



13th FCM Annual Conference

“WHICH PROFESSIONAL REGULATION FITS BEST FOR A SUSTAINABLE GROWTH?”



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9:00am – 16:30pm

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8.30 -9.00 Registration

9:00 – 9:10 Introductory speech

- Mr. Samir Agoumi - FCM President

9:10 – 9:30 Welcome Addresses

- Mr. Abdellatif EL QUORTOBI President of the Moroccan Union of Chambers of Certified Public Accountants - OEC

9:30 - 10:00 Keynote Address

- Mr Abdelali Benamour - President of Moroccan Competition Council “*The major features of the regulatory policies in competitive oligopolistic or monopolistic market*”.
- Ms. Olivia Kirtley- IFAC President
- Mr. Patrick de Cambourg - President and Chief Executive Officer, Mazars Group

10:15 – 11:20 Panel I (first part)- Round Table Discussion – “Regulation Models and the Role of the Accountancy Profession -Diversity of models and experiences of professional regulation Worldwide and in the Mediterranean region – Does effective professional regulation need to be built on economic and business models rather on technical or political considerations ?

Discussion leader: Jelil Bouraoui - Ordre des Experts Comptables de Tunisie (OECT)

- Mr Ferenc Eperjesi - Vice president of the Chamber of Hungarian Auditors
“New challenges and adaptation efforts in the audit market”
- Ms Maria Casado –FCM Acting Secretary General -*Preliminary results of the survey conducted by the FCM on capacity Building*
- Mrs. Gabriella Kusz – Senior Financial Management Specialist -Middle East and North Africa Region - Governance Global Practice at World Bank
“Building a Foundation for Poverty Reduction and Shared Prosperity: World Bank CFR Projects in MENA and Potential for Cooperation with FCM.”



- Mr. Andrew Leck - ACCA Portfolio Head – Western Europe
“International Education Standards for Professional Accountants”
- Q&A

11:20– 11:50 Coffee Break

11:50 – 13:30 - Panel I (second part) - The role of professional accountants in safeguarding the Public Interest: the Public Interest nature of professional services provided by accountants. The role of PAOs - The role of PAOs and other Stakeholders //The principles of a successful balanced regulation.

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- Yoseph Asmelash – UNCTAD Economic Affairs Officer Branch Enterprise Division of Investment and Enterprise – Video Conference
ISAR & the Accountancy Development Tool (ADT)
- Ms. Alta Prinsloo - IFAC Executive Director, Strategy and Chief Operating Officer
IFAC’s support of SMPs & IFAC’s capacity building activities
- Mr. Mamour Fall –FIDEF President
Regulations models in the FIDEF countries & Benchmarking
- FCM Members
 - Morocco – Mr. Talbi Abdelaziz– Chartered Accountant - Ex. Director of DEPP (Moroccan Ministry of Finances) – Ex President of standing committee of CNC.
- Q &A

13:20- 14:30 Lunch

14:30 – 16:15 Panel II - Looking at specific Regulation Models - Self-regulation -Integrated Regulation- Other types of Regulations : Assessment of their effectiveness and of their strength and weaknesses in helping economic objectives achievement in MED Countries.

Each panelist should explain the kind of regulation model applied in his/her country: is the profession regulated by law? Which supervisory entity, if any, operate and in what way; the role of the Oversight body; regional harmonization processes should be addressed (such as the EU harmonization process); is self-regulation still applying and if so in what way?

Discussion Leader: Philippe Arraou, FCM Council Member

- FCM Members:
 - Mr.Philippe Arraou - Conseil Supérieur de l'Ordre des Experts Comptables (CSOEC) France
 - Mr. Jelil Bouraoui - Institute of Chartered Accountants of Tunisia (OECT)
 - Massum Turker TURMOB Union of Chambers of Certified Public Accountants of Turkey – Ex-Minister of Finances in Turkey
 - Dr. Jose Maria Casado - Consejo General de Colegios de Economistas (CGCEE) Spain



- Mr. Bernossi Abdellatif - Chartered Accountant – OEC Morocco
 - Hysen Cela – IEKA President Albania
 - Mr. Antonio Domingues de Azevedo - OTOC President Portugal
- Ms. Olivia Kirtley – IFAC President on behalf of the US profession
 - *Q&A*

15:45-16:05 Speech on Professional Tax Services and professional regulation

- Ms. Mahap Chraibi –Présidente de l'IFA – International Fiscal Association

Q&A

16:10- 16:20 – Summary

- Mr Amine Baakili- Chartered Accountant – National Council Member -OEC Morocco

Conclusions

- Mr. Samir Agoumi, FCM President