



GLOBAL CIVIL DIPLOMACY SUMMIT

Discovering the Potential

COMMON PROGRAM (DRAFT)

CIVIL GLOBAL 2016 SUMMIT

"Discovering the Potential: Capacity Management and Deepening"

(20-22 April 2016, Pullman Istanbul Hotel, İstanbul)

1ST DAY 20 April 2016, Wednesday _____

Attendees' Arrival at Istanbul

19.00 - 21.00 Gala Dinner - 9th TASAM Strategic Vision Awards Presentation Ceremony | Main Hall

2ND DAY 21 April 2016, Thursday _____

----- SUMMIT OPENING -----

09.00 - 09.30 Registration

09.30 - 11.00 Civil Global 2016 Summit Opening Speeches

Süleyman ŞENSOY, TASAM Chairman

Ayhan ZEYTİNOĞLU, President of the Economic Development Foundation (Civil Society)

Mücahit YANILMAZ, Mayor of Elazığ (Local Governments)

Edita TAHIRI, Minister for Dialogue of the Government of the Republic of Kosovo

Mustafa ELİTAŞ, Minister of Economy of the Republic of Turkey

11.00 - 11.15 Coffee Break

11.15 - 11.30 Buffering Time for Activity Halls



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2ND TURKEY - AFRICA NGOs AND THINKING FORUM "Energy, Food, Water Security and Humanitarian Development in Africa"

12.00 - 13.15 [PANEL 1](#)

Global Challenges and Food, Energy and Water Security in Africa; Turkey's Water Security Vision , and Institutional Models

Head of Session

Prof. Dr. Sedat AYBAR, Istanbul Aydın University, Head of Economy and Finance Department

Speakers

Dr. Benoit NGOM*, Founder and President, Africa Diplomasy Academy (ADA)

Prof. Wellington OTIENO*, Executive Director, Centre for Research and Technology Development(RESTECH)

Dr. Gowtam Raj CHINTARAM, Chairperson, Infrastructure & Energy (AU|ECOSOCC); President, (ANPRAS)

Hakan AYDIN, Researcher, Executive Director, Kırklareli University African Research Center

Alper Fatih ABİDİN, Business Solutions Consultant for Africa, Founder, Africa Consultant Web-Portal

Dr.Barassou DIAWARA*, Knowledge Management Expert, The African Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF)

13.15 - 14.30 **Lunch**

14.30 - 16.30 [PANEL 2](#)

Security Conflicts, Challenges, Opportunities and International Cooperation over Water and Energy; The Role of Water on Energy Policies and African Water Politics

Head of Session

Daouda BANGOURA, Ambassador of Guinea in Turkey

Speakers

Elijah Kimani MUTUANGO, Deputy Director, Institute of Environment and Water Management

Hailu Jedidiah MELAKU, Women and Children Development Organization (WCDO)

Dr. Paul Alain NANA, Researcher, University of Yaounde, Vital Actions for Sustainable Development (AVD)

Asst. Prof. Dr. Kassimou ISSOTINA, Institute of Cultural Affairs-Benin (ICA)

Soulemane Halif NGAGINE, Chairman, Abant İzzet Baysal University, International Student Union

16.30 - 16.45 **Coffee Break**

16.45 - 18.45 [PANEL 3](#)

Food Security and Turkey's Vision & Energy Security and Turkey's Vision



Head of Session

Ambassador (R) Murat BİLHAN, Deputy President, Turkish Asian Strategic Research Center (TASAM)

Speakers

Dr. Ify OFONG, National Coordinator, UN Women in Development and Environment

Dr. Sadık DANIŞMAN, Chairman of Administrative Board, International Humanitarian Aids Association

Ephrem Berhanu DEBALKE, Executive Director, Consortium of Youth Development Organizations

Anthony Isoe OKARA, Vice-President, Protocol of African Union

Dr. Bassirou BANDE, Research Assistant Fellow, Turkey Voluntary Trainers Foundation

Dr. Bilgehan GÜNTEKİN, Chairman, Friends of All African Peoples Association (TADD)

7th INTERNATIONAL TURKISH - ASIAN CONGRESS **“Trans Pacific Partnership, Asian Countries and Turkey”**

11.15 - 13.15 [Session 1](#)

Global Politics, Economical Improvements and Asia

Moderator

Prof. Dr. Sema KALAYCIOĞLU, TASAM

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Ahmet Sedat AYBAR, Istanbul Aydın University

Prof. Dr. Sema KALAYCIOĞLU, TASAM

Osman ŞAHBAZ, Chairman of Turkish - Hungarian Businessman Networks Association

Zafer KARADAĞ, DEİK Asian - Pacific Committee Vice - Chairman, Shanghai KARYA

13.15 - 14.30 **Lunch**

14.30 - 16.30 [Session 2](#)

Trans Pacific Partnership Process and it's Future and the Perspectives of BRICS Countries

Moderator

Dr. Savaş BİÇER, Istanbul Esenyurt University, TASAM

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Ertan EFEGİL, Sakarya University

Prof. Dr. İbrahim ÖZTÜRK, Marmara University



Dr. Savaş BİÇER, İstanbul Esenyurt University, TASAM

Dr. Onur OKYAR, Çankırı Karatekin University

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 - 18.45 [Session 3](#)

[New Financial Institutions in Asia and China and Global Policy, Economic Developments and Asia](#)

Moderator

Exp. Zeliha DOĞAN YEŞİL, Chairman of Ankara Public Relations Association

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Kamer KASIM, Abant İzzet Baysal University

Exp. Zeliha DOĞAN YEŞİL, Chairman of Ankara Public Relations Association

Alper YAVUZESER, Crimean Turkish Association in Edirne

Süheyl ÇOBANOĞLU, RUBASAM Vice Chairman

Ufuk SÜSLÜ, RUBASAM Board of Directorate

5TH TURKEY - EUROPE FORUM

“Turkey-EU Civil Diplomacy Building: Management of Capacity Building and Multidimensional Cooperation”

12.00 - 13.15 [PANEL 1](#)

[Civil Diplomacy in Turkey-EU Relations](#)

Keynote Speaker

Ayhan ZEYTİNOĞLU, Chairman of Economic Development Foundation (IKV) Turkey

“Turkey’s The Role of Civil Society in European Union Process: Example of IKV”

Chair

Assoc. Prof. Emel PARLAR DAL, Marmara University, Turkey

Speakers

Assoc. Prof. Alper KALİBER, İstanbul Kemerburgaz University, Turkey

“Civil Society and European in Turkey: Problems, Possibilities, Disabilities”

Asst. Prof. Özge ZİHNİOĞLU, İstanbul Kültür University, Turkey

“The Use of Multilateral Diplomacy in the EU’s Enlargement Policy”



Prof. Ercüment TEZCAN, Galatasaray University, Turkey

İpek LÖR ŞEHİRLİ, Institute of Strategic Studies (SAREN), Turkey

“European Union - Turkey Civil Society Dialogue Relation: Myths and Facts

13.15 - 14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 16.30 [PANEL 2](#)

Future of the EU: Potential of Capacity Building

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Pieter VOLTEN, Director of Centre for European Security Studies(CESS), Netherlands

“Hard Power versus Soft Power or a Dialogue Respecting Both”

Chair

Yaşar YAKIŞ, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs , Turkey

Speakers

Dr. Małgorzata BONIKOWSKA, Director of Centre for International Relations, Poland

“EU - Turkey where shall we be in 2023?”

