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CHALLENGES***

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Dates: Thursday, June 15 – Saturday, June 17, 2006

Venue: METU Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences (FEAS) Building B

REGISTRATION

Registration and Information Desk is located on the first floor of the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences (FEAS) Building B. The desk is open at the following times:

Thursday, June 15	9:00-17:30
Friday, June 16	9:00-17:30
Saturday, June 17	9:00-13:00

BADGE

Participants should kindly wear name badges during the Conference. Name badges will be provided in participants' conference packs at the Registration Desk.

SESSIONS

Sessions are moderated by Chairs who monitor and administer the meetings. Each paper will be presented for about 20 minutes, and will be followed by a brief discussion. The Chair may decide and change the order of presentations as well as time allocated for each presentation.

CONFERENCE COCKTAIL

The Chair of the Department of International Relations invites all participants to the cocktail at the front garden of the Department of International Relations, Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences B-Building (FEAS-B). The cocktail will take place on Thursday, June 15 between 18:00-20:00.

LUNCHES

On June 15, June 16 and June 17, lunch will be served at the FEAS Building B. Participants will be provided lunch vouchers in their conference packs.

CONFERENCE DINNER

Conference Dinner will be held on June 16, at 19:30 at the Dafne Restaurant. Participants will be provided with an invitation card in their conference packs.

ACCOMMODATION

Invited speakers are hosted at the METU Guest House and the Bilkent Hotel. Conference participants are provided accommodation at the Bilkent Hotel, and METU Dormitories. There will be ring services during the Conference from the Hotels to the Conference venue.

POST OFFICES AND BANKS

There is a post office on campus. There are also branches of some Turkish banks (Ziraat Bankası, İş Bankası, Vakıfbank, Yapı Kredi Bankası, Akbank, and Garanti Bankası) next to the post office.

PROGRAM**JUNE 15, 2006 / THURSDAY****REGISTRATION**Time: **09:00-17:30**Place: **FEAS Building B****OPENING CEREMONY**Time: **10:30-11:00**Place: **FEAS BUILDING B, G-111****Prof. Dr. Ural Akbulut (Rector, METU, Turkey)****Prof. Dr. Şinasi Aksoy (Dean, Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, METU, Turkey)****Prof. Dr. Meliha B. Altunışık (Chair, Department of International Relations, METU, Turkey)****KEYNOTE SPEECH**Time: **11:00-12:30**Place: **FEAS BUILDING B, G-111**Chair: **Prof. Dr. Meliha B. Altunışık (METU, Turkey)****Barry Buzan (London School of Economics, UK)**
*The "Global War on Terrorism" as the new Cold War?***LUNCH BREAK / 12:30-14:00**

SESSIONS – 1 / 14:00-15:30**Session 1-A. Afghanistan and Global Security**Time: **14:00-15:30**Place: **G-101**Chair: **Duygu Sezer (Bilkent University, Turkey)****Barnett R. Rubin (New York University, USA)***Afghanistan: State Building, Democratization, and Global Security in the Era of the Long War on Terror***Session 1-B. Cyprus I**Time: **14:00-15:30**Place: **G-102**Chair: **Oktar Türel (METU, Turkey)****Colin Jennings (Former Chief Executive of Wilton Park, UK)***The Impact of Cyprus on Regional Security***Ergun Olgun (Former Undersecretary of the President of TRNC)***Turkish Cypriot Security Needs***Session 1-C. International Security, International Law: UN & Beyond**Time: **14:00-15:30**Place: **G-104**Chair: **İhsan Dağı (METU, Turkey)****Erwin Schmidl (National Defence Academy, Austria)***Peace Operations - into the 21st Century***Şaban Kardaş (University of Utah, USA & Sakarya Univ., Turkey)***Humanitarian Intervention and World Order: An International Society Approach***Hüseyin Güzeler (MFA, Turkey)***Pre-emptive Strike in International Law***Mehmet Öncü (Izmir Economy University, Turkey)***UN Peacekeeping Operations as an Instrument of Maintenance of International Peace and Security*

