## CONFERENCE: INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE IN MANAGING TRANSITIONS FROM LOWER TO UPPER SECONDARY SCHOOLS



Ministry of National Education and the World Bank Turkey Country Office request the honour of your presence at the "International Experience in Managing Transitions from Lower to Upper Secondary Schools" Conference.

Sincerely,

Martin Raiser World Bank Turkey Country Director Nabi Avcı Minister of National Education

Saturday, July 6, 2013 (09:30-17:30) The Grand Tarabya Hotel Ball Room Haydar Aliyev Caddesi No: 154 Tarabya/İstanbul

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# PROGRAM

#### 09:00-09:30 **REGISTRATION**

#### 09:30-10:00 OPENING SPEECHES Ziya Yediyildiz, Ministry of National Education Martin Raiser, World Bank Turkey Country Director Salih Celik, Ministry of National Education Nabi Avcı, Minister of National Education

10:00-10:40 Keynote Speaker Naveed Hassan Naqvi, World Bank Emin Karip, Ministry of National Education

#### 10:40-10:50 **COFFEE BREAK**

### 10:50-12:30 **FIRST SESSION** – TRANSITION FROM LOWER SECONDARY TO UPPER SECONDARY SCHOOL – TURKEY'S EXPERIENCES

Moderator: Emin Karip, Ministry of National Education

#### Speakers:

Bekir S. Gür, Foundation for Policies, Economy and Social Research Ziya Selçuk, TEDMEM Alper Dincer, Education Reform Initiative Eyüp Kilci, Turkish Union of Chambers and Commodity Exchanges

12:30-13:30 LUNCH

#### 13:30-15:00 SECOND SESSION - TRANSITION FROM LOWER SECONDARY TO UPPER SECONDARY SCHOOL – COUNTRY EXAMPLES

Moderator: Ercan Turk, Ministry of National Education

#### Speakers:

John Hammond, Deputy CEO, National Council for Curriculum and Assessment, Ireland Maciej Jakubowski, Undersecretary, Ministry of National Education, Poland Juliana Zapata, OECD Tayfun Sonmez, Boston College

15:00-15:10 **COFFEE BREAK** 

#### 15:10-16:20 **THIRD SESSION -** TRANSITION FROM LOWER SECONDARY TO UPPER SECONDARY SCHOOL – INSTITUTIONAL VIEWS

Moderator: İhsan Sezal, TOBB Economy and Technology University

#### Speakers:

Murat Özoğlu, The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey Sedat Gumus, Higher Education Council Betül Ersin, Ministry of Development

#### 16:20-17:25 FOURTH SESSION - TRANSITION FROM LOWER SECONDARY TO UPPER SECONDARY SCHOOL – PANEL DISCUSSION ON OPTIONS FOR TURKEY

Moderator: Salih Celik, Ministry of National Education

#### Speakers:

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17:20-17:30 **CLOSING** 