Asst. Prof. S. Sezgin MERCAN, Başkent University, Türkiye

“Foreign Policy Partnership in the Future of Turkey- European Relationship”

Assoc. Prof. Erhan Doğan, Marmara University, Turkey

“A Methodological Overview and Mapping Trial of Literature on Turkey-EU Relations”

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 - 18.45 [PANEL 3](#)

Multidimensional Cooperation: Aims and Difficulties

Keynote Speaker

Yaşar YAKIŞ, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Turkey

Turkey-EU Multi-Dimensional Relations and Turkey's Expects

Chair

Prof. Dr. Haluk KABAALIOĞLU, Yeditepe University, Turkey

Speakers

Emine BOZKURT, Former Member of European Parliament, International IDEA, Netherlands



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“Stronger Involvement of Civil Society Makes Turkey Stronger”

Soli ÖZEL, Kadir Has University Turkey

“Past and Future of Turkey - EU Relations”

Niyazi Nefi KARA, Member of Parliament - The European Union Harmonization Committee, Turkey

Readmission Agreement and the Recent Situation Turkey – EU Relations

Asst. Prof. Aylin ÜNVER NOİ, Gedik University, Turkey

“Evaluation of Regionalism Mega Free Trade Agreement of Turkey- EU”

3RD TURKISH-LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN CONGRESS

“Strategic Cooperation and Los Turcos”

12.00 - 13.15 [PANEL 1](#)

Early Diplomatic Relations between Latin America and the Republic of Turkey

Head of Session

Prof. Dr. Nilüfer NARLI

Speakers

Res. Asst. Ariel Gonzalez LEVAGGI, Bridges to the East: Argentina’s ties with the Ottoman Empire and the early Republic of Turkey

Assoc. Prof. Buket ÜNAL, Turkey-Cuba Relations: From Past to Present: Crossroads, Expectations, Recommendations

Res. Asst. Segâh TEKİN, Turkey-Brazil Relations from Historical Perspective: Politics, Diplomacy and Cooperation Opportunities

Xavier Daniel Palacios Mengod, The Spanish role in the Turkish - Latin-American Relations

13.15 - 14.30 **Lunch**

14.30 - 16.30 [PANEL 2](#)

Los Turcos from Ottoman Empire to Latin America (1st Session)

Head of Session

Assoc. Prof. Gökhan BOLAT

Speakers

Dr. Emel ÇORA, Ottoman Migration to America and its impacts on the Ottoman Empire

Res. Asst. Gözde SOMEL, Ottoman Migration to Cuba: Old and New Identities

Prof. Dr. İbrahim Yılmaz, The first Turcos immigrants from Palestinian Territory to America

Dr. İbrahim ALSALIEBY, Arab migrations from the Levant in the late nineteenth century and early twentieth century



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Prof. Dr. Ferdinando Crepalde Martins, Notes on the Turkish Immigration to Brazil and Its Cultural Representation

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 - 18.45 [PANEL 3](#)

Los Turcos from Ottoman Empire to Latin America (2nd Session)

Head of Session

Prof. Dr. İbrahim Yılmaz

Speakers

Assoc. Prof. Seyfullah KORKMAZ, Newspapers and Literature by Ottoman Immigrants to South America

Res. Asst. Ayşe Yarar, Mexico's Turkish immigrants

Emrah Topuz, Separadic Immigrants from Izmir to Argentina and Cultural Heritage "Izmir Cafe"

Assist. Prof. Kadir Özdamarlar, Immigrations from Develi in Argentina

Prof. Dr. Ferdinando Crepalde Martins, The images of the Turks in the play "As Turca"

8th INTERNATIONAL BALKAN FORUM **"Strategical Cooperation and Los Turcos"**

11.15 - 13.15 [Session 1](#)

Balkans' Transformation into the Free Market Economy

Moderator

Murat Bilhan, Ambassador(R), Turkey

Keynote Speech

Avni Spahiu, Ambassador of the Republic of Kosovo

Speakers

Eser Cevahir, Member of the Board of Cevahir Holding, Turkey

"Business Atmosphere in the Process of Reforms"

Prof. İbrahim Canbolat, Uludağ University, Turkey

"Balkans in the Integration Process of Europe"

Asst. Prof. Bekir Çınar, Süleyman Şah University, Turkey

"Pending Opportunities for Turkish Businessmen in the Balkans"

13.15 - 14.30 Lunch



14.30 - 16.30 [Session 2](#)

Industry, Investment, Trade; Sectoral Distribution in the Balkans

Moderator

Ali Engin Oba, Ambassador(R)

Keynote Speaker

Edita Tahiri, Minister for Dialogue of the Republic of Kosovo

“Good neighborly relations, rule of law and human capital - key elements for economic development”

Speakers

Assoc. Prof. Besim Beqaj, Member of Parliament of Kosovo

“Industrial Investments in Enhancing Regional Cooperation and Competition”

Habil Mustafai, Head of Agency for Foreign Investments of the Republic of Macedonia

“Foreign Investment and Opportunities in Macedonia”

Dr. Senada Selo Sabic, Institute for Development and International Relations, Croatia

“In Search of a Viable Partnership: Turkey and the Balkans”

Asst. Prof. Mustafa Üç, Epoka University, Albania

“Industry and Commerce in the Western Balkans: Sectoral Distribution”

Asst. Lec. Muzaffer Kutlay, University of Kent, UK

“Economic Competition in the Balkans: Changing Actors”

16.30 - 16.45 **Coffee Break**

16.45 - 18.45 [Session 3](#)

