

CPAPD Vice President Mr. Ma Biao Visits Morocco and Greece

At the respective invitation of the Amadeus Institute and the World Peace Council (WPC), Mr. Ma Biao, Vice Chairman of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference (CPPCC) and Vice President of the Chinese People's Association for Peace and Disarmament (CPAPD) led a CPAPD delegation on a good-will visit to Morocco and Greece during November 10 to 19, 2015.

During the stay in Morocco, Mr. Ma Biao respectively met with Moroccan Senate Vice President Mr. Mohamed El Ansari and Amadeus Institute President Mr. Brahim Fassi Fihri, and participated in the 8th Edition of the MEDays Forum held by the Amadeus Institute. Mr. Ma Biao delivered a keynote speech at the opening ceremony of the Forum.

In Greece, Mr. Ma Biao respectively met with the President of Hellenic Parliament, Mr. Nikolaos Voutsis, and General Secretary of the Communist Party of Greece, Mr. Dimitris Koutsoumras. Mr. Ma Biao also attended the working discussion with Mr. Thanassis Pafilis, WPC General Secretary.

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III. The CPAPD becomes an important platform to unite peaceful forces by actively promoting its brands

Together with China Association for Science and Technology and other organizations, the CPAPD has continuously convened the U.N. International Week of Science and Peace for 26 years ever since 1988. Former CPC and national leaders such as Jiang Zemin, Yang Shangkun, Li Peng and Qiao Shi had all sent their inscriptions for the previous events. People who had participated in these events amounted to more than 100 million, among whom were mainly scientists, students and entrepreneurs. In recent years, the CPAPD

actively echoed the call from the U.N. and successfully organized 6 annual national events of the Commemoration of the International Day of Peace since 2009. The CPAPD's efforts have won the attention from both home and abroad. China's national leaders such as Li Yuanchao, Wang Yang, Wang Gang and Han Qide have all participated in the Commemoration events, and UN's Secretary General, Mr. Ban Ki-moon has sent his congratulatory message on video each year for this event. These two brand annual events that the CPAPD is dedicated to building have already become an important platform of spreading peaceful concepts and uniting peace-loving people under the banner of peace.