



*Ambasciata d'Italia
Il Cairo*

Second Italian Egyptian Media Forum

The meeting will take place at the Italian Embassy in Cairo.

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9.00 Registration

9.30-10.30 **First session** - Egypt's political transition: Elections and Political Road map.

10.30-10.45 coffee break

10.45-12.00 **Second session** - Economic challenges and Egypt in the International Political Economy.

Conclusions

The political and economic aspects of Egypt transition will be the focus of the second meeting of the Italian- Egyptian Media Forum, organized by the Italian Embassy in Cairo. A group of Italian and Egyptian journalists, analysts, economists and representatives of political forces will debate these themes in a three-hours free debate, articulated in two sessions:

1. The first session will be devoted to the complexities of the political transition in Egypt. The political and institutional aspects of the Road map; the upcoming presidential elections; the role of the media and civil society; the possible scenarios for the Egyptian transition.

2. The impact of the Egyptian transition on the economy. The state of the Egyptian economy; The role of business; Egypt in the International Political Economy, The Role of the IMF. Italy and Egypt: what are the expectations for the development of their economic relationship?