World Energy Markets and their Regional Effects, Renewable Energy Investments as a Global Trend

Moderator

Prof. Muzaffer Ercan Yılmaz, Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Turkey

Speakers

Nusret Cömert, Chairman of Damnus Energy

Prof. Mert Bilgin, Istanbul Medipol University

“Global Restraints of Energy Security and Incentives of Renewables”

Prof. Adrian Pop, National University of Political Science and Public Administration, Romania

“Envisaging the Future of the Global Monetary and Financial System”

Berat Rukiqi, Chairman of Kosovo Chamber of Commerce

“Energy Security Issues for Kosovo”



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9th BALKAN COMMUNICATION NETWORK CONFERENCE

"Balance in the Balkans; EU, Turkey and Russia"

1. INTRODUCTION

Opening Speeches

Ambassador (R) Murat BİLHAN, Coordinator of BIA | Vice President of TASAM
Süleyman ŞENSOY, President of TASAM

2. MAIN THEME

Balances in the Balkans; EU, Turkey and Russia

3. SUB THEMES

- Relations Between Russia, the European Union and Turkey
- European Union Integration and Expansion Strategy of Western Balkan Countries
- Russia's South Stream Project, it's Effects Over the Region and Energy Security
- Difficulties and Opportunities for the Future
- Centralization and Institutionalization in the Region
- Contradiction Between Policies of the European Union, Russia and Turkey Regarding Conflicts in the Balkans
- Evaluation and Strengthening of Soft Power Mechanisms
- Regional Deliberations and Cooperation
- Supporting Economic and Social Reforms within the Region
- Construction of Workforce and Avoiding Migration
- Fighting Political and Economic Corruption
- Extremism and Avoiding Terror
- Activism, Protest and Increasing Demands: Social Movements
- Usage of Diplomacy
- Regional Defence and Security Problem



With this framework, the conference aims for establishing an intellectual and strategic platform to support decision makers to take effective and preventive initiative, and revealing how mutual potential and current practices can be transformed into a strategic cooperation.

4. TOPICS ABOUT BCN REORGANIZATION

Participants

Christian Kvorning Lassen, Representative of the EUROPEUM, Czech Republic

Apostol Apostolov, Representative of the European Institute, Bulgaria

Vasyl Filipchuk, Chairman of ICPS, Ukraine

Aleksandar Cekov, Representative of Center for Research and Policy Making, Macedonia

Prof. Arian Starova, Representative of Albanian Institute for International Studies, Albanian

Malgorzata Bonikowska, President of the Center for International Relations, Poland

Dr. Senada Selo Sabic, Representative of the Institute for Development and International Relations, Croatia

Dr. Emil Tsenkov, Representative of the Center for the Study of Democracy, Bulgaria

Dr. Hans-Georg Fleck, Representative of the Friedrich-Naumann-Foundation for Freedom in Istanbul

Prof. Biljana Angelova, Director of the Institute of Economics, Macedonia

Rifat Sait, President of Balkan Center for Strategic Studies

Bülent Dervisi, President of MAPAS

Ferdi Kasami, Vice President of MAPAS



INTERNATIONAL BLACK SEA - CAUCASUS CONGRESS

“Economy, Energy and Security; New Opportunities”

11.15-12.00 Keynote Speaker of Forum
Amb. Traian CHEBELEU, BSEC Deputy Secretary General
(R) Amb. Ahmet Ünal ÇEVİKÖZ, Kadir Has University

12.00 - 13.15 PANEL 1
Global Security, Geopolitics of Black Sea-Caucasus and Economic Expansion

Chair
(R) Amb. Ali Engin OBA, TASAM, Çağ University

Speakers
Amb. Revaz GACHECHILADZE, Tbilisi State University
Prof. Dr. Hayati AKTAŞ, Black Sea Technical University
Assist. Prof. Gonca OĞUZ GÖK, Marmara University

13.15 - 14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 16.30 PANEL 2
Integrations Impacting the Region: Balance Sheet and Perspectives

Chair
Amb. Traian CHEBELEU, BSEC Deputy Secretary General

Speakers
Dr. Yevgeniya GABER, Odessa National Mechnikov University, Ukraine Embassy in Ankara
Assoc. Prof. Emre ERŞEN, Marmara University
Assoc. Prof. Emel PARLAR, Marmara University
Dr. Ozan ARSLAN, Izmir University of Economics

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 - 18.45 PANEL 3
Changes in Domestic Affairs of Black Sea-Caucasus and Security of Black Sea

Chair
(R) Amb. Murat BİLHAN, TASAM

Speakers
Dr. Necmi DAYDAY, TASAM
Dr. Asgar Zeynalabdinov AYDIN, Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences
Dr. Liviu MURESAN, EURISC Foundation
Lecturer İtir BAĞDADI, Izmir University of Economics



INTERNATIONAL MEDITERRANEAN CONGRESS “Economy, Energy and Security; New Opportunities”

11.15-12.00 Forum Keynote Speaker
Ali ERÇOŞKUN, Bolu Member of Turkish Parliament, Chairman of the Economic Committee of Parliamentary Assembly of the Mediterranean (PAM)
Amb. Yiğit ALPOĞAN, Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean

12.00 - 13.15 [PANEL 1](#)
Global Security and the Mediterranean Geopolitics and Economic Expansions

Chair of Session
Prof. Dr. Kenan DAĞCI, Yalova University

Speakers
Prof. Dr. Mert BİLGİN, Istanbul Medipol University
Dr. Cyril WIDDERSHOVEN, MEA-Risk
Assist. Prof. Sinan SERTEMEL, Istanbul Technical University

13.15 - 14.30 Lunch

14.30 - 16.30 [PANEL 2](#)
European Union and “Unity for the Mediterranean”: Balance-sheet and Perspectives

Chair of Session
Amb. Yiğit ALPOĞAN, Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean

Speakers
Dr. Sufian ABU ZAIDA, Alquds University
Prof. Dr. Kenan DAĞCI, Yalova University
Assoc. Prof. Elif Hatun KILIÇBEYLİ, Çukurova University
Assist. Prof. Dr. Kaan DİYARBAKIRLIOĞLU, Yalova University

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 - 18.45 [PANEL 3](#)
Transformations in Domestic Policies of Mediterranean Countries and the Mediterranean Security

Chair of Session
Amb. Ali Engin OBA, TASAM, Çağ University

Speakers
Prof. Dr. A. Beril TUĞRUL, Istanbul Technical University (ITU) Energy Institute
Assoc. Prof. Emel PARLAR, Marmara University



