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The Right to Decide

Self-determination in the EU

Simultaneous interpretation in ENG- NL- CAT –EUS- CYM -IT-ES

12:00

Informal lunch

13:30

Welcome by **MEP DEMESMAEKER** + introduction
Constitutional power

- Legitimacy, Democracy and Human Rights
Nikos Skoutaris
- The power of the capitals: centralism in Italy
Antonio Guadagnini
- The Right to Self-Determination and EU facing Internal Enlargement
Juanjo Álvarez

14:15

Charting Wales's Future:
introduction **MEP EVANS**
Steffan Lewis

14:45

The Irish Question
introduction **MEP ANDERSON**
Dr Conor Patterson

15:15

Catalunya today
introduction by **MEP TREMOSA – MEP TERRICABRAS**

Liz Castro

15:45

The Basque country

introduction by **MEP JUARISTI**

Angel Oiarbide

16.15

Movements for self-determination – **ICEC-**

16:45

Conclusions by **MEP BILBAO**

17:00

Drink

17:30

End of conference

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