

Programme at a glance

Saturday - 1 July 2017

08:30-10:30	Registration
10:30-12:00	Opening Ceremony & Keynote Session
13:30-15:00	Concurrent Panel 1-2-3
15:00-15:30	Coffee Break
15:30-17:00	Concurrent Panel 4-5-6

Sunday - 2 July 2017

09:30-10:00	Keynote Session
10:00-11:30	Roundtable Discussion
13:30-15:00	Concurrent Panel 7-8-9
15:00-15:30	Coffee Break
15:30-17:00	Concurrent Panel 10-11
17:00-17:30	Coffee Break
17:30-18:30	Book Discussion

Day-to-Day Programme

Saturday, July 1st

08:30-10:30 Registration

Opening Ceremony & Keynote Speeches

Professor Alpaslan Ozerdem, President of CESRAN Int., UK

Professor Dusen Kaseinov, TURKSOY Secretary General

10:30-12:00 **Keynote Session:**

Professor Neil Macfarlane, University of Oxford, UK

Professor Tim Jacoby, University of Manchester, UK

Professor Ahmet Davutoglu, Former Prime Minister of Republic of Turkey

Family Photo

ST01: Saturday | Panel | Theme: Geopolitics and Terrorism in Eurasia

Moderator: TBC

- 13:30-15:00
- Alkida Lushaj - Geopolitics in Eurasia
 - Seyfi Kiliç - Linking Water and Security in Central Asia
 - Kamilla Solieva - Militant Islam in Central Asia: Existential Threat or Instrumental Rhetoric?
 - Abdullah Faqih; Bilqis Oktaviani Putri; Tita Yorinda - Comparison of The Growth of Terrorism in Central Asia and Southeast Asia: Origins, and it Shift in the Contemporary Era
 - Kamala Valiyeva - Central Asia at the crossroads of Russian-Turkish cooperation and competition

Discussant: TBC

ST02: Saturday | Panel | Theme: World Politics, Local Reflections

Moderator: TBC

- 13:30-15:00**
- Ali Onur Ozcelik - A Litmus Test For Europe: EU's Neighborhood Policy after the Arab Spring
 - Mustafa Onur Yalçın - Russo-Japanese War and Its Effects on the Muslims of Eurasian Society
 - Gökhan Kaya - The Will to Civilization: Civilization as a Unit of Analysis
 - Adrienne Mae Askali - A Meta-Synthesis Analysis Studies on the Social Movements in the Philippines after the Ferdinand Marcos Era
 - Sopiko Zandaradze & Ali Onur Ozcelik - European Union's Neighbor Policy and Its Implications in Georgia

Discussant: TBC

ST03: Saturday | Panel | Theme: Bilateral Relations and Neighbourhood in Caucasus

Moderator: TBC

- 13:30-15:00**
- Alessia Chiriatti - South Ossetia's war between Russia, Turkey and Europe. A model for regional cooperation and security
 - Larisa Aleksanyan - Turkish-Georgian relations in the context of Turkey's regional policy at the current stage
 - Radiye Funda Karadeniz - Second Track Diplomacy in Turkey-Armenia Relations: Is There Still Has A Chance?
 - Ali Granmayeh - The South Caucasus and the Regional Powers: Contest for Influence and Security

Discussant: TBC

15:00-15:30 Coffee Break

ST04: Saturday | Panel | Theme: South Caucasus, Identity, post-Soviet Transition

Moderator: TBC

- 15:30-17:00**
- Oguzhan Goksel - Debating Azeri Modernity: An Experience of Uneven and Combined Development in the Post-Soviet Space
 - Andranik Israyelyan - Armenia in Eurasia: identity, integration and security
 - Zulfiyya Abdurahimova - State Capacity and Survival of New Democracies: Origins of Failed Democratic Transition in Azerbaijan
 - Christopher Whitsel - Patterns of Inequality during Market Transition: Educational Attainment of Multiple Generations in Former-Soviet Central Asia

Discussant: TBC

ST05: Saturday | Panel | Theme: Conservatism, Multiculturalism, and Everyday Politics in Turkey

Moderator: TBC

- 15:30-17:00**
- Çağlar Ezikoğlu - Rethinking “Conservative Democracy” in the Muslim context: The case of Turkey
 - Seda Ensarioğlu - The New Ghettos: Concepts in Social Sciences
 - Fatih Varol - The Reinvention of the Multicultural Tradition: Changing Dynamics of the Relationship between Non-Muslim Minorities and the State in the Post-Kemalist Turkey
 - Taha Enes Kurtulmuş - New Politics: A Modern Form of Everyday Politics Applicable to Pre-Modern Paradigms

Discussant: TBC

ST06: Saturday | Panel | Theme: Religious Dynamics in Eurasian Politics and Societies