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Assist. Prof. Gonca OĞUZ GÖK, Marmara University

Murat YEŞİLTAŞ, Director of Security, Foundation for Political, Economic and Social Research (SETA)

MIGRATION IN TURKEY CONFERENCE

“Transformation of Opportunity and Risks in the Country from Emigrant to Immigrant”

11.15 - 13.15 [PANEL 1](#)

Effects of Turkish Foreign Policy to Turkish Society in Europe

Presentation

Tolga SAKMAN, TASAM Co-Director of National Defence and Security Institute, Turkey

Chair

Veyis GÜNGÖR, Director of TürkEvi Research Center, Netherlands

Speakers

Emine BOZKURT, Former Member of European Parliament, International IDEA, Netherlands

“The Refugee Crisis and the Rise of Racism in Europe”

Asst. Prof. Dr. Enes BAYRAKLI, Turkish - German University, Turkey

“Turkey’s New Diaspora Policy: Problems and Solution Proposals”

Prof. Mustafa ÇAKIR, Anadolu Univ. Research Center for Applied Studies on Turks Abroad Director, Turkey

“Current Problems of the Turkish Society of Austria”

Zeki BARAN, Deputy Mayor of Rotterdam-Charlois, Netherlands

“From Guest Labor to Citizenship”

13.15 - 14.30 **Lunch**

14.30 - 16.30 [PANEL 2](#)

Process of the Diasporas of Turkish Society

Keynote Speaker

Zafer SIRAKAYA, Director of Union of European Turkish Democrats (UETD), Germany

“The Turkish Diaspora in Europe and Political Participation”

Chair

Aydoğın ASAR, Director of the Society of International Migration Integration and Border Management Studies, Turkey



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Speakers

Veyis GÜNGÖR, Director of TürkEvi Research Center, Netherlands

“The Turkish Diaspora in Europe Actors and Civil Diplomacy”

Asst. Prof. Besim Can ZIRH, METU, Turkey

“Internationalization of Domestic Affairs through Migration: Alevis in Germany: A Specter Haunting Turkish Foreign Policy”

Assoc. Prof. Barış ÖZDAL, Uludağ Universtiy, Turkey

“The Process of Being or not Being the Lobby of the Turkish Diaspora in Europe”

Tolga SAKMAN, TASAM Co-Director of National Defence and Security Institute, Turkey

“Diasporic Elites: Affiliation and Activity of Turkish Society?”

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 - 18.45 [PANEL 3](#)

Turkey’s Migration Policy and International Agreement

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Kamuran REÇBER, Uludağ University, Turkey

“Readmission Agreement: Legal Substructure and Applications”

Chair

Assoc. Prof. Barış ÖZDAL, Uludağ Universtiy, Turkey

Speakers

Aydoğan ASAR, Director of the Society of International Migration Integration and Border Management Studies, Turkey

“Recent Developments in Improving Turkey’s Migration Management and Relations to International Migration Law”

Dr. Fatma YILMAZ ELMAS, International Strategic Research Organization (USAK), Turkey

“Turkey - EU Cooperation in the Process of Migration of Opportunities and Pitfalls

Günter SEUFERT, German Institute for International and Security Affairs (SWP), Almanyaya

“The Role and Situation of Germany in the EU: Leading from an Isolated Position?”



BUILDING SECTORAL CIVIL DIPLOMACY

Thematic Workshops

11.15 - 13.15 [WORKSHOP 1](#)

Turkey Brand in the Cooperation of Development

Moderator

Abdullah ÖZKAN, Faculty Member of Istanbul University

Keynote Speaker

Richard WIKE, PEW Research, Director of Global Attitudes Research

Speakers

Orhan SAMAST, CEO, Reputation Management Institute

Prof. Remzi ALTUNIŞIK, Sakarya University Faculty Member

Dr. Hatice SITKI, SERSA, National Myths and Symbols Consultant

Discussants

Instructor Tümay MERCAN, Kocaeli University

11.15 – 13.15 [WORKSHOP 2](#)

Humanitarian Diplomacy

Moderator

Hazar VURAL, TASAM Middle East Expert

Keynote Speaker

Nasuh MAHRUKİ, Founder and CEO of AKUT

Speakers

Ebru CAYMAZ, Istanbul Aydın University Faculty Member, AKUT Search and Rescue Association Foreign Relations Officer

Kemal KOÇAK, AFAD – Search and Rescue Technician

Tekin Küçükali, Vakıfay Chairman

11.15 - 13.15 [WORKSHOP 3](#)

Defense Diplomacy

**Moderator**

Tolga SAKMAN, Co-director of TASAM Institute of National Defense and Security

Keynote Speaker

Haluk BULUCU, Consultant, FNSS Defense Systems

Speakers

Fatih YAŞAR, TÜBİTAK Defense Industry, Research and Development Institute, Programs Coordinator

Col. Dr. Mesud ÜNAL, CEO, Pusula Strategy and Leadership, War College Guest Faculty Member

Discussants

Murat Yaşar ÖZEN, TÜBİTAK S Defense Industry, Research and Development Institute, Unit Head

11.15 - 13.15 [WORKSHOP 4](#)[Security Diplomacy](#)**Moderator**

Asst. Prof. Fahri ERENEL, TASAM Vice Chair

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Gülnur AYBET, Director, Bahçeşehir University Center for Security Studies

Speakers

Murat YEŞİLTAŞ, Director, SETA Security Studies

Assoc. Prof. Esra Pakin ALBAYRAKOĞLU, Istanbul Esenyurt University

Prof. İbrahim SOĞUKPINAR, Chairman, Association of Public Cyber Security

Discussants

Prof. Dr. Ertan EFEGİL, Sakarya University Faculty Member

Murat KAYMAKÇILAR, Middle East University

13.15 - 14.30 **Lunch Time****14.30 - 16.30** [WORKSHOP 5](#)[Health Diplomacy](#)**Moderator**

Habibe Öçal, Memur-Sen, Head of Eğitim Bir Sen Union Women Commission



Keynote Speaker

Arif Çetin, Ministry of Health, Chairman of Management and Protocol Office

Speakers

Barış Çelik, Ministry of Health, Officer of Bilateral Relations Office

Tümay MERCAN, Founder of Kocaeli Health Tourism Association, Kocaeli University Faculty Member

14.30 - 16.30 [WORKSHOP 6](#)

Finance Diplomacy

Moderator

Prof. Dr. Sedat AYBAR, Istanbul Aydın University Faculty Member

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Dr. Veysel ULUSOY, Yeditepe University Faculty Member

