



The Hellenic Society Prometheas

Invites you to a panel discussion on
*The Greek Economy after One Year of
Reform: Progress and Challenges*

Presenter: **Poul M. Thomsen**, Deputy Director, European Dept., IMF;
and IMF Mission Chief for Greece

Discussants: **Irene Ninetta Kyriakopoulos**, Distinguished Professor,
National Defense University

Thanos Catsambas, former Assistant Director, Fiscal Affairs Dept., IMF

Moderator: **Evangelos A. Calamitsis**, former Director, African Dept., IMF

The discussion will cover major economic developments, as well as key policy issues, such as:

- The recent progress made toward the objectives of Greece's economic adjustment and reform program, with a view to improving public finances, restoring competitiveness, and safeguarding the banking system, while protecting the most vulnerable groups of society.
- The implementation problems encountered and the policy challenges ahead, including actions needed to combat tax evasion, make more efficient use of state assets, enhance structural reforms, and revive the economy and employment.
- The latest decisions of the European Council, reactions in financial markets, and their implications for the Greek economy and the public debt.

There will be a questions-and-answers session, and a reception will follow.

Friday, June 3, 2011 at 8:00 p.m.
St. George Greek Orthodox Church, Founders Hall
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