

TURKEY, PAKISTAN AND CENTRAL ASIA: PARTNERSHIP FOR PEACE

International Conference

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PROGRAM (Draft)

16 February 2021

09:30 - 10:00 Opening Speeches

10:00 - 10:15 Coffee Break

10:15 - 12:15 Session I

New Period, New Opportunities, New Collaborations

Connectivity, Markets and Regional Trade

Dr. Salman SHAH, Adviser for Economic Affairs, Planning and Development to Chief Minister, Province of the Punjab, Pakistan

Collaboration Provided by The Pandemic

Prof.Dr. Esra HATIPOĞLU, Chair of DIPAM Advisory Board, Turkey

New TAP Cooperation Strategy: Initiatives for Sustainable Regional Development and Peace

Dr. Vugar BAYRAMOV, Chairman of CESD, Azerbaijan

Communication Enforced by International Trade

Prof.Dr. Sedat AYBAR, Istanbul Aydın University, Turkey

Central Asia: Prospects of Intra and Inter Regional Trade

Dr. Meruert MAKHMUTOVA, PPRC, Kazakhstan



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Effects of Non-Regional Cooperation on The Region: EU, NATO, SCO
*Prof.Dr. Mesut Hakkı CAŞIN, Member of DİPAM Advisory Board / Member of
Presidency Security and Foreign Policy Board, Turkey*

12:15 - 13:30

Lunch

13:30 - 15:30

Session II

Building Today for Common Future

The Origins of Indo-Turkic Culture and Civilizational Exchange
*Dr. Arshad ISLAM, Department of History & Civilization in International Islamic
University, Malaysia*

Collaboration of Turkey with Central Asian States in Education
*Prof.Dr. Cengiz TOMAR, Member of DİPAM Advisory Board / Acting Rector of
Ahmet Yesevi University, Kazakhstan*

Higher Education Needs of The Region in The CPEC Era
*Dr. Asghar ZAIDI, Vice Chancellor of Lahore Government College University,
Pakistan*

New Vision on Cultural Identity
*Amb. (R) Aydın NURHAN, Former Representative of the Organization of
Islamic Cooperation to Afghanistan, Turkey*

Emerging Alternative Global Order and Central and West Asia: Opportunities
and Challenges
Awais RAOOF, Chairman of University of Lahore, Pakistan

Effects of Middle Corridor
Prof.Dr. Mehmet Akif OKUR, Yıldız Technical University, Turkey

15:30 - 15:45

Coffee Break

15:45 - 17:45

Session III

Obstacles to Peace and Common Attempts to Cope



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Security for Peace in The Region
Prof.Dr. Poyraz GÜRSON, Kocaeli University, Turkey

Pakistan, Turkey and the States of Central Asia- Building a Community for
Peace and Prosperity
*Amb. Nazir HUSSAIN, Executive Director of Lahore Center for Peace Research,
Pakistan*

Common Approach to Local and Global Conflicts
Prof.Dr. Özden Zeynep OKTAV, Istanbul Medeniyet University, Turkey

Security Vulnerabilities, Terrorism and Covid-19: Challenges of 2021
Dr. Andreea KARADELI, GCSP Visiting Fellow, Romania

Topic awaited.
Michael KUGELMAN, Director of Wilson Center, USA

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10:00 - 12:30

Round Table Meeting