Speakers

Yard. Doç Dr. Cengizhan YILDIRIM, Abant İzzet Baysal University

Kurt EBİK, Orient Insurance

14.30 - 16.30 [WORKSHOP 7](#)

Educational Diplomacy

Moderator

Hazar VURAL, TASAM Middle East Expert

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Üstün ERGÜDER, CEO, Education Reform Initiative

Speakers

Prof. İzzet BOZKURT, Founder President of Istanbul Arnavutköy University

Assoc. Prof. Elife Doğan KILIÇ, Istanbul University Faculty Member

Discussants

Asst. Prof. Fahri KILIÇ, Abant İzzet Baysal Education School Faculty Member

Habibe ÖÇAL, Memur-Sen, Head of Eğitim Bir Sen Union Women Commission

14.30 - 16.30 [WORKSHOP 8](#)

Science Diplomacy



Moderator

Ambassador (R) Murat BİLHAN, TASAM Vice Chairman

Keynote Speaker

Prof. İhsan SEZAL, Chairman of Association of Sociology

Speakers

Prof. Can BİLGİLİ, Founder of World Experience

Assoc. Prof. Burak Bilgehan ÖZPEK, TOBB ETÜ Faculty Member

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee Break

16.45 - 18.45 [WORKSHOP 9](#)

Business Diplomacy

Moderator

Prof. Nilüfer NARLI, Bahçeşehir University Faculty Member

Keynote Speaker

Dr. Masum TÜRKER, Former Minister of State

Speakers

Ahmet Canlı, Ministry of Economy, Branding Research and Development Office Head

Mehmet Emin DEĞER, DEİK Member of Turkey-Iran Business Council

Baran GÜNDOĞAN, Board Member of Tunceli Entrepreneurs Association

16.45 - 18.45 [WORKSHOP 10](#)

Tourism Diplomacy

Moderator

Dr. Muharrem Hilmi ÖZEV, Istanbul University Faculty Member

Keynote Speaker

Enginer BİRDAL, Chairman, Turkey Health Tourism Association

Speakers

Kerem KÖFTEOĞLU, Chairman, Association of Tourism Writers and Journalists

Tümay MERCAN, Tümay MERCAN, Founder of Kocaeli Health Tourism Association, Kocaeli Univ. Faculty Member



Dr. Mehmet Fetih YANARDAĞ, Kahramanmaraş Municipality Head of Cultural and Social Affairs Office

Discussants

İsmet TAYMUŞ, Kayseri Director of Culture and Tourism Office

16.45 - 18.45 [WORKSHOP 11](#)

[Water Diplomacy](#)

Moderator

Gürkan BOZTEPE, TASAM Advisor to Chairman

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Deniz EKİNCİ, Istanbul University Faculty Member

Speakers

Dr. Tuğba Evrim MADEN, ORSAM Marine Research Program, Hydropolitic Program

Şule KÜÇÜKCOŞKUN, Coordinator, TAGEM Soil and Water Resources Research

Discussants

Sadrettin KARAHOCAGİL, GAP Office Head

16.45 - 18.45 [WORKSHOP 12](#)

[Diplomacy of Media and Information](#)

Moderator

Merve Şebnem Oruç, Columnist, Yeni Şafak

Keynote Speaker

Asst. Prof. Ali Murat KIRIK, Marmara University Faculty Member

Speakers

Said ERCAN, CEO, International Social media Association

Asst. Prof. Gaye ASLI SANCAR, Galatasaray University Faculty Member



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3RD DAY 22 April 2016, Friday

09.00 - 09.30 Registration

2ND TURKEY - AFRICA NGOs AND THINKING FORUM

"Afrika'da Su, Gıda ve Enerji Güvenliği ve İnsani Kalkınma"

09.30 - 11.30 [PANEL 4](#)

Human Development: Education, Health and Other Social Policies

Head of Session

Joseph CHILENGI*, Presiding Officer, African Union ECOSOCC

Speakers

Fatimatou MFOKEU, Executive Director, Cameroon Young Leader Muslim Association (CYLMA)

Driss SENDA, Vice President, Foundation Ikia Sassou; President, Federation of Youth for a Peaceful Universe

Dr. Engin Akçay, Board Member, Center for Global and Regional Studies (CEGRES)

Prof. Dr. Adebayo OLUKOSHI, Director, United Nations African Institute for Economic Development and Planning (IDEP)

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 [PANEL 5](#)

The Economics of Human Development and "Health for All"

Head of Session

Aboagye T. MINTAH*, Business Development Lead, Center for Policy and Education (IMANI)

Speakers

Prof. Ellen WASYLINA, President, International Geostrategic Maritime Observatory (IGMO)

Dr. Catherine LONG, Lead Researcher, Kadir Has University Middle East & African Research Center (MARC)

Masale Godfrey SELEMATSELA, Cluster Chairperson for Trade and Industry (AU|ECOSOCC)

Dr. Recep KOÇAK, Communications Coordinator, Deniz Feneri Association

Mahmut ÇELİKUS, Chairman, Merchants and Craftsmen Association (ESEDER)

15.00 - 17.30 Coffee Break



7th INTERNATIONAL TURKISH - ASIAN CONGRESS “Trans Pacific Partnership, Asian Countries and Turkey”

09.00 - 09.30 Registration

09.30 - 11.30 [Session 4](#)

[Consumption Patterns, Demographic and Economic Scenarios in Asia](#)

Moderator

Zafer KARADAĞ, DEİK Asian - Pacific Committee Vice - Chairman, Shanghai KARYA

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Vildan SERİN, Fatih University

Prof. Dr. Namık ARAS, Honorary Member of Turkey Sciences Academies

Zafer KARADAĞ, DEİK Asian - Pacific Committee Vice - Chairman, Shanghai KARYA International Trading Co.