Moderator: TBC

15:30-17:00

- Marian Karagyozev - Official and non-official Islamic actors: the case of Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Usame Yolcu - The role of Christianity and Islam in creating civilizations in Eurasia
- Atsushi Saito, Atsushi Ogihara, Kadikova Samal, Jubatoba Bayan - Cultural Anthropological Study on Life-cycle Rituals of Kazakhs in the Republic of Kazakhstan
- Ibrahim Mirzayev - Conversation across Borders: Azerbaijani Intellectuals in Iran, Ottoman and Russian Empires and Debates on Modernity in the Beginning of XX Century
- Cemile Barışan - What does scholasticism mean for Middle East today - Scholasticism throughout history; a comparison between the West and the East

Discussant: TBC

Sunday, July 2nd

09:00-09:45 **Keynote Session:**
Professor Mehmet Asutay, Durham University, UK

Roundtable Discussion | Theme: Civilisation and World Politics

Moderator: Professor Mehmet Asutay, Durham University, UK

09:45-11:15 **Participant:**
Professor Neil Macfarlane, University of Oxford, UK
Professor Tim Jacoby, University of Manchester, UK
Professor Ibrahim Ozdemir, Uskudar University, Turkey
Professor Murat Cemrek, Necmettin Erbakan University, Turkey

SN01: Sunday | Panel | Theme: Regional security

Moderator: TBC

- Erol Buyukliev - The Conflicts in South Asia in the 21st century and their Significance for the in/security of Europe
- Ali Emre Sucu - The Importance of Russian Military Presence in Central Asia for the Regional Security of Russia
- Muharrem Doğan - What is the main aim of Putin's hybrid warfare strategy in Ukraine?
- **13:00-14:30** Amina Mostefa Della - The Concept of Regional Security in Eurasia: A study of the impact of Russian and Turkish geopolitical thought on the security regional order of both Balkans and Caucasus
- Mehmet Ferhat Fırat - EU-Russia Relations in Light of the Ukraine Crisis; Cooperation to Conflict
- Hanna Zamikula - Implementing Multifaceted Foreign Policy in the Light of European and Eurasian Ideas' Contention: Prospects and Outcomes for Turkey and Ukraine

Discussant: TBC

SN02: Sunday | Panel | Theme: Energy Cooperation, Trade**Moderator: TBC**

- 13:00-14:30**
- Mohid Iftikhar - A Comparative Study of China's Maritime Developments in Greece and Pakistan
 - Umut Ergunsü - Revival of the Silk Road and Turkey - China Cooperation in Eurasia
 - Remziye Yilmaz - The Role of Kazakhstan, Azerbaijan and Turkmenistan in Turkey's Foreign Oil and Natural Gas Strategy
 - Sami Yıldırım - Russian-Chinese Geo-economical Rivalry in the Central Asia

Discussant: TBC

SN03: Sunday | Panel | Theme: Middle East Politics and Societies**Moderator: TBC**

- 13:00-14:30**
- Omar Bortolazzi - From Disenfranchisement to Wealth: The Invention of a Shiite Bourgeoisie in Lebanon between Education, Diaspora, Remittances and Unrepentant Neoliberal Practices
 - Tamas Dudlak - Kurdish relations on new grounds. Ankara and Erbil within the framework energy policy cooperation
 - Segah Tekin - Brazil – Lebanon Relations and the Role of UNIFIL Maritime Task Force
 - Furkan Şahin - Mavi Marmara Case and Sufficient Gravity in International Law

Discussant: TBC

14:30-15:00 Coffee Break

SN04: Sunday | Panel | Theme: Syrian Crisis and World Politics**Moderator: TBC**

- 15:00-16:30**
- Rahman Dağ - Identity Politics in International Relations: the Case of Syria
 - Kulpunai Barakanova - Securitization of Syrian Crisis by Russia, Turkey and Iran
 - Yaşar Sarı - Turkey-Russia Relations Since The Arab Spring

Discussant: TBC

SN05: Sunday | Panel | Theme: Foreign Policy of Turkey

Moderator: TBC

- 15:00-16:30**
- Betül Buzbay Akdemir - Eurasianism in Turkish Foreign Policy
 - Mustafa Cüneyt Özşahin - Civilizational Identity in Turkish Geopolitical Discourse
 - Omid Shokri Kalehsar - Turkey Caspian Sea Policy Second Phase
 - Osamah Mohammed - Turkey and The EU: Strategic deals and interests
 - Guner Ozkan - What does a Full Membership to the Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) Promise Turkey in the Eurasian Geopolitics?

Discussant: TBC

16:30-17:00 Coffee Break

Book Discussion

Moderator: Professor Alp Ozerdem (CESRAN International – UK)

17:00-18:00 **Participant:** Professor Cenap Çakmak (Eskisehir Osmangazi University, Turkey)

Book Title: The Arab Spring, Civil Society, and Innovative Activism
