2013 EU Day

Twelfth Annual European Union Day
The European Union Center is pleased to announce the **Twelfth Annual EU Day event on February 15th.** Highlights of the event include the annual “State of the European Union” address, delivered by His Excellency **Michael Collins, Ambassador of Ireland to the United States.** In addition, EU Day will feature a roundtable discussion with members of the Chicago Consular Corps.

Press release
Read **Illinois International Review's coverage** of the event. The EUC's promotional video for EU Day can be viewed [here](#): **Keynote Address Friday, February 15"State of the European Union" Address** ([video can be seen here](#)) **Michael Collins**, Irish Ambassador
Alice Campbell Alumni Center Ballroom, 601 S. Lincoln Ave., Urbana, IL 61801 ([map](#))
10:00 am – 11:30 am, reception to follow

Schedule of Related Events
**Tuesday, February 12**
**Focus Radio Program with host Craig Cohen**, WILL-AM 580 – **Listen to this interview**
**His Excellency Michael Collins, Ambassador of Ireland to the United States**
10:00 am – 11:00 am

**Friday, February 15**
“**Visions for a Future Europe**”
**Roundtable discussion with members of Chicago Consular Corps** ([video can be seen here](#))
Alice Campbell Alumni Center Ballroom, 601 S. Lincoln Ave., Urbana, IL 61801 ([map](#))
2:00 pm
**Panelists:**
- **German Consul General Christian Brecht**
- **Turkish Consul General Fatih Yildiz**
- **Greek Consul General Ioanna Efthymiadou**
- **Croatian Consul General Jelena Grcic Polic**

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