Assis. Prof. Dr. Filiz KATMAN, Istanbul Aydın University

Dr. Asena BOZTAŞ, Sakarya University

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 [Session 5](#)

[Energy Politics and the Future of Asian Economies - Alternative Economic and Political Evolutions: the Silk Road, CIS etc.](#)

Moderator

Prof. Dr. Sema KALAYCIOĞLU, TASAM

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Saleh SULTANSOY, TOBB University

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Yaşar SARI, Abant İzzet Baysal University

Dr. Levent Coşkun ERKEKOĞLU, Marmara University

Dr. Monika CHANSORIA, Senior Fellow, Centre for Land Warfare Studies (CLAWS)

Assis. Prof. Dr. Filiz KATMAN, Istanbul Aydın University

15.00 - 15.15 Coffee Break

15.15 - 17.15 [Session 6](#)



GLOBAL CIVIL DIPLOMACY SUMMIT

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Nutrition, Water, Energy Security Work: Risks, Opportunities, Cooperation of Asian Countries

Moderator

Dr. İsmail ERMAĞAN, İstanbul Medeniyet University

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Ertan EFEGİL, Sakarya University

Prof. Dr. Alaeddin YALÇINKAYA, Hakan MEHMETÇİK, Marmara University

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Hamza AKENGİN, Marmara University

Dr. İsmail ERMAĞAN, İstanbul Medeniyet University

Res. Asist. Elif BALI, Yıldız Technical University

17. 15 - 17.30 Coffee Break

5TH TURKEY - EUROPE FORUM

“Turkey-EU Civil Diplomacy Building: Management of Capacity Building and Multidimensional Cooperation”

09.30 - 11.30 **PANEL 4**

Turkey - EU Countries Dual and Triple Projects and Events

Keynote Speaker

Assoc. Prof. Çiğdem ÜSTÜN, Gediz University, Turkey

“Effects of EU over Regional Cooperations”

Chair

Ambassador (R) Murat BİLHAN, Vice Chairman of TASAM, Turkey

Speakers

Zehra TAŞKESENLİOĞLU, Member of Parliament - The European Union Harmonization Committee, Turkey

“Turkey-Europe Union and the Future of Priority Areas in European Union”

Asst. Prof. Mustafa KUTLAY, TOBB University of Economics & Technology, Turkey

“Return International Cooperation System in Turkey - EU Size”

İbrahim DOĞUŞ, Founding Director of Center for Turkey Studies (CEFTUS) United Kingdom

“Civil Diplomacy in Turkey-EU Relations in: the UK Case Studies and CEFTUS”

David GOODHART, Director of Integration Hub, United Kingdom



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“Cooperation Environment for Turkey and Britain in the Context of EU”

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 [PANEL 5](#)

Turkey - EU Mutual Expectations and Foresights

Keynote Speaker

Prof. H. Tarık OĞUZLU, Antalya International University, Turkey

“Effects of Bileteral Cooperations to Institutional Relation Between Turkey an EU and Mutual Expectation”

Chair

Assoc. Prof. Çiğdem ÜSTÜN, Gediz University, Turkey

Speakers

Assoc. Prof. Barış ÖZDAL, Uludağ University, Turkey

“Primary fields in Future of Turkey - EU Relation: Migration and Security (1+1=1 Security Policy based on Migration”

Asst. Prof. Başak Zeynep ALPAN, METU, Turkey

“European Identity as a Potential: Turkey- EU Relations in the Discussion is Where?”

Tomáš KAVÁLEK, AMO Association for International Affairs, Czech Republic

“Kurdish and Cyprus Issues: Two Unremovable Obstacles on the Turkish Path to the EU?”

Asst. Prof. Ebru TURHAN, Turkish-German University, Turkey

“Current Dynamics of Turkey- EU Relations: Dual Summit and Germany”

15.00 - 15.15 Coffee Break



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3RD TURKISH-LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN CONGRESS "Stratejik İşbirliği ve Los Turcos"

09.00 - 09.30 Registration

09.30 - 11.30 [PANEL 4](#)

Strategical Cooperation: Opportunities & Facilities

Head of Session

Prof. Dr. Ferdinando Crepalde Martins

Speakers

Süha Özgür DİNÇER-Sabit Ümit ERGİN, Cooperation Opportunities between

Latin American Countries and Turkey in Defense Industry

Emiliano Limia, Dimensions of the Cultural and Academic Cooperation between Turkey and Latin America

Rodolfo RIOS, Linking and intercooperative business cooperation : Turkey and Mexico

Ramiro Martin Rodriguez Bausero, Turkey-Uruguay Relations: Opportunities for Strategical Cooperation

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 [PANEL 5](#)

Distant Actors, Common process: Comparative Perspectives between Turkey and Latin America

Head of Session

Res. Asst. Ariel Gonzalez LEVAGGI

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Norberto Erminio Consani, Globalization, Regional Integration and prospects for
Latin American-Turkish Relations

Sebastian MANTILLA, The Influence of China in Latin America: What possibilities of Cooperation and
Strategic Influence has Turkey in the Region?

Assoc. Prof. Sezai Özçelik, The Comparative Analysis of Turkey and Latin America Conflicts: The PKK and
Farc Violence and Terror Under The Lenses of Conflict Mapping Approach

Gilberto CONDE, Mexico and Turkey: Exploring the possibilities of a more thorough relationship

15.00 - 15.15 Coffee Break

15.15 - 17.15 [PANEL 6](#)

Building of Future: Steps to be taken in order to develop common projects and Policies



Head of Session

Prof. Dr. Norberto Erminio Consani

Speakers

Dr. Kenan AYDINOĞLU, Specific Experiences of Unisana Bologna in Latin America and Caribbean

Santiago ESPINOSA, Contemporary Challenges and the Dynamic Strategic Exchange between
Turkey and Mexico in Academic Field

Dr. Hilal Gezmiş, Rethinking the South: Alternative pathways to development after the
Washington Consensus in Latin America and Turkey

17. 15 - 17.30 Coffee Break

8th INTERNATIONAL BALKAN FORUM

"Strategical Cooperation and Los Turcos"

09.00 - 09.30 Registration

09.30 - 11.30 [Session 4](#)
Unemployment and Poverty

Moderator

Asst. Prof. Makedonka Dimitrova, University American College Skopje, Macedonia

Keynote Speaker

Agim Çeku, Former Prime Minister of the Republic of Kosovo

"Unemployment and Poverty, a glance from Republic of Kosova"

Speakers

Rifat Sait, Vice President of Ak Party Headquarters Civil Society and PR, Turkey

Assoc. Prof. Bülent Dervishi, President of MAPAS, Macedonia

"Unemployment Issue and the Solutions to the Issue of Unemployment"

Dr. Ninko Kostovski, Skopje American University, Macedonia

**"Perception of Globalization by Managers and Owners of Small and Medium Sized
Businesses in Republic of Macedonia"**

Assoc. Prof. Petrit Gashi, University of Prishtina, Kosovo

"Free Trade and Kosovo: The Potential for Integration into Global Production Networks"

Assoc. Prof. Nesrin Sipahi Kiratlı, Turkey



“Effect of Ismail Gaspiralı to Bulgarian Turks and the Issues of Turkish Education”