Session 1-D. Migration ITime: **14:00-15:30**Place: **G-106**Chair: **Fulya Kip Barnard (METU, Turkey)****Kemal Kirişçi (Bogazici University, Turkey)***Limits of Conditionality: Challenges to Harmonizing Turkish Refugee Policy to the EU Acquis***Gesche Karenbrook (UNCHR, Turkey)***Turkey's Borders: Human Security and Asylum***Marie Lindstörn (International Organization for Migration)***Human Security and Migration***COFFEE BREAK / 15:30-16:00****SESSIONS – 2 / 16:00-17:30****Session 2-A. Turkey: Contending Views on Security**Time: **16:00-17:30**Place: **G-101**Chair: **Sevilay Kahraman (METU, Turkey)****Zerrin Torun (University of Sussex, UK & METU, Turkey)***Societal (In) Security at Work? : Turkish anti-EU Sentiments***Hasan Ulusoy (MFA, Turkey) (not presented)***A Constructivist Appraisal of Turkey-EU Relations with Special Emphasis on Security Dimension***Özlem Kaygusuz (Mersin University, Turkey) (not presented)***Securitisation, National Security and Identity: A Methodological Discussion on the Analysis of Turkish-US Relations***Session 2-B. Nuclear Weapons / International Terrorism**Time: **16:00-17:30**Place: **G-102**Chair & Discussant: **Mustafa Kibaroglu (Bilkent University, Turkey)****Steven Miller (Harvard University, USA)***Nuclear Weapons & International Terrorism*

Session 2-C. Water & International Security

Time: **16:00-17:30**

Place: **G-104**

Chair: **Şinasi Aksoy (METU, Turkey)**

Jan Selby (University of Sussex, UK)

Drying Up Hamas: The Israeli-Palestinian Water Issue After the Peace Process

Ayşegül Kibaroğlu, İlhan Sağsen, Özlem Kaplan (METU, Turkey)

Turkey-Syria Security Relations within the Context of Water and Terrorism: Implications of the 1998 Adana Accord

Session 2-D. Theoretical Approaches to Security I

Time: **16:00-17:30**

Place: **G-106**

Chair: **Oktay Tanrıseven (METU, Turkey)**

Dirk Kotze (University of South Africa, Republic of South Africa)

The “Failed State” and International Security

H. Tark Oğuzlu (Bilkent University, Turkey) (*not presented*)

The Rise of State as a Security Actor Again and Again

Serap Toramanoğlu (METU, Turkey)

Security: Is it all about “Realpolitik”?

CONFERENCE COCKTAIL

Time: **18:00-20:00**

Place: **Middle East Technical University
Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences
Department of International Relations
Building - B**

16 JUNE 2006 / FRIDAY

REGISTRATIONTime: **09:00-17:30**Place: **FEAS Building B**

SESSIONS – 3 / 09:30-11:00

Session 3. New Perspectives on SecurityTime: **09:30-11:00**Place: **G-101**Chair: **Atila Eralp (METU, Turkey)****Adrian Hyde-Price (University of Leicester, UK)***Reflections on International Security in the Twenty-First Century:
Thoughts of a British Realist***Ann Tickner (University of Southern California, USA)***Global Security: Some Feminist Reformulations*

COFFEE BREAK / 11:00-11:30

SESSIONS – 4 / 11:30-13:00

Session 4-A. Energy Security ITime: **11:30-13:00**Place: **G-101**Chair: **Alaeddin Tileylioğlu (METU, Turkey)****Necdet Pamir (ASAM, Turkey)***Global Energy Security and the Role for Turkey***Robert Cutler (Carleton University, Canada)***Geopolitics of Central Asian Energy and the Structuration of the
Emerging International System***Tuncay Babalı (Deputy Chief of Cabinet to the President, Turkey)***Caspian Energy Security*

Session 4-B. Balkans

Time: **11:30-13:00**

Place: **G-102**

Chair: **Dimitri Tsarouhas (METU, Turkey)**

D. Arıkan Açar (METU, Turkey)

Small State Security in the Balkans

Dilek Latif (Near East University, TRNC)

Lessons Learnt from Bosnia and Herzegovina for Kosovo? The Flawed Approach to Peace-building

Feride Ash Ergül (METU, Turkey)

A Historical Analysis of Turkey's Inside and Outside Security Concern: the Greeks

Session 4-C. Transatlantic Security

Time: **11:30-13:00**

Place: **G-104**

Chair: **Ali Karaosmanoğlu (Bilkent University, Turkey)**

Reinhard Wolf (Universität Greifswald, Germany)

America as the 'Other'? Europe's Security and Defence Identity in a Social Identity Perspective

Zdzislaw Mach (Uniwersytet Jagiellonski, Poland)

