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BIP: Teaching and Studying Turkish Politics through Literature

Host Institute: Department of Turkish Studies and Modern Asian Studies, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

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PHYSICAL PART IN ATHENS: 13-17 May 2024

PROGRAM

Monday 13 May

WHERE: Institute's Building: Dragatsaniou str. 4, 4th Floor, Classroom 411

10.30: Arrival and registration (10.30-11.00)

11.00: Welcome

11.15: Introduction to the program of the physical part (who, what, where)

11.30: **Eleni Sella** (Chair of the Department, Prof.) and **Rika Rompopoulou**, (PhD, Teaching Staff NKUA): *Minority and immigrant languages in Greece today.*

12.45: **Fulvio Bertuccelli** (PhD, Research Fellow, Sapienza University of Rome): *Issues of Anticommunism, Ideology and National Identity during the Cold War in Turkey.*

Discussion

14.15-15.00: BREAK/Welcome Reception

WHERE: Bookstore "O Politis" (Mavromichali str. 84 & Kallidromiou str.)

15.15: **Christina Sanlioglou** (Teaching Staff NKUA / PhD Cand.): *The work of Yaşar Kemal.*

16.30-18.30: **Roundtable/Discussion with Publishers** (Politis/Tsoukatou, Vakchikon etc).

Tuesday 14 May

WHERE: Institute's Building: Dragatsaniou str. 4, 4th Floor, Classroom 411

13.00 **Konstantinos Gogos** (Assoc. Prof.): *The intellectual pillar in/of the Turkish Islamic movement and Necip Fazıl Kısakürek.*

BREAK 30 min.

15.00: **Maro Mavropoulou** (Ret. Assist. Prof.): *National Literature and Halide Edip Adıvar.*

16.30: **Efi Kanner** (Assoc. Prof.): *Literature as a tool of self-narrative and feminist intervention (Fatma Aliye, Nezihe Muhiddin & Halide Edib).*

18.00-19.00: Discussion

Wednesday 15 May

WHERE: Institute's Building: Dragatsaniou str. 4, 4th Floor, Classroom 411

11.00: **Helena Gonzalez Vaquerizo** (Assoc. Prof., UAM): *Ottoman atmospheres and characters in Kazantzakis's novels.*

12.30: **Darina Martykanova** (Assoc. Prof., UAM): *In the Wilderness: scientists, physicians and engineers remembering the last decades of the Empire and the first decades of the Republic.*

Discussion

BREAK 14.00-14.30

14.30 – 18.00: **Workshop: Students' presentations of written essays**

Thursday 16 May

WHERE: Institute's Building: Dragatsaniou str. 4, 4th Floor, Classroom 411

11.00: **Carmen Rodriguez Lopez** (Assoc. Prof., UAM): *"Women writers and political context in Turkey".*

12.30 : **Thanos Zaragalis** (Translator of Turkish literature): *The work of Ayşe Kulin.*

Discussion

14.00 - 14.45 BREAK

14.45 – 17.30: **Workshop: Students' presentations of written essays**

WHERE: Cultural Center of the Imvrian Association (El. Venizelou str. 80, Nea Smyrni)

18.15: **Kostas Christoforidis** (Vice President of the Imvrian Association-Athens): *The Greeks of Imvros*

18.45: **Discussion** with Kostas Christoforidis.

Friday 17 May

WHERE: School of Economics and Political Sciences, 5th Floor, Classroom 11

9.30: **Antonis Deriziotis** (Lecturer): *The Kurdish issue and the AKP government: from a fresh political statement to an old approach.*

11.00: **Mihalis Sarlis** (PhD, NKUA Teaching Staff): *Turkey and the Middle East: the AKP's interplay between domestic and regional politics.*

Discussion

12.30-13.00 BREAK

WHERE: Institute's Building: Dragatsaniou str. 4, 4th Floor, Classroom 411

13.00: **Workshop: Students' presentations of written essays**

15.30-16.30: Wrap-up session / Conclusions

16.30-17.30: Closing event

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