

“Eastern Mediterranean geopolitical and energy developments: the implications for regional and European security”.

Program

- 09.30 – 09.45** ***Welcome remarks***
- Ms. Claudia Carydis-Benopoulou, Vice President, Public Affairs, The American College of Greece
 - Dr. Thanos Dokos, Director-General, ELIAMEP
- 09.45 – 10.15** **Keynote address:** H.E. Mr. Kostis Hatzidakis, Minister of Environment & Energy, Athens
- 10.15 - 11.45** ***The Geopolitics of Energy in the Eastern Mediterranean***
- Moderator: Prof. Nikolaos Farantouris, University of Piraeus, Chair, Legal Affairs, EUROGAS & DEPA
- Speakers:
- Dr. Theodore Tsakiris, Associate Professor, University of Nicosia, Research Fellow ELIAMEP
 - Mr. Gabriel Mitchell, Policy Fellow, MITVIM Institute, Israel
 - Mr. Nicolo Sartori, Senior Fellow and Head of the Energy, Climate & Resources Programme, IAI, Rome
- 11.45 - 12.15** **Coffee break**
- 12.15 – 13.45** ***Tripartite cooperation in the Eastern Mediterranean: an early assessment and future prospects***
- Moderator: Mr. Athanasios Ellis, Editor in Chief, Kathimerini, English edition
- Speakers:
- H.E. Mr. Kyriakos A. Kenevezos, Ambassador of the Republic of Cyprus to the Hellenic Republic
 - H.E. Mr. Geoffrey R. Pyatt, U.S. Ambassador to the Hellenic Republic
 - H.E. Dr. Theodoros Theodorou, Ambassador, A6 Directorate for MENA, MFA, Athens
 - Mr. Yossi Amrani, Ambassador designate of Israel to the Hellenic Republic
- 13.45 - 15.00** **Light Buffet Lunch**
- 15.00 - 16.45** ***The regional security environment: stability vs turbulence***
- Moderator: Dr. Konstantina E. Botsiou, Associate Professor, University of Peloponnese
- Speakers:
- Prof. Cengiz Aktar, Visiting Lecturer University of Athens, EKPA-Turkmas
 - Prof. Panayotis Tsakonas, University of Athens
 - Prof. Angelos Syrigos, Panteion University, Member of the Greek Parliament
- 16.45 - 17.00** ***Closing Remarks***
- Dr. Thanos Dokos, Director-General, ELIAMEP
 - Dr. Haris Vlavianos, Director, Institute of Global Affairs, The American College of Greece