



Wednesday 28th May

"Is the British Economy Better Off In or Out of the EU?"

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A debate between **Tim Congdon and Charles Grant**

VENUE: ROYAL OVERSEAS LEAGUE Park Place, St. James's Street, London, SW1A 1LR	
6.30 pm	Drinks and Networking
7.00 pm	Event start
7.40 pm	Q&A
8.00 pm	Finish <i>The bar will remain open after the event until 8.30pm.</i>

Every place includes a complimentary glass of wine or soft drink.

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ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

Tim Congdon is an economist and businessman, who has for over 30 years been one of the UK's most prominent advocates of sound money and free markets. He is often regarded as the UK's leading "monetarist" economist. Although most of his career was spent as an economist in the City of London, he has been a visiting professor at the Cardiff Business School and the City University Business School (now the Cass Business School). He has recently been appointed a professor of economics at the University of Buckingham where he is setting up a new research institute, the Institute of International Monetary Research. He was awarded the CBE for services to economic debate in 1997. Professor Congdon is prominent in the UK Independence Party, where he was runner-up in the 2010 leadership election and is now UKIP economics spokesman. He is chairman of The Freedom Association.

Charles Grant is director of the Centre for European Reform (CER) which he helped to set up in 1996. He previously worked for Euromoney and The Economist in London and Brussels, and his biography of Jacques Delors ("Delors: Inside the House that Jacques Built") was published by Nicolas Brealey in 1994. He is the author of many CER publications including the recent report "How to build a modern European Union", and is a regular contributor to the Financial Times and the New York Times amongst others. He was a director and trustee of the British Council from 2002 to 2008. He is a member of the international advisory boards of the Moscow School of Political Studies, the Turkish think-tank EDAM and the French think-tank Terra Nova. In 2004 he became a chevalier of France's Ordre Nationale du Mérite, and this year a Companion of St Michael and St George.

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