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Athens, 30 June – 3 July 2020

DRAFT THEMATIC AGENDA

Tuesday 30 June 2020

- 09:00 – 09:30 **Registration – Coffee**
- 09:30 – 09:45 **Welcome Remarks**
- 09:45 – 10:00 **Introductions and Orientation**
- 10:00 – 13:00 **The Mediterranean Security Environment**
- 13:00 – 14:00 Light buffet lunch
- 14:00 – 17:00 **New Security Challenges Perceptions. Broadening and Deepening the Security Agenda**

Wednesday 1 July 2020

- 10:00 – 13:00 **Coping with Migration Pressures in the Mediterranean: EU and South European states' perspectives and strategies**
- 13:00 – 14:00 Light buffet lunch
- 14:00 – 17:00 **Greek-Turkish relations in an era of uncertainty and transformation**

Thursday 2 July 2020

- 10:00 – 13:00 **Eastern Mediterranean: The New Geopolitical Landscape, Actors and Processes**
- 13:00 – 14:00 Light Buffet Lunch
- 14:00 – 17:00 **The Geopolitics of Energy in the Eastern Mediterranean**

Friday 3 July 2020

- 10:00 – 13:00 **Dynamics and Challenges for Cooperation in the Eastern Mediterranean**
- 13:00 – 14:00 Light Buffet lunch
- 14:00 – 16:00 **Ambassadors Forum:**
Roundtable Discussion: The Ambassadors of the **United States, Israel, Cyprus**, and representative of the **Greek MFA**. Moderated by the academic coordinators of the programme.
- 16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break
- 16:30 – 17:30 **Closing remarks / Award of Certificates**