

# THE GREECE OFFICE OF THE KONRAD- ADENAUER-STIFTUNG

## ABOUT KAS...

**P**olitical foundations are unique throughout the world. No other institutions provide the same expertise in the field of political education and consultancy. The Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung (KAS) is committed to fostering democracy and the rule of law, to implementing social and market-economic structures and to promoting human rights. With its worldwide networks to the political and social decisionmakers and with its long-term partner structures, it participates in shaping policy in developing and emerging countries and in keeping up a close political dialogue in the European partner countries. By training and educating young professionals, KAS promotes the developing process in social groups and political parties. The Foundation fosters decentralisation processes based on the values of freedom, solidarity and justice by facilitating projects for public institutions in order to enhance their technical and administrative performance.

**K**AS' charter stipulates the task to elaborate the groundwork for political decision-making by means of research and consultancy. This is more than just giving advice on actual political questions. It means to research on the implications of modern democracies in nowadays time of media which includes preparing reforms by political education and to evolve to a foresighted policy which helps to manage crisis situations. Currently KAS hosts more than 200 projects in around 120 countries with 81 field offices. We cooperate with governmental institutions, political parties, civil society organizations and multipliers, building strong partnerships along the way.



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## ...AND WHAT WE DO IN GREECE

**I**n mid-May 2012, the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung took the initiative to re-open an office in Athens, Greece. At the time of great economic and internal difficulties for Greece and its people, the main goal of KAS is the promotion of political and social dialogue between Greece and Germany as well as other EU partners and the deepening of the European integration process. The network of KAS offices across Europe can make an important contribution to support the stability-oriented, structural reforms in Greece. In our projects, conferences, workshops, studies and dialogues we deal with crucial economic and socio-political issues related to Greece and Europe.

### Selected Projects

- Greek-German Young Journalists' Workshop
- Conference on a Partnership Dialogue of the Local Authorities in Europe
- On the Situation of the Greek Youth – An Empirical Survey
- Workshop "The Content of Growth"

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