Thursday May 22nd, 2025 High Commission of the Republic of Cyprus to the UK

Registrations | 9:30 - 10:00

Welcome Address | 10:00

Nicolas Kyriakides, Executive President, Cyprus Forum

Keynote Addresses | 10:05

Irene Piki, Deputy Minister to the President, Republic of Cyprus

Victoria Billing, FCDO Director Europe





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Panel Discussion | Regional Visions from Europe to Asia in a Fragmenting World Order

Kyriacos Kouros, High Commissioner of Cyprus to the UK

Sherif Kamel, Ambassador of Egypt to the United Kingdom

Uran Ferizi, Albanian Ambassador to UK and Ireland, Embassy of Albania

Emel Akçalı, Senior Lecturer , Defence Studies, King's College London

Violette Khairallah, Former Minister of State, Lebanon

Moderator: George Hadjipavli, Programme Coordinator, The Eastern Mediterranean Programme at Oxford



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Panel Discussion | Cyprus: Prospects for the future through the eyes of the diaspora

Dr. İlke Dağlı-Hustings, Director General, SeeD

Katie Bedrossian, Vice President, NEPOMAK

Christos Karaolis, President, National Federation of Cypriots in the UK

Bambos Charalambous, Member of Parliament for Southgate and Wood Green, House of Commons

Jim Jacovides, Managing Director, Europe, Fortune Media

Anastasia Dimiski, LSE Hellenic Observatory

Moderator: Latika Bourke, The Nightly



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Panel Discussion | Recalibrating EU–UK Relations in a Shifting World

Pedro Serrano, European Union Ambassador to the UK Anna Koukkides-Procopiou, President, Politeia Think Tank Robert Ondrejcsak, European Leadership Network (ELN) Constantin Cotzias, European Director, Bloomberg LP Moderator: Iain Begg, LSE



