

GATEKEEPERS OF DEMOCRACY

Think Tanks, NGOs, and Civil Society: From Thought to Action

Monday, May 13, 6 PM

Public Syntagma, Athens

PROGRAM

Welcome

Dimitris Keridis, ACT Governance Committee

David Wisner, Dukakis Center

Anna Damaskou, Transparency International Greece

Panel 1: Thought

■ **Nikos Vettas**, General Director, Foundation for Economic and Industrial Research (IOBE)

■ **Thodoris Georgakopoulos**, Editorial Director, DiaNEOsis

■ **George Siakas**, Research Director, Public Opinion Research Unit (PORU), University of Macedonia Research Institute

■ **Anna Damaskou**, Chair of the Board, Transparency International Greece

Moderator: David Wisner, Executive Director, Dukakis Center

Panel 2: Action

■ **Amalia Zepou**, Vice Mayor for Civil Society and Innovation, Municipality of Athens

■ **Stefanos Loukopoulos**, Founder and Managing Director, Vouliwatch

■ **Epaminondas Farmakis**, Founder, HumanRights360

■ **Olga Daskali**, Co-Founder, Gia tin Koinotita Missolonghis

Moderator: Anna Damaskou, Chair of the Board, Transparency International Greece

Break

Keynote Speaker

James McGann, Senior Lecturer - International Studies Lauder Institute for Management and International Studies, Director - Think Tanks and Civil Societies Program, Wharton School and School of Arts and Sciences, Senior Fellow - Fels Institute of Government University of Pennsylvania