EU EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH PROGRAM
“The Importance of the European Union”

Monday, June 4th, 2012 | 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Hialeah Gardens High School –7191
11700 Hialeah Gardens Blvd.—Hialeah Gardens, FL 33018

Hon. Gaël de Maisonneuve
Consul General
Consulate General of France in Miami

Gaël de Maisonneuve is a graduate of the prestigious Paris’s Institute of Political Studies known as Sciences Po Paris, an elite French school focusing on the full range of social sciences. He is also a graduate of the ESSEC Business School (École Supérieure des Sciences Economiques et Commerciales), an academic institution of excellence that has been training leaders since 1907.

G. de Maisonneuve began his professional life abroad carrying out his national service in the Republic of Singapore, at the French Embassy, Cultural affairs bureau. After three years in Paris, working at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs’ Asian desk, he was appointed Second Secretary to the French Embassy in Tokyo. In 2002, he served as Deputy Ambassador of France in Sri Lanka.

In 2005, he returned to Paris where he first worked on budget and administrative reform in the general division for political and security affairs at the Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs; he later joined the private office of Mr. Bernard Kouchner, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs, as Advisor on Asia, reform and consular matters. Meanwhile, he carried out numerous duties in different associations in Paris.

Gaël de Maisonneuve was appointed to his current post as Consul General of France on August 14, 2009.

This program is part of the European Union Educational Outreach program organized by the Delegation of the European Union to the United States, the World Affairs Councils of America, and the MEUCE

Sponsored by:
- The Miami-Florida European Union Center of Excellence
- European Studies Program, FIU
- European Union Delegation to the USA
- World Affairs Councils of America
- The Consulate General of France in Miami
- Hialeah Gardens High School