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 [Session 5](#)

Relations between Turkey and the Balkans: Opportunities and Expectations - 1

Moderator

Dr. Senada Selo Sabic, Institute for Development and International Relations, Croatia

Speakers

Cenita Kocaman, Secretary General of the Foundation of Development Relations with Bosnia and Herzegovina

“Relations Between Turkey - Bosnia Herzegovina: Oppurtunities and Expectations”

Assoc. Prof. Birgöl Demirtaş, TOBB University of Economics and Technology, Turkey

“The Anatomy of Turkish-Serbian Relations: Comparative Analysis of the Perceptions of Identity and Security”

Prof. Muzaffer Ercan Yılmaz, Bandırma Onyedi Eylül University, Turkey

“Return to the Balkans: Turkey- Balkans Countries Relations after the Cold War”

Vehbi Varlık, Chairman of İNOKSAN, Turkey

“Cooperation of SME's in the Turkey and Balkans”

Prof. Sibel Turan, Trakya University, Turkey

“The Role and the Importance of Croatia in the Politic and Economic Relations of Turkey and Balkans”

15.00 - 15.15 Coffee Break

15.15 - 17.15 [Session 5](#)

Relations between Turkey and the Balkans: Opportunities and Expectations - 2

Moderator

Asst. Lec. Muzaffer Kutlay, University of Kent, UK

Konuşmacılar

Prof. Engin Beksaç, Trakya University, Turkey

Asst. Prof. Mustafa Hatipler, Trakya University, Turkey

“The Role of Archeological and Cultural Heritage in the Balkans Future: A Background Study for Tourism, Culture and Intercultural Communication”

Osman Ak, President of Turkey-Bulgaria Business Council, Turkey

Prof. Milos Solaja, Banja Luka University, Bosnia and Herzegovina

“Regional Cooperation and Initiatives in the Balkans as Precondition for Security and Development”

Asst. Lec. Dr. Zuhall Mert Uzuner, Marmara University, Turkey

“Turkey and Changing Security Perceptions in the Balkans”



INTERNATIONAL BLACK SEA - CAUCASUS CONGRESS

“Economy, Energy and Security; New Opportunities”

09.30 - 11.30 **PANEL 4**

Black Sea-Caucasus Vision of Turkey and Perspectives

Chair

(R) Ambassador Uluç ÖZÜLKER, TASAM

Speakers

Assoc. Prof. Elifhatun KILIÇBEYLİ, Çukurova University

Assoc. Prof. Sezai ÖZÇELİK, Çankırı Karatekin University

Dr. Plamen DIMITROV, St. Klement Ohridski University

11.30 - 13.00 **Lunch**

13.00 - 15.00 **PANEL 5**

Hydro-geopolitics of Black Sea and Turkey

Chair

Prof. Dr. Nurşin ATEŞOĞLU GÜNEY, Yıldız Technical University Lecturer

Speakers

Assist. Prof. Gökmen KILIÇOĞLU, Düzce University

Dr. Samir QULİYEV, Qafqaz University

Dr. Elnur KAZIMLI, Qafqaz University

Abdullah BOSTANCI, Vefa Association*

15.00 - 15.15 **Coffee Break**



INTERNATIONAL MEDITERRANEAN CONGRESS

“Economy, Energy and Security; New Opportunities”

09.30 - 11.30 [PANEL 4](#)

The Mediterranean Vision of Turkey and Perspectives

Chair of Session

Prof. Dr. Nurşin ATEŞOĞLU GÜNEY, Yıldız Technical University Lecturer

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Soledad SEGOVIANO, UNISCI Member

Dr. Necmi DAYDAY, Turkish Asian Center for Strategic Studies (TASAM)

Dr. Olgu OKUMUŞ, Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean

Dr. Pantelis TOULOUMAKOS, ELIAMEP

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 [PANEL 5](#)

Hidroeopolitics of the Mediterranean Basin and Turkey

Chair of Session

Ambassador (R) Uluç ÖZÜLKER, TASAM

Speakers

Assoc. Prof. Ahmet ÖZTÜRK, Istanbul University

Assist. Prof. Cenk ÖZGEN, Giresun University

Dr. Nidal TAYEH, Energy Charter Member

Dr. Arash SHARGHI, Yakındoğu University

15.00 - 15.15 Coffee Break



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MIGRATION IN TURKEY CONFERENCE

“Transformation of Opportunity and Risks in the Country from Emigrant to Immigrant”

09.00 - 09.30 Record

09.30 - 11.30 **PANEL 4**

Migration in Turkey on Turkey- EU Relation Effect

Keynote Speaker

Prof. İbrahim SİRKECİ, Regent University, United Kingdom

“Migration Policy and Understanding Turkish as Part of Migration Regime in Europe”

Chair

Assoc. Prof. Oğuzhan Ömer DEMİR, Giresun University, GLOBAL Policy and Strategy Institute, Turkey

Speakers

Petros MASTAKAS, UN High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR), Greece

“From Asylum as 'Legal Status' to Asylum as 'Space': Emerging Challenges for Refugee Protection in Europe”

Assoc. Prof. Güven ŞEKER, Celal Bayar University, Turkey

“Turkey Integration of Foreign: Evaluation in Terms of Crime and Migration”

Yelda Devlet KARAPINAR, International Organization of Migration (IOM), Turkey

“International Migration Management in Turkey within the Scope of Labour Mobility and Human Development”

Mohammad Fatih Al Kadah, UN High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR), Turkey

“Legal Developments Regarding the Protection of Refugees”

Musa KARADEMİR, EU Adviser of DMW Union of International Diplomats, Turkey

“Terrorism and Migration”

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 15.00 **PANEL 5**

Türkiye'deki Göçmenlerin Sosyo-Politik Entegrasyonu

Keynote Speaker

Assoc. Prof. Ulaş SUNATA, Bahçeşehir University, Founding Director of Center of Migration and Urban Studies, Turkey

“From Welcoming to Integration: Syrian Refugee Social Adaption in Turkey”



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Assoc. Prof. Güven ŞEKER, Celal Bayar University, Turkey

Speakers

Asst. Prof. Gökay ÖZERİM, Yaşar University, Director of EU Center, Turkey

“The Cities of Transition and Refugees in International Migration: Notes from Izmir”

Assoc. Prof. Oğuzhan Ömer DEMİR, Giresun University, GLOBAL Policy and Strategy Institute, Turkey

“Integration of Syrian Refugees and Potential Socio-Economic Problems”

