



**Institute
of Global Affairs**



2nd Global Politics Summer Academy

“Promoting Cooperation and Stability in the Eastern Mediterranean”

The Summer Academy will provide participants with diverse insights and different perspectives on the current security landscape of the Eastern Mediterranean. Special emphasis will be placed, among others on the climate crisis and migration in the Eastern Mediterranean, on the Greek-Turkish dispute and the Cyprus problem, on the Western Perspectives on the Eastern Mediterranean and on the relations between the states of the region with China and Russia.

Wednesday 29th June - Saturday 2nd July 2022

Organized by:

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(6, Grivas Street, 153 42 Athens, Greece)

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AGENDA

Wednesday, June 29th

10:30 - 11:00 **Registration**

11:00 – 11:15 **Welcoming Remarks**

Claudia Carydis, Vice President, Public Affairs, The American College of Greece

George Pagoulatos, Director General, ELIAMEP; Professor of European Politics and Economy, Athens University of Economics and Business (AUEB)

11:15 – 13:00 **Introductions and Preparatory Seminar**

13:00 – 13:30 **Lunch**

13:00 – 16:00 **Climate crisis and the Green Mediterranean**

Lecturer:

Konstantinos Karayannakos, Executive Director, DEPA S.A.

Nikos Mantzaris, Senior Policy Analyst & Partner, The Green Tank *

Konstantinos Nikolaou, Vice President of the BoD at Energean Greece, Energean *

Thursday, June 30th

10:00 – 13:00 **Managing Migration in the Eastern Mediterranean**

Lecturers:

Angeliki Dimitriadi, Researcher, Global Public Policy Institute (GPPi), Berlin; Senior Research Fellow, ELIAMEP

Apostolos Veizis, Executive Director, *INTERSOS*

Moderator:

Apostolos Mangiriadis, Journalist, SKAI TV*

13:00 – 13:30 **Lunch**

13:30 – 14:45 **Ending unending conflicts: The Greek-Turkish disputes**

Lecturer:

Mustafa Aydin, Professor of International Relations, Kadir Has University, Istanbul

Athanasios Manis, Research Fellow, ELIAMEP

Panayotis Tsakonas, Professor, University of Athens; Head, Security Program, ELIAMEP

14:45 - 15:00 **Break**

15:00 – 16:30 **Ending unending conflicts: The Cyprus problem**

Lecturers:

Michalis Attalides, Ambassador (ad hon.)

Niyazi Kizilyurek, Professor, Cyprus University; Member of the European Parliament *

Friday, July 1st

10:00 – 13:00

Dealing with crises in the Eastern Mediterranean

Speakers:

Nimrod Goren, Founder and Head, Mitvim - The Israeli Institute for Regional Foreign Policies; Teaching Fellow, Middle Eastern Studies, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Soli Ozel, Senior Lecturer, Kadir Has University, Istanbul

Magda Shahin, former Ambassador of Egypt to Greece; Director, Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal Bin Abdul Aziz Alsaud Center for American Studies and Research, American University in Cairo

13:00 – 13:30

Lunch

13:30 – 16:30

China, Russia, and the Mediterranean

Lecturers:

Constantinos Filis, Director, Institute of Global Affairs, ACG; Associate Professor American College of Greece

Plamen Tonchev, Head of Asia Unit, Institute for International Economic Relations, Athens

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Saturday, July 2nd

09:30 – 11:30 **Western Perspectives on the Mediterranean**

Lecturer:

Ronald Meinardus, Non-resident Senior Research Fellow, ELIAMEP
Eduard Soler i Lecha, Senior Research Fellow, Barcelona Centre for
International Affairs (CIDOB) *

Speaker from NATO *

Moderator: Athanasios Ellis, Journalist, “*Kathimerini*” *

11:30 – 12:15 **EU - Turkey relations: the state of play**

Lecturer:

Ioannis Vrailas, Permanent Representative of Greece to the European
Union

12:15 – 12:30 *Break*

12:30 – 14:30 **Drafting a Resolution – participants break-out in two groups**

14:30 – 15:00 **Closing remarks**

Constantinos Filis, Director, Institute of Global Affairs, ACG; Associate
Professor American College of Greece

Panayotis Tsakonas, Professor, University of Athens; Head, Security
Programme, ELIAMEP

**To be confirmed*