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## INVITATION

### EU Integration Webinar Series

#### Concluding Conference

Zoom Platform

30 July 2020

09:45 – 12:30

In framework of the project “**Deliberating socio-economic impact of EU Integration- Albania and shared regional experiences**” being implemented by European Movement in Albania (EMA) in partnership with ELIAMEP and with the financial support of European Union, we have the pleasure to invite you in the Concluding Conference of the project on **30 July 2020, 09:45 – 12:30**, that will be organized online on the **Zoom Platform**.

**This conference** will gather various representatives from public institutions, diplomatic missions, universities and academic institutions, national and local CSOs and media. The activity aims to discuss the EU perspective of the country while presenting the results and outputs of the project. Presentation of the findings of policy papers produced under this project and of the national survey on perceptions of Albanian professionals on Albania’s EU future will be provided during the activity. The project’s goal is to enhance Albanian public awareness of the EU integration as a generator of socio-economic reforms in order to promote the country’s Europeanization, understanding challenges of costs-benefits, by providing specific pre and post-accession shared experiences from Greece, Bulgaria and Rumania.

**A series of online activities (12 in total)** were organized throughout **July 2020** (every **Tuesday, Thursday and Friday**), while an added value has been the contribution of experts and academics from Greece and Bulgaria.

To be part of the Concluding Conference we invite you to register at the link here:

<https://forms.gle/5GMWZpyN5Lz1CopA6>



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- 09:45-10:00**     **Registration of Participants, rules of online communication**
- Panel I:**     **Albania's future on EU: EU accession negotiations process**
- 10:00-10:30**     **The role of non-state actors in the Albania's EU negotiations process**  
*Mr. Gledis Gjipali, Executive Director of European Movement in Albania*
- Western Balkan's accession process: Current and future challenges**  
*Dr. Ioannis Armakolas, Head of the South – East Europe Programme at ELIAMEP, Hellenic Foundation for European & Foreign Policy organization*
- 10:30-10:50**     **Q&A, open discussion with participants**
- Panel II:**     **EU accession process of Albania and lessons learned from Bulgaria, Romania and Greece**  
*Presentation of the conclusions and recommendations of the policy studies and findings of the national survey*
- 10:50– 11:05**     **Understanding EU Accession of Romania and Bulgaria**  
*Nirvana Deliu, Policy researcher, European Movement in Albania*
- 11:05-11:20**     **The Greek experience in EU: What lessons can be learned**
- 11:20-11:50**     **Presentation of Findings and Conclusions of the Survey of the perception of Albanian professionals on European Integration process**  
*Anita Lushi, Researcher AIEN*
- 11:50-12:30**     **Open discussion with participants**