

ISTANBUL AYDIN UNIVERSITY
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CONGRESS

“TURKEY AND EURASIA RELATIONS”

MARCH 22, 2013 ISTANBUL

Location: Florya Campus of Istanbul Aydın University

Beşyol Mah. İnönü Cad. No: 38, Sefaköy-Küçükçekmece / İSTANBUL

CONGRESS PROGRAM (TENTATIVE)

09.00 – 09.30 Registration

09.30 – 09.35 Opening Ceremony

Standing at Attention & National Anthem

Daily Program Introduction

09.35 – 10.10 Opening Remarks

Prof.Dr.Yadigar Izmirli, Rector

Dr.Mustafa Aydın, University Board of Trustees Chairman

10.10 – 10.35 Honored Speaker: Mihail Formuzal

President of Gagauziya Autonomus Region in Moldova

10.35 – 11.00 Key Speaker I: Prof.Dr.Hasan Köni (Kultur University)

Human Rights Issues for Eurasia

11.00 – 11.15 Break

FIRST SESSION

SALOON 1

GEOPOLITICS OF EURASIA AND SECURITY CONCERNS

11.15 – 12.45 Moderator: Prof.Dr.Ümit Özdağ (Institute of 21. Century)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr.Tuğçe Varol Sevim

Larry White, J.D. (TOBB University)

U.S. Policy Toward Eurasia

Dimitry Polyanskiy (Deputy CIS Director in Foreign Affairs of Russia)

Current State of Eurasian Economic Integration

Dr. Cui Hongjian (China Insitute of International Studies, CIIS)

China and Eurasia Security

Ganire Paşayeva (Member of Azerbaijan Parliament)

Security Concerns of Eurasia

SECOND SESSION

SALOON 2

RUSSIAN FEDERATION AND EURASIA POLICIES

11.15 – 12.45 Moderator: Prof.Dr. Prof.Dr. Hasan Köni (Kültür University)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr.Zelha Altinkaya

Ph D Zidaru Marian, Ph D Georgescu Stefan

The Development of Russian Army and Role of Russia in Eurasia Security

Prof.Dr. Yaşar Onay (Haliç University)

Unchanged Elements of Russian Foreign Policy

Dr.Ali Asker (Karabuk University)

Possible Effects of Arap Spring over the Post-Soviet Area

Mehmet Zeki Günay (Middle East Technical University)

Russian's Central Asia Policy Since 2000

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch (Hosted)

THIRD SESSION

SALOON 1

NATIONAL POLICIES IN THE CONTEXT OF EURASIA

14.00 – 15.30 Moderator: Prof.Dr.Haydar Çakmak (Gazi University)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr.Tuğçe Varol Sevim

Dr. Louis Fishman (City University of New York)

Israel & Turkey Relations From Eurasia Perspective

Zahid Raza (Foreign Ministry of Pakistan)

Pakistan's Security Concerns - Its Impact on Eurasian Geopolitics

Giray Sadık (Yıldırım Beyazıt University)

Turkish Public Attitudes Toward EU-Decline and Their effects on EU's Eurasian Politics

Ph D Georgescu Stefan, Ph.D Munteanu Marilena, Ph.D Garayev Tabriz

Positions of The States Involved in Energy Projects in South Caucasus

FOURTH SESSION

SALOON 2

TURKEY AND EURASIA

14.00 – 15.30 Moderator: Kamil Veli Nerimanoğlu (Istanbul Aydın University)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr.Zelha Altinkaya

Dr.Tümen Somuncuoğlu (Gazi University)

Shared Identity Building For The Security of Turkestan

Darhan Hıdıreli (Turkish Council, Kazakhstan)

Turkey-Kazakhstan Relations

Assoc.Prof.Dr.Bariş Doster (Marmara University)

Turkey's Relations with Rising Powers of Eurasia

Dr.Aşkın İnci Sökmen

Turkish Identity Based Network in Central Asia.

Assoc.Prof.Dr. Sait Yılmaz (Istanbul Aydın University)

Defence Reforms and Military Balance in Eurasia

FIFTH SESSION

SALOON 3

EURASIANISM

14.00 – 15.30 Moderator: Prof.Dr. İbrahim S. Canbolat (Bursa Uludağ University)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr.Ateş Uslu

Prof.Dr. Kamil Veli Nerimanoğlu (Istanbul Aydın University)

The New Eurasianism

Dr.Toğrul Veli

Silk Way and New Eurasianism

Asst.Prof.Dr.Ateş Uslu (Istanbul Aydın University)

Russian Imperial Idea and Eurasianism in Historical Perspective

Asst.Prof.Dr. Çağla Gül Yesevi (Istanbul Kultur University)

Role of IOs to Integration Process of Eurasia

SALOON 1

15.30 – 16.00 Key Speaker II: Prof.Dr.Ali Hasanov (Presidency of Azerbaijan)

Azerbaijan Strategic Interests & Turkish Approach to Caspian Security

16.00 – 16.15 Break

SIXTH SESSION

SALOON 1

EURASIA AND ENERGY SECURITY

16.15 – 17.45 Moderator: Prof.Dr.Hasan Saygın (Istanbul Aydın University)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr. Tuğçe Varol Sevim

Dr. Süreyya Yiğit (ORSAM - Eurasia Advisor)

Pipe-dreams and Pipelines: Securing Energy in Greater Central Asia

Asst.Prof.Dr. Tuğçe Varol Sevim (Istanbul Aydın University)

Importance of TANAP in Competition Between Russia and Central Asia

Asst.Prof.Dr. Filiz Katman (Istanbul Aydın University)

Eurasia: Great Transformation

Asst.Prof.Dr. Abbas Karağaçlı (Giresun University)

Status of Caspian Sea and Iran's Approach

SEVENTH SESSION

SALOON 2

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS OF EURASIA

16.15 – 17.45 Moderator: Prof.Dr.Güneri Akalın (İstanbul Aydın University)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr.Zelha Altinkaya

Asst.Prof.Dr. Ramazan Kurtoğlu (Istanbul Aydın University)

Economy and Security in Eurasia

Asst.Prof.Dr. Zelha Altinkaya (Istanbul Aydın University)

The Influences of Globalization on Market Structures of Asian Countries

Yahya Bacak (Eurasian Universities Union)

Educational Cooperation in Eurasia

Hanifi Çakır (Uigur Academy of Istanbul)

Human Rights Model for Asia

EIGHT SESSION

SALOON 3

CHINA AND EURASIA SECURITY

16.15 – 17.45 Moderator: Prof.Dr. Yaşar Hacısalihoğlu (Yeni Yüzyıl University)

Reporter: Asst.Prof.Dr.Çiğdem Özarı

Assoc.Prof.Dr.Konuralp Ercilasun (Gazi University)

The Future of China and Eurasia

Assoc.Prof.Dr.Kutay Karaca & Burak Divarçı (Turkish War Academies)

Shanghai Cooperation Organisation in Light of Neo-Functionalism

Dr. Demirhan Fahri Erdem (Gazi University)

Eurasia Geograpy Perceptions at the Triangle of Imperialism, Articulation to Imperialism System and Anti-imperialism

Erkin Ezizi (Eastern Turkestan Information Bureau-Istanbul)

Chinese Policy Toward Eastern Turkestan

17.45-18.00 Closing Remark (Rector Prof.Dr. Yadigar İzmirli)

18.00 Closing