

SUMMER UNIVERSITY IN GREECE

EURO-MEDITERRANEAN COOPERATION

Monday, July 3 - Saturday, July 9, 2023

Institute of International
Relations

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PROGRAMME

Tuesday, July 4, 2023

- 9:30-10:00 **Opening session** - Welcoming by the two organizers.
- **IDIS: Ino Afentouli**, Executive Director, Institute of International Relations.
- **CIFE: Marie France Perdigon**, Director of the CIFE's Summer University Program

Presentation of the students.

1st session: *The Institutional Framework in the Region: EU and NATO*

- 10:00-11:30 *EU-Mediterranean Relations*
Kostas Lavdas, Professor of European and Comparative Politics, Panteion University.

- 11:30-13:00 *European defence and EU-NATO cooperation*
Marilena Koppa, Professor of Comparative Politics, Panteion University.

- 13:00-14:30 Break

- 14:30-16:00 *NATO's Mediterranean Dialogue*
Ino Afentouli, Executive Director, Institute of International Relations.

Free time for personal visits or organized cultural programme

Wednesday, July 5, 2023

2nd session: *Euro Mediterranean Energy Cooperation*

- 9:00-11:00 *EU Energy cooperation in the Mediterranean area.*
Igor Kolar, Expert in Public Policies and Environment Strategies, Second Secretary, Embassy of the Republic of Croatia in Austria.

- 11:00-12:15 *Energy and Geopolitics in the Eastern Mediterranean Region*
Constantin Maniatopoulos, Energy Consultant, Former Director General for Energy at the European Commission.

- 12:30-14:00 Break

14:00-15:30 **Round table discussion with experts**

- *Energy Transition: Development of renewable energies, climate change and political/security repercussions.* Introduction by **Igor Kolar**, Expert in Public Policies and Environment Strategies; Second Secretary, Embassy of the Republic of Croatia in Austria.

Participants:

- **George Tzogopoulos**, Associate Researcher Begin Sadat Center for Strategic Studies; Lecturer, Democritus University of Thrace; Programme Director, EU-China Programmes at CIFE.
- **Anny Podimata**, Advisor for European Affairs, «Hellenic Production»; former vice-President of the European Parliament.
- **Thrasyvoulos Marketos**, Adjunct Lecturer Eurasia Energy Geopolitics, University of Peloponnese.

Friday, July 7, 2023

3rd session: *Multilateral Cooperation schemes in the Mediterranean: An overview*

09:30-12:30 **Speakers:**

- **Harry Papasotiriou**, Professor of International Relations, Panteion University.
- **George Tzogopoulos**, Associate Researcher Begin Sadat Center for Strategic Studies; Lecturer, Democritus University of Thrace; Programme Director, EU-China Programmes at CIFE.
- **Dimitris Triantafyllou**, Professor of International Politics, Panteion University.

12:30-14:30 Break

14:30-16:30 **Round table discussion**

The Geopolitics of the Eastern Mediterranean - **Participants:**

- **Kostas Ifantis**, Professor of International Relations, Panteion University & Director, Institute of International Relations.
- **Kostas Tsimonis**, Assistant Professor in Chinese Studies, King's College and Panteion University.
- **Ino Afentouli**, Executive Director, IDIS.

Saturday, July 8, 2023

4th session: *Migrations crisis and refugee rights.*

9:30-11:00 *Migration and the European Union: Challenges, Visions, Solutions?*

Laura Spataru-Negura, Lecturer PhD Nicolae Titulescu University; Attorney-at-law, Bucharest, Romania.

11:00-12:00 **Round table discussion** moderated by **Laura Spataru-Negura**

The Migratory Phenomenon and Types of Rights for Migrants

12.00-14:30 **Closing session:** Closing speeches - Certificates' ceremony - Lunch

14:30-16:00 Oral exams for participants wishing to obtain ECTS Credits.

End of the academic programme