

Turkey in the World

- CALL FOR PAPERS -

MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

JUNE 12-14, 2013

ANKARA

GENERAL FRAMEWORK

The METU Conference on International Relations, one of the oldest annual conferences in Turkey on international relations, is going to be held between 12-14 June 2013, marking its 12th year. The Conference takes pride in annually bringing together scholars from all around the world to exchange views in approximately 50 panels and roundtables.

The topic of this year's conference is *Turkey in the World*. In recent years there has been an increasing interest in Turkey's role in world politics. This conference aims to provide a broad framework for scholars, policy-makers and experts who work on different aspects of Turkish politics. It will create a venue for discussion from multiple perspectives. The themes of the conference will include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Theoretical Approaches to Turkish Foreign Policy
- Turkey as a Global Player: Challenges and Prospects
- Turkey in the World Economy
- Global Financial Governance and Turkey
- Turkey's Public Diplomacy
- Turkey and the Middle East
- Turkey and Europe
- Turkey and the Balkans
- Turkey and the Black Sea Region
- Turkey, the Caucasus and Central Asia
- Turkey and Africa
- Turkey and Latin America
- Turkey and Global Actors
- Turkey as a Model?

Turkey and the Rising Powers
Turkey and the Emerging Markets
Turkey and International Organizations
Turkey and Global Security
Turkey and Islam
Political Economy of Turkish Foreign Policy
Turkey and International Law
Turkey and Geopolitics of Energy
Turkey and International Development
Turkey and Non-State Actors

PAPER ABSTRACTS /PANEL PROPOSALS

The Conference invites abstracts for individual papers or complete panel proposals. All abstracts and panel proposals should be submitted before 15 March 2013.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

An application should include:

1. The paper/panel title
2. A short abstract including methodology, main assumptions and conclusions of paper (2500 characters maximum)
3. Author/participant name(s) and institutional affiliations
4. A one paragraph biographical statement of each participant (not a detailed CV)
5. Author/participant e-mail addresses (essential), telephone and fax numbers
6. Any audio-visual equipment requests (if applicable)

The Conference Committee encourages electronic submissions through irconf@metu.edu.tr email address. However, those who have limited access to electronic communication facilities can send their proposals via fax provided that the proposal deadline is observed.

CONFERENCE TIMETABLE

15 March 2013: Final date for submission of panel proposals and paper abstracts
5 April 2013: Authors will be informed of acceptance of their applications
10 May 2013: Last day for registration (A late registration fee will be charged after this date)
31 May 2013: Final date for submission of papers
June 12-14, 2013: Conference

VENUE

The Conference will be held at the Department of International Relations, Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences B-Building, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey.

SCHEDULE

The Conference will begin on Wednesday 12 June 2013 and end on Friday, 14 June 2013.

REGISTRATION

Conference Registration Fees

Registration Fee: U.S. \$ 70, € 50

Student Fee: U.S. \$ 35, € 25

Registration Fee on Arrival: U.S. \$ 100, € 70

Corporate Fee: U.S. \$ 170, € 120

Registration fee includes opening cocktail, conference dinner, lunches, refreshments and conference materials. Those who do not wish to make use of these facilities may participate to the panels as listeners without any payment.

FUNDING

A few scholarships, particularly for student participants, are available for registration and accommodation expenses. Please contact the Conference Secretariat for further information.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation costs will be covered by the participants. Details of the accommodation information will be provided to the participants after the acceptance of the paper proposals.

TRAVEL

Travel costs will be covered by the participants. Details of the travel information and how to reach to Ankara and the venue will be available [here](#).

WEB SITE

<http://ir2.metu.edu.tr/metu-conferences-international-relations>

The Conference's web site provides information for the participants and others who are interested.

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