European Identity, EU Enlargement, Common Foreign Policy and Security Issues

Hüseyin Bağcı (METU, Turkey)

Transatlantic Security Relations: A Turkish Perspective

Session 4-D. Analysing Securitisation Processes: Securitisation Theory and its Application in Different Regional Contexts

Time: **11:30-13:00**

Place: **G-106**

Chair: **Cem Deveci (METU, Turkey)**

André Barrinha (University of Coimbra, Portugal)

The Accidental Hero: Europe and Conflict Resolution in the Neighbourhood

Bezen Balamir Coskun (Loughborough University,UK) (not presented)

A Framework for Analysing Palestinian Conflict: Analysing Securitisations and Prospects for Reconciliation

Birgöl Demirtaş-Coşkun (Baskent University,Turkey)

Migration and Europe: Toward a More Securitized Policy?

LUNCH BREAK / 13:00-14:00

SESSIONS – 5 / 14:00-15:30

Session 5.A. The US & The Middle East

Time: **14:00-15:30**

Place: **G-101**

Chair: **Gökhan Çetinsaya (İTÜ & SETA, Turkey)**

Lenore G. Martin (Emmanuel College & Harvard University, USA)

U.S. Foreign Policy in the Middle East: A Critique

Mohamed Kadry Said (El Ahram Centre for Political and Strategic Studies, Egypt)

The Greater Middle East: A New Strategic Look

Session 5-B. Eurasian Security I

Time: **14:00-15:30**

Place: **G-102**

Chair: **Mustafa Aydın (TOBB-ETÜ, Turkey)**

Roger Kangas (George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Germany)

Assessing the Impact of 9/11 on Central Asian Security: Redefining Goals and Priorities

Elkhan Mehdiyev (Peace & Conflict Resolution Centre, Azerbaijan)

Security Policies of the South Caucasian Nations

Session 5-C. Theoretical Approaches to Security II

Time: **14:00-15:30**

Place: **G-104**

Chair: **Zana Çitak (METU, Turkey)**

Nilüfer Karacasulu Göksel & Elif Uzgören (Dokuz Eylül University, Turkey)

Constructivism and Security Studies in terms of European integration

Başak Kale (Oxford University, UK & METU, Turkey)

Establishing Linkages between Policy Areas: Bringing Security Conceptualization to Europeanization through EU Law

Ahmet Selim Tekelioğlu (SETA & METU, Turkey)

Contributions to the Questions of Security in the Middle East: Critical Security Studies Approach

Session 5-D. Cyprus II

Time: **14:00-15:30**

Place: **G-106**

Chair: **Ramazan Gözen (Çankaya University, Turkey)**

Michael Moran (Bellapais, TRNC)

Cyprus and International Security: A Plea for More Realistic Perspective

Zeliha Sezgin Khashman (Near East University, TRNC)

The Dilemmas of Conflict Transformation-Lessons from Cyprus

Kıvanç Ulusoy (Center for European Studies, METU, Turkey)

Europeanization of Turkey and its Impacts on Cyprus Question

COFFEE BREAK / 15:30-16:00

SESSIONS – 6 / 16:00-17:30

**Session 6-A. Europe's Military Contribution to Global Security
(Roundtable organised by the Foreign Policy Institute, Turkey)**

Time: **16:00-17:30**

Place: **Blue Seminar Room**

Seyfi Taşhan (President, Foreign Policy Institute, Turkey)

Reşat Arım Ambassador (Rtd.) (Member of the Board, Foreign Policy Institute, Turkey)

Oktay Aksoy, Ambassador (Rtd.) (Member of the Board, Foreign Policy Institute, Turkey)

Session 6-B. Migration II

Time: **16:00-17:30**

Place: **G-102**

Chair: **Aykan Erdemir (METU, Turkey)**

Özlen Çelebi (Hacettepe University, Turkey)

Turning The Picture Upside-Down: Where Should Migrants Stay in The Security Picture Of States?

Vakur Sümer (Selcuk University & METU, Turkey)

The Role Of Civil Society In Migration Politics in Greece: From Securitisation Toward A More Humane And Social Understanding?

Sedef Eylemer & Sühal Şemşit (Dokuz Eylül University, Turkey)

Migration-Security Nexus in Euro-Mediterranean Relations

Session 6-C. EU Security

Time: **16:00-17:30**

Place: **G-104**

Chair: **Tarık Oğuzlu (Bilkent University, Turkey)**

Murat Gül (Suleyman Demirel University & METU, Turkey)

CFSP: A Return to Civilizational Geopolitics?

