

Dear friends and partners,

We cordially invite you to the **"Study in Greece: 3 Years of Internationalization - Reflecting on the Past; Gazing into the Future of Higher Education" Event**. The Event, which will take place on November 15, 2023, is organized under the auspices of the Ministry of Education, Religious Affairs, and Sports, and will be hosted at the Ministry's premises. During the Event, Mr. Nikos Megrelis will serve as the Moderator.

Study in Greece (SiG), backed by four Greek Ministries (the Ministry of Education, Religious Affairs, and Sports, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Culture, and the Ministry of Tourism), has been dedicated to its mission, which is the extroversion of Greek universities and the promotion of Greek higher education and provision of international student services. This event marks a pivotal moment in SiG's journey as we reflect on our accomplishments, share our vision for the future and highlight the benefits of internationalization on the economy and the society, in general. Your presence as our esteemed guest would be an honor.

SiG remains unwavering in its mission and firmly believes that these efforts not only elevate Greek higher education but also positively impact Greece's various sectors and the broader society.

We anticipate that your participation will enrich our discussions and strengthen our shared commitment to the elevation of Greece as a whole.

To formally confirm your attendance, we kindly request you to [click here](#) for the purpose of registration. Additionally, you may peruse [our website](#) for comprehensive information pertaining to this event

We sincerely hope you can join us in celebrating progress and shared aspirations. Your presence will undoubtedly enhance the success of this event and offer valuable insights into the benefits SiG's initiatives bring.

Warm regards,

Prof. Christos Michalakelis

*President of Study in Greece*

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# STUDY IN GREECE

## 3 Years of Internationalization

“Reflecting on the Past  
Gazing into the Future of Higher Education”

### AGENDA

15th, NOVEMBER 2023

11:00 - 12:00

#### Session 1: Reflecting on the Past

- **Minister Kyriakos Pierrakakis** - Ministry of Education, Religious Affairs and Sports
- **Deputy Minister Alexandra Papadopoulou** - Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- **Deputy Minister Elena Rapti** - Ministry of Tourism
- **Panagiota Dionysopoulou (Ph.D.)** - Head of the Directorate of Tourism Policy, Ministry of Tourism
- **Polyxeni Adam Veleni (Ph.D.)** - Head of Directorate of Antiquities and Cultural Heritage, Ministry of Culture
- **Prof. Dimitris Bouradonis** - Rector of the Athens University of Economics and Business, President of the Rectors Assembly
- **Prof. Christos Michalakelis** - President of Study in Greece. Topic: “Reflecting on the past”

12:00 - 12:30

#### Coffee Break

12:30 - 14:00

#### Session 2: Gazing into the Future of Higher Education

- **Secretary General Ulysses Zoras (Ph.D.)** - Ministry of Education, Religious Affairs and Sports
- **Prof. Christos Michalakelis** - President of Study in Greece. Topic: “Gazing into the Future of Higher Education”
- **Yota Paparidou** - President of the Board, SEPE -The Federation of Hellenic ICT Enterprises
- **George Vasilopoulos (Ph.D.)** - Executive Consultant of the Hellenic Union, Pharmaceutical Industry
- **Albertos Bourlas** - Telco Channel Lead, Central-Eastern Europe, Middle-East & Africa, Microsoft
- **Alexandros Vasilikos** - President of the Hellenic Chamber of Hotels (HCH) (TBC)
- **Q&A Engagement**

14:00

#### Session 3: Luncheon Reception



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