
Delphi Economic Forum VII

26-29 April 2023 in Delphi

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The Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP), Greece's leading European and foreign policy think tank, will be actively present once again at the 2023 Delphi Economic Forum.

Here's our agenda for Wednesday 26 to Saturday 29 April 2023

Wednesday 26 April

14.15 THE FUTURE OF DEMOCRACY: CHALLENGES AND PROBLEMS

Speakers

Kostas Kostis, Professor, Economics & Social History, University of Athens, Greece

Sotirios Rizas, Head, Research Center for the History of Modern Hellenism, Academy of Athens, Greece

Lamprini Rori, Assistant Professor, Political Science & Public Administration, NKUA, Greece

Calliope Spanou, Professor, Political Science and Public Administration, NKUA, Greece

Chair: **Antonis Karakousis**, Senior Editor, To Vima

16.00 EUROPE AFTER PUTIN: A NEW SECURITY ORDER FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

Speakers

William Drozdiak, Global Europe Fellow, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, USA

Wilhelm Molterer, Chairman; Board of Directors, GLOBSEC, Slovakia

Ioannis N. Grigoriadis, Assoc. Prof. & Jean Monnet Chair; Sen.Fellow & Head, Program on Turkey Bilkent Univ.; ELIAMEP

Suzanne Lynch, Chief Brussels Correspondent & Associate Editor, POLITICO, Belgium

Julia De Clerck-Sachsse, Visiting Senior Fellow, GMF, Germany

Chair: **Ivana Dragicevic**, Journalist, Europe's Future Fellow, IWM Vienna, Croatia

17.30 THE DAY AFTER THE WAR IN UKRAINE: A VIEW FROM SOUTHERN EUROPE

Speakers

Pol Morillas, Director, Barcelona Centre for International Affairs (CIDOB), Spain

Charles Powell, Director, Real Instituto Elcano, Spain

Paulo Rangel, Vice-Chairman; EPP Groupgraphics, Vice-President, EPP Party, Social Democratic Party, Portugal

Dorothee Schmid, Head of the Turkey & Middle East Program, IFRI, France

Chair: **George Pagoulatos**, Director General, ELIAMEP, Greece

Thursday 27 April

15.30 THE EAST MED AND THE GREAT POWER POLITICS

Speakers

Julie Fisher, United States Ambassador, Republic of Cyprus

Michalis Chrysochoidis, Minister of Citizen Protection (2019-2021), Hellenic Republic

Alexandros Diakopoulos, Vice Admiral (Ret); National Security Adviser to the PM (2019-2020), Hellenic Republic

Soner Cagaptay, Director of Turkish Research Program, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy

Evangelos Kalpadakis, Diplomatic Advisor to the Leader of the Main Opposition/SYRIZA PA, Hellenic Republic

Henri Barkey, Cohen Prof. Int'l Relations, Lehigh University, Senior Fellow for MidEast Studies, Council on Foreign Relations

Chair: **Alexia Tasouli**, Diplomatic Correspondent, Open TV, Greece

16.40 EUROPE'S COMING OF AGE

Programming Partner: Hellenic Foundation for European & Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)

Speakers

Erik Jones, Director, Robert Schuman Centre, European University Institute, Italy

George Papakonstantinou, Prof., School of Transnational Governance, European University Institute, Italy

Loukas Tsoukalis, President, Hellenic Foundation for European & Foreign Policy, Prof., Sciences Po, Paris

Shahin Vallée, Senior Fellow, German Council on Foreign Relations, Germany

Chair: **Christine Ockrent**, Columnist & Writer, France

Friday 28 April

09.00 CAN EUROPE MEET ITS ILLIBERAL CHALLENGE?

Programming Partner: London School of Economics (LSE)

Speakers

Dimitri A. Sotiropoulos, Professor of Political Science, Political Science and Public Administration Dept, NKUA

Grzegorz Ekiert, Professor of Political Science, Harvard

Heather Grabbe, Senior Advisor, Open Society Foundations; Visiting Professor, University College London

Chair: **Kevin Featherstone**, Director, Hellenic Observatory, London School of Economics, UK

09.00 SECURITY IMPLICATIONS OF NEW OFFSHORES ENERGY FINDINGS IN THE BLACK SEA & EAST MED

Paper prepared by New Strategy Center, Greek Energy Forum and Delphi Economic Forum

Speakers

Sergiu Mitrescu, Program Director, Coordinator of International Relations Department, New Strategy Center

Michalis Mathioulakis, Academic Director of the Greek Energy Forum, University of Macedonia

Chair: **Nik Gowing**, Founder, Thinking the Unthinkable, UK

12.10 SECURING THE BLACK SEA

Programming Partner: Royal United Services Institute (RUSI)

Speakers

Neil Melvin, Director, International Security, RUSI, London

Mustafa Aydın, President, Int'l Relations Council of Türkiye; Prof. Int'l Relations, Kadir Has University, Türkiye

Lazăr Comănescu, Secretary-General, Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization, Türkiye

Natia Seskuria, Founder and Executive Director, Regional Institute for Security Studies, Tbilisi

Maryna Vorotnyuk, Associate Fellow, RUSI, London

Chair: **Odin Linardatou**, Journalist, Head of Media, Hellenic Foundation for European & Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)

15.15 CYBER SECURITY IN GREECE: PRESENTATION OF A RESEARCH

Speakers

Maria Skagou, Vice President, Vodafone Greece

Stratos Fanaras, CEO, Metron Analysis S.A.

Triantafyllos Karatrantos, Senior Research Fellow, Eliamep

George Daglas, Chief of Strategy & Customer Success Officer, Vice President, Obrela Security Industries

Aikaterina Papanikolaou, Member, ADAE, Greece

Chair: **Evi Fragaki**, Anchorwoman, Action 24

Saturday 29 April

10.10 THE WIDER GEOSTRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS OF THE WAR IN UKRAINE

Programming Partner: Atlantic Council

Speakers

Jonathan Cohen, Ambassador (ret); Distinguished Fellow, RUSI; Non Resident Senior Fellow, Atlantic Council, UK

Thanos Dokos, National Security Advisor of Greek Prime Minister

Lazăr Comănescu, Secretary-General, Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization, Turkey

Ronald Meinardus, Mediterranean Program Coordinator, ELIAMEP, Greece

Anna Wieslander, Director, Northern Europe, Atlantic Council, Sweden

Chair: **Katerina Sokou**, Nonresident Senior Fellow, Atlantic Council

10.40 EU DEFENSE INDUSTRY POLICY

Programming Partner: Center for European Policy Studies (CEPS)

Speakers

Karel Lannoo, CEO, Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS), Belgium

Elena Lazarou, Fellow ELIAMEP; Head, External Policies Unit, EU Parliamentary Research Service, Belgium

11.45 A NEW STRATEGY FOR THE EU DEFENSE INDUSTRY: IMPLICATIONS FOR GREECE

Speakers

Thanos Dokos, National Security Advisor to the Prime Minister Hellenic Republic

George Balafas, Regional Councillor, Region of Attica

Elena Lazarou, Fellow ELIAMEP; Head, External Policies Unit, EU Parliamentary Research Service, Belgium

Chair: **Makis Pollatos**, Proto Thema

13.40 THE NEXT DAY OF WESTERN SANCTIONS AGAINST RUSSIA

Speakers

Alexander Cooley, Professor, Columbia University, USA

George Pagoulatos, Director General, ELIAMEP, Greece

Margarita Šešelgytė, Director, Institute of Int’nal Relations & Political Science, Vilnius University, Lithuania

Chair: **Joseph de Weck**, Europe Director, Greenmantle, France

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