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invites you to participate in an international conference on

“The EU after Copenhagen: Only leadership lost ?”

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The original purpose of the conference in Copenhagen (COP 15) had been to complete negotiations on a new international agreement on climate change to come into force when the Kyoto Protocol's first commitment period came to an end in 2012. In the aftermath of Copenhagen, the assessment of its final outcome remains ambiguous: both from the point of view of the achievements of its original aims and the role played by the EU in the negotiations.

The College of Europe organizes a conference on the results of Copenhagen negotiations. Academics and practitioners dealing with the issues of international climate change as well as institutional reform of the European Union are invited to the panels in order to summarize the results of negotiations: its political background and challenges of financial negotiations. The conference will take place in Natolin (Warsaw) on **February 11th 2010** with the participation of inter alia **Mr Piotr Serafin** (Under-Secretary of State in the Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs), **Mr Joakim Sonnegård**, (Director, Head of the Climate Policy secretariat Prime Minister's Office, Sweden), **Mr Christian Egenhofer** (Centre for European Policy Studies/Professor at the College of Europe), and **Mr Juergen Lefevere**, (Policy Co - ordinator, Climate Change Strategy and International negotiation, DG Environment, European Commission). Participants can acquire in-depth knowledge and discuss these issues with academics and practitioners from the field.

The seminar is open to students (final year of studies) of European Affairs, Political Sciences, International Relations, Law and Administration, Diplomacy, Journalism and other related fields, students of the College of Europe, as well as to students/researchers currently attending a postgraduate programme in the above fields. The Programme will be conducted in **English without translation**.

Participation (including materials and lunch) is free of charge, but registration is requested. (This seminar is not part of the academic programme of the College.)

Students interested in attending this course should send the enclosed registration form by the **5th February** to the College of Europe, Natolin Campus (by e-mail TheEUafterCopenhagen@coleurope.eu , or by fax: + 48 22 64 91 352).

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