

Invitation

The **Turkey Programme** of the
Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)
is organizing an **online public discussion** on:

“Cooperative Competition or Competitive Cooperation? Russian-Turkish Relations Today”

The Russian-Turkish relationship, which combines striking elements of cooperation and competition, continues to confound observers. From the Caucasus to Libya, from Syria to Ukraine, Ankara and Moscow seek to navigate some of the region's thorniest conflicts amidst continued tensions with Europe and the United States.

Speakers:

Evren Balta, Professor of International Relations, Ozyegin University Faculty of Social Sciences; Senior Scholar, Istanbul Policy Center

Kerim Has, Moscow-based freelance political analyst on Russian & Eurasian affairs

Fyodor Lukyanov, Editor-in-Chief, Russia in Global Affairs; Chairman of the Presidium, Council on Foreign and Defense Policy; Research Director, Valdai Discussion Club

The discussion will be moderated by **Nicholas Danforth**, Non-Resident Senior Research Fellow, Turkey Programme, ELIAMEP.

The event will be held in **English**
on **Wednesday, 5 May 2021** at **16:00-17:00 (EEST)**
and live streaming will be available on the [ELIAMEP website](#)
and on ELIAMEP's official accounts on [YouTube](#) and [Facebook](#).

You may submit **your questions**
prior to and during the live discussion at: events@eliamep.gr