Mehmet Yiğit Tezcan (Free Univ. of Brussels (VUB), Belgium)

The Political Economy of the EU's Security Actorness

Joshua Walker (Yale University, USA)

Towards a Common Transatlantic Agenda

Session 6-D. Theoretical Approaches to Security III

Time: **16:00-17:30**

Place: **G-106**

Chair: **Özlem Tür (METU, Turkey)**

Cem Deveci (METU, Turkey)

Originary and Derivative Meanings of Security and Their Compliance with Human Rights Norms

M. Murat Yurtbilir (METU, Turkey)

Dilemma of Critical Security Studies: How to Reconcile Security with Emancipatory Project of Critical Theory?

Levent Kırval (Dogus University, Turkey)

International Security Through Further Modernity

17 JUNE 2006 / SATURDAY

REGISTRATION

Time: **09:00-13:00**

Place: **FEAS Building B**

SESSIONS – 7 / 10:00-11:15

Session 7.A - Middle East

Time: **10:00-11:15**

Place: **G-102**

Chair: **Pınar Bilgin (Bilkent University, Turkey)**

Raymond A. Hinnebusch (University of St. Andrews, Scotland)

IR Theory and the Iraq War

Session 7-B. Energy Security II

Time: **10:00-11:15**

Place: **G-104**

Chair: **Robert Cutler (Carleton University, Canada)**

Emre İşeri (Keele University, UK)

Geopolitics of Oil and Pipelines in the Eurasian Heartland

Şebnem Udum (Bilkent University, Turkey)

Turkey's Plans for Peaceful Nuclear Technology Transfer Amid Debates on Energy and Security

Session 7-C. South Asia

Time: **10:00-11:15**

Place: **G-106**

Chair: **Hüseyin Bağcı (METU, Turkey)**

Imran Iqbal (Forman Christian College, Pakistan)

*Interplay between Global Considerations and Regional Dynamics:
Security Dilemma in South Asia*

Yahya Muhaimin (University of Al-Azhar, Indonesia)

*Understanding Security Complex in East Asia; Problem and Prospect
for Peace in the Region*

COFFEE BREAK / 11:15-11:30

SESSIONS – 8 / 11:30-13:00

Session 8-A. Political Economy of Peace Processes

Time: **11:30-13:00**

Place: **G-101**

Chair: **Ayşegül Kibaroğlu (METU, Turkey)**

Jan Selby (University of Sussex, UK)

*The Global Political Economy of Peace Processes: The Israeli-
Palestinian and India-Pakistan Cases*

Session 8-B. Eurasian Security II

Time: **11:30-13:00**

Place: **G-102**

Chair: **Ceylan Tokluoğlu (METU, Turkey)**

Selçuk Çolakoğlu (Adnan Menderes University, Turkey)

*Security Structure of the Black Sea Region in the Context of New
Challenges*

Zarghona Mangal (University of Gothenburg, Sweden)

(not presented)

*International Human Rights Norms in Conflict with the new Afghan
Constitution*

Fırat Pürtaş (Gazi University, Ankara)

*The Greater Central Asia Initiative and Its Impacts on Eurasian
Security*

Session 8-C. Theoretical Approaches to Security IV

Time: **11:30-13:00**

Place: **G-104**

Chair: **Zana Çitak (METU, Turkey)**

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North-South Militarized Violence

Nejat Doğan (Erciyes University, Turkey)
Managing Power Relations Through Security Regimes

M. Serdar Palabıyık (METU, Turkey)
The Concept of 'Space' and Its Centrality in Security Studies

Session 8-D. Middle East

Time: **11:30-13:00**

Place: **G-106**

Chair: **Özlem Tür, (METU, Turkey)**

Eda Benlioğlu (METU, Turkey)
The Iraqi War and Its Effects on US-Saudi Relations

Bayram Sinkaya (Ataturk University & METU, Turkey)
Security Outlook of Iran under Ahmedinajad

Berna Süer (Selcuk University & METU, Turkey)
Security Predicament of Syria after the Iraq War

Zeynep Cıvcık (Brandeis University, USA)
Israel's Security Policy after the Al-Aqsa Intifada

CLOSING SESSION

Time: **13:00-13:30**

Place: **FEAS Building B, G-106**

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