

Tampere Resolutions of the Presidency of the Jury The Euro-Med Award for Dialogue

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The Presidency of the Jury of the Euro-Med Award for Dialogue met on November 25, 2006, in Tampere, it and adopted the following resolutions:

Themes of 2007 and 2008

In order to plan a long term campaign on the Euro-Med Award, and to prepare information material for both the next two years, the Presidency of the Jury decided to identify the themes of the next two years, taking into account that 2007 is the European Year on equality between men and women, and that 2008 is the European Year on inter-cultural dialogue.

The themes chosen are:

2007: Women and Men Hand in Hand for Gender Equality

2008: Dialogue between Cultures through Arts

Composition of the Presidency of the Jury

According to the Award Regulations, the Presidency of the Jury consists of *Fondazione Mediterraneo*, the ALF Executive Director, the HoN of two European countries (Malta and Cyprus until 2008 included), and the HoN of three Mediterranean partner countries, chosen according to a rotational system on a yearly basis.

The Presidency of the Jury chose therefore for the edition 2007 the following three countries:

Morocco, Jordan, Lebanon

If one of the three should decline the invitation to join the Presidency of the Jury, then Syria should be invited to replace it.

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