

## **Bulgaria's Ex Deputy PM Djankov to Advise Greek Govt on Fight against Corruption**

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Former Bulgarian **Deputy Prime Minister** and **Finance Minister Simeon Djankov** is among the key lecturers at the Emergency Economic Summit for Greece scheduled to take place on May 19 in Athens.

The summit is organized by the US-based NGO the Atlas Network, the Cato Institute, and the Friedrich Naumann Foundation for Freedom.

The forum is to "present to the Greek public and policy makers a plan for an escape from the cycle of crises through lasting and sound structural reforms," according to a media statement of the organizers.

Djankov will be the main lecturer in the panel "Eradicating Cronyism and Corruption", according to Bulgarian daily Standard.

Djankov will advise the **Syriza** government on transparency in **public procurement** and will propose **anti-corruption** measures through budget instruments.

Thomas Sargent, Nobel laureate in economics, is among the top speakers at the event.

After the forum Djankov will attend one-on-one meetings with representatives of the Greek government.