## **Turkish-Greek Media Academy Forum Panels**

"Exploring Common Interests and Opportunities for Cooperation"

Date: May 11, 2024

**Location:** The Marmara Taksim

Program:

Welcome Speech: 11:00-11:10

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Enes Bayrakli, Deputy Chair of Türkiye Research Foundation

**Keynote Speeches - 11:10 - 11:30** 

Kostas Fragoyiannis, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Greece (Video message)

Prof. Dr. Fahrettin Altun, Head of Communications of the Republic of Turkiye

Panel I: Areas of Economic Cooperation between Turkey and Greece - 11:30 – 12:45

Moderator: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Enes Bayrakli, Deputy Chair of Turkiye Research Foundation

**Speakers:** 

Adnan Polat – Chairman of Turkish Greek Business Council

Byron Nikolaides - Chairman and CEO of PeopleCERT

Prof. Nikolaos Vettas – Professor, Athens University of Economics and Business and General Director, Foundation for Economic and Industrial Research - IOBE

Prof. Dr. Zuhal Mert Uzuner- Marmara University

Coffee Break: 12:45-13:15

Panel II: Potential for Partnership in Tourism – 13:15 – 14:30

**Moderator:** Prof. Konstantinos Filis, American College of Greece, Director of Institute of Global Affairs (IGA)

**Speakers:** 

Panagiotis Christofas - Mayor of Mytilini

Maria Sarafoglou - Director of Aegean Airlines Turkiye

Prof. Dr. Volkan Altıntas- İzmir Katip Celebi University- Association of Tourism Writers and Journalists Board Member

Ioanna Dretta - President of Marketing Greece, CEO of REDS S.A, Ellaktor group

Alen Lepan- Daily Sabah Economy News Editor