheries and Agriculture of Iceland.

Mr Vytenis **Andriukaitis** receives Mr René Collin, Minister of Agriculture, Nature, Forests and Tourism of Wallonia.

- M. Pierre **Moscovici** rencontre M. Philippe Le Houérou, Vice-président et Directeur général de la Société Financière Internationale <u>(IFC)</u>, à Bruxelles.
- M. Pierre **Moscovici** déjeune avec la commission des Affaires économiques de l'Assemblée nationale française, à Bruxelles

Mr Christos **Stylianides** receives Mr Peter Maurer, President of the International Committee of the Red Cross.

Mr Tibor **Navracsics** in Bucharest, Romania: participates in and speaks at the European Union Youth Conference during the high-level panel debate "Road to Sibiu — The role of youth in the future of the European Union"; and meets with Ms Carina Autengruber, President of the European Youth Forum. (TBC)

Ms Corina **Crețu** in Berlin, Germany: meets Mr Peter Altmaier, Federal Minister for Economic Affairs and Energy.

Ms Mariya **Gabriel** in Sofia, Bulgaria: delivers a keynote speech at the <u>International Colloquium on "University governance in the digital era"</u> at the Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski.

#### Vendredi 29 mars 2019

Mr Andrus **Ansip** in Tallinn, Estonia: speaks at the 30th anniversary conference of the Estonian Bar Association.

Mr Johannes Hahn on official visit to Belgrade, Serbia.

Mr Karmenu **Vella**, in Msida Malta: delivers, together with Ms Violeta **Bulc**, a speech at the International Maritime Law Institute (IMLI) followed by a discussion with students; and visits the transport authority of Malta.

Ms Marianne **Thyssen** receives Mr Freek Spinnewijn, Director of FEANTSA to discuss homeless people's situation.

Ms Marianne **Thyssen** receives His Excellency Monsignor Lebeaupin, Apostolic Nuncio to the EU.

M. Pierre Moscovici à Paris : participe au Symposium Européen de HEC Paris.

Ms Violeta **Bulc** in Malta:attends the opening of the Marsa Junction Project; and visits the Malta Air Traffic Services (MATS).

Ms Věra **Jourová** in Prague and Ostrava, Czechia: meets Mr Tomáš Radil, Neurologist and Holocaust Survivor; meets Mr Václav Snášel, Rector of the Technical University of Ostrava; and delivers a speech at the Czech Data Protection Officer Awards 2018.

Mr Tibor **Navracsics** in Budapest, Hungary: participates in and gives a lecture at a Conference on the EU organised by the Piarist Gymnasium of Budapest; meets with Mr Péter Antall, Head of Antall József Knowledge Centre; and participates in and speaks at the Europe for Youth Seminar.

Ms Corina **Crețu** in Postdam, Germany: meets Mr Dietmar Woidke, Minister-President of the Land of Brandenburg; and visits with Mr Dietmar Woidke the Potsdam-Golm Science Park, an EU-funded project.

Ms Margrethe **Vestager** in Washington D.C., United States: participates in the American Bar Association Enforcers' Roundtable at the Antitrust Law 2019

Spring Meeting.

Mr Carlos Moedas in Porto, Portugal: visits the Ilídio Pinho Foundation.

Mr Carlos **Moedas** in Sao Mamede do Coronado, Portugal:visits Bial, pharmaceutical company.

Ms Mariya **Gabriel** in Sofia, Bulgaria: delivers the opening speech at the <u>conference</u> on digitalisation and copyright in the field of photography; and delivers the opening speech at the <u>conference</u> Educate to Create 2019: Impact of AI on Higher Education.

#### Prévisions du mois d'avril 2019 :

02/04 Informal meeting of energy ministers

03/04 Informal meeting of competitiveness ministers (Research)

05/04 Eurogroup

05-06/04 Informal meeting of economic and financial affairs ministers

08/04 Foreign Affairs Council

09/04 EU-China summit; General Affairs Council

10/04 Informal meeting of employment and social policy ministers

11/04 Informal meeting of employment and social policy ministers

14-15/04 Informal meeting of health ministers

15/04 Informal meeting of health ministers; Agriculture and Fisheries Council; Informal meeting of culture ministers

15-16/04 Agriculture and Fisheries Council; Informal meeting of culture ministers

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