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## HM KING MOHAMMED VI VISIT PRESIDENT HOLLANDE WITH FRENCH MOROCCAN CELEBRITIES

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**USPA NEWS** - HM King Mohammed VI was welcomed on May 2th at Elysee Palace by the French President François Hollande. The two heads of state gave an overview of relations between France & Morocco before having a luncheon during the royal visit, in honour of the sovereign accompanied by French-Moroccan celebrities.

IT WAS A LUNCH FAREWELL BUT TO BETTER IN MOROCCO RACHID BENZINE EXPLAINED-----

The meeting between "His Majesty King Mohammed VI and François Hollande testified to the strong and deep relations between France and Morocco that go beyond the presidential circumstances," Rachid Benzine, told the press on Tuesday at the press hall. This "friendly" meeting a few days before the second round of the presidential election in France reflects "the very strong ties that are in continuity between the two countries", underlined Benzine.-----

"It was a lunch farewell, but to better meet in Morocco," he continued. "We talked about a number of projects of an artistic and cultural nature, economic and environmental, and a project with a religious dimension," added Rachid Benzine.

Two projects have indeed been mentioned by King Mohammed VI and which could be entrusted to the Islamologist Rachid Benzine. One on religious and one on reading or how to encourage young children to read. "It is not for nothing that he wanted one of his last lunches to be with His Majesty." He is invited to come to Morocco, to see What can be done in terms of cooperation, beyond its mandate ", added Mr. Benzine-----

Rachid Benzine is also participating in the Tangier Book Fair on 3 and 4 May. He will read passages from his book "Nour, why did not I see anything coming?". In this regard, King Mohammed VI spoke at lunch of the plays "Letters to Nour" by Rachid Benzine as well as the novel "Nour why I did not see anything coming", novel at the origin of the play.

The royal visit coincides with the last week of the five-year term of President Francois Hollande and was a friendly moment of celebrating the last days of Presidency of Francis Hollande who visited the Institute of the Arab World (IMA) seven times, during these last five years regarding his appealing to the cultural heritage preservation and encouraging the artistic initiatives. See article : PRESIDENT HOLLANDE INAUGURATES OSIRIS EXHIBITION WITH JACK LANG AT IMA IN PARIS AND THREE EGYPTIAN MINISTERS - See more at: <http://www.uspa24.com/bericht-5361/president-hollande-inaugurates-osiris-exhibition-with-jack-lang-at-ima-in-paris.html#sthash.N1HN4nyt.dpuf> and also-----

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RACHID BENZINE IS A YOUNG FRANCO-MOROCCAN ISLAMOLOGIST RECOGNIZED BY THE POLITICAL WORLD

Rachid Benzine is a Political scientist, researcher in hermeneutics, doubled by an expert of Islam, and author of novels. He currently teaches at IEP (Political Sciences) of Aix en Provence.-----

Rachid Benzine is a French-Moroccan professor of Politics Sciences who was a Thai boxing champion. After studying economics and politics, he started in Lyon (France) under the direction of Claude Prud'homme, in a thesis on contemporary Koranic hermeneutics. Today, Rachid Benzine belongs to the new generation of Muslim intellectuals, trained in the school of human sciences, which is emerging in today's France. The French-Moroccan is an actual very active expert in interreligious dialogue, and published, in collaboration with the priest Christian Delorme, "We have so many things to tell us" (Albin Michel, 1998). He is a lecturer at the Institute of Political Studies (Sciences PO) in Aix-en-Provence and an associate researcher at the Aix-en-Provence Religious Observatory. (Source Biblio World). His latest novel was the subject of a play "Nour why I could not come?" An epistolary novel approaches the motives and the tearing of a young Muslim party in Syria to join the jihadists, and also "The incomprehension of her father". Source Bibliolivres-----

DJAMEL DEBBOUZE IS ONE OF THE MOST FAMOUS ONE MAN SHOW COMEDIAN FRENCH MOROCCAN-----

Djamel Debbouze is a young Moroccan Franco, who created the festival of laughter of Marrakech after being the pressing personality of the French. He was born in Trappes, in the Parisian suburbs and became in the 1990s, the most funny of France by making improvisations on the TV channel Plus and by performances of humorist of One Man Show. He is married to Melissa Theuriau, a journalist with the TV channel M6 in France.

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