Res. Assist. Ayla Deniz, Ankara University, Turkey

“Russian Brides in Istanbul: Transnational Practices, Movements, Motivation”

Asst. Prof. Gökhan AK, Nişantaşı University, Turkey

“The International Migration of Syrian Origin: Situations in Relation to Civil Society Initiatives, Influences and Opinions”

15.00 - 15.15 Coffee Break

15.15 - 17.15 [PANEL 6](#)

The Effects of Refugee Protection in Turkey

Keynote Speaker

Assoc. Prof. Yusuf ADIGÜZEL, İstanbul University, Turkey

“Syrians as a Social Gain “

Chair

Tolga SAKMAN, TASAM Co-Director of National Defence and Security Institute, Turkey

Speakers

Bob van DILLEN, Cordaid @ MADE Migration and Development, Netherlands

“Migration, Diaspora and Development”

Ayşenur YILMAZ, TASAM, Turkey

“The Effects of Syrian Refugees in the Turkish Labor Market”

Lawyer Uğur YILDIRIM, International Refugee Rights Association, Turkey

“Problems in Refugee Law and Practice”

17. 15 - 17.30 Coffee Break



BUILDING SECTORAL CIVIL DIPLOMACY

Thematic Workshops

09.30 - 11.30 [WORKSHOP 13](#)

Innovation in Diplomacy

Moderator

Dr. Engin SELÇUK, Director of TASAM

Keynote Speaker

Ambassador (R) Prof. Ali Engin OBA, Advisor to TASAM Chairman, Çag University Faculty Member

Speakers

Dr. Mustafa KUTLAY, USAK, Head of European Union Research

Prof. Dr. Ridvan KARLUK, Turgut Özal University Faculty Member

09.30 - 11.30 [WORKSHOP 14](#)

Energy Diplomacy

Moderator

Figen Şaştım, Head of Lawyer Women Platform

Keynote Speaker

Assoc. Prof. Ahmet ÖZTÜRK, Istanbul University Faculty Member

Speakers

Dr. Muharrem Hilmi ÖZEV, Istanbul University Faculty Member

Vural Balık, Expert, Fırat Development Agency Tunceli Investment Office

09.30 - 11.30 [WORKSHOP 15](#)

Intellectual Diplomacy

Moderator

Prof. Esra HATİPOĞLU, President Nişantaşı University

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Ömer Faruk GENÇKAYA, Marmara University Faculty Member



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Speakers

Prof. Sumru ALTUĞ, Koç University Faculty Member

Mehmet TİRAŞ, Vice Chairman of International Strategic Research Center

Sema ÇAPANOĞLU, Senior Expert of Economic Development Foundation

Şahanım Meter, CHP İstanbul, Vice Chairwoman Responsible for NGOs

Discussants

Özgür Aydın, CHP İstanbul, Vice Chairman Responsible for NGOs

Yusuf Erciyas, CHP İstanbul, Vice Chairman Responsible for NGOs

09.30 - 11.30 [WORKSHOP 16](#)

Urban Diplomacy

Moderator

Semra AYDIN AVŞAR, Member of Istanbul Women Academy

Keynote Speaker

Speakers

İsmail Semih ÇALKAYA, Advisor Mayor of Istanbul Metropolitan Area

Yusuf BURKUT, Istanbul Municipality - Head of Urban Planning

Discussants

Cüneyt ARIK, Istanbul Municipality Foreign Relations Africa Coordinator

Serhat ŞALK, Istanbul Municipality Foreign Relations Officer

Bürge Elvan ERGİNLİ - PhD Candidate, Istanbul Technical University, Urban and Regional Planning

11.30 - 13.00 Lunch Break

13.00 - 15.00 [WORKSHOP 17](#)

Diplomacy of Culture and Art

Moderator

Özlem ECE, IKSU Director of Cultural Policies Research

Keynote Speaker

Assoc. Prof. Serhan ADA, Bilgi University Art Culture Management Faculty Member



Speakers

Feride Çelik, Head of Baksi Museum

Ayşe ERDOĞDU, Deputy Head of Topkapi Museum

Abdülkadir FISTIKÇI, Assistant Head of Gaziantep Zeugma Museum

Dr. Mehmet Fetih YANARDAĞ, Kahramanmaraş Municipality Head of Cultural and Social Affairs Office

13.00 - 15.00 [WORKSHOP 18](#)

Food Diplomacy

Moderator

Dr. Necmi DAYDAY, TASAM

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Nevzat ARTIK, Ankara University Head of Food Security Institute

Speakers

Assoc. Prof. İbrahim ÇAKIR, Abant İzzet Baysal University Faculty Member

Dr. Nesrin Kurtar BOZBIYIK, Coordinator, TAGEM Food Research Office

13.00 - 15.00 [WORKSHOP 19](#)

Infrastructural Diplomacy

Moderator

Dr. Engin SELÇUK, Director of TASAM

Keynote Speaker

Füsun NEBİL, Informatics Specialist, Editor of turk-internet.com

Speakers

Adil ZEMBAT, PTT A.Ş Assistant Head

Sadrettin KARAHOCAGİL, Sadrettin KARAHOCAGİL, GAP Office Head

Discussants

İbrahim BOZKURT, Istanbul Municipality Head of Infrastructure Coordination

Akif GÜNDÜZ, Chief, Istanbul Municipality, Infrastructure Coordinator

Kadir YAVUZ, Engineer, Istanbul Municipality Infrastructural Services

13.00 - 15.00 [WORKSHOP 20](#)



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Religious Diplomacy

Moderator

Prof. Nurşin GÜNEY, Yıldız Teknik University Faculty Member

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Mustafa Tekin, Istanbul University Faculty Member

Speakers

Mehmet YILDIRAN, Prime Ministry Office of Foundations

Nedim GÜLSEN, Board Member of Pir Sultan Abdal Association

Zehra PALA, Chairwoman of Atheism Association

15.00 - 15.15 **Coffee Break**

15.15 - 17.15 **WORKSHOP 21**

International Integrations

Moderator

Dr. Bilgehan ALAGÖZ, Marmara University Faculty Member

Keynote Speaker

Prof. Sema KALAYCIOĞLU, TASAM Turkey's Strategic Vision 2023 Project, Executive Board Member

Speakers

Havva TUNÇ, Istanbul University Faculty Member

Dr. Zeynep DAĞI, TOBB ETÜ Faculty Member

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Main Hall

17. 15 - 17.30 **Buffering Time for Main Hall**

17.30 - 18.15 **CLOSING SESSION (COMMON)**