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# **EURIE CONFERENCE CATALOG**

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### Welcome Message

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to Istanbul for the second time. EURIE 2017 has proven to be even more comprehensive, fulfilling and exciting than last year's event. We are excited to spend these 3 days with you, exploring many areas of higher education and the true meaning of internationalization in higher education.

As global visionaries of our sector, we are confident that through your knowledge and expertise, EURIE 2017 will provide everyone in attendance a wonderful and unique experience.

Our world is going through hard times. Many countries are experiencing economic, political and social problems that they have to face every day. In these challenging times, we, as Educators, have a greater responsibility. Even when all else goes wrong,

We have to stand tall,

We have to stand strong,

We have to stand united,

And we will prevail...

The future of our world lies on our shoulders. We believe in dialogue, cooperation, innovation and the power of education.

Thank you for making EURIE 2017 a productive platform for higher education.

With our best regards, Dr. Mustafa Aydın EURAS/EURIE President

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# EURIE 2017 SUMMIT – Connecting the Continents for Global Education

We would like to welcome all participants of EURIE 2017 – Eurasian Higher Education Summit who value internationalization and continuous professional development. Through the international platform of Eurasian higher education, we are eager to share best practices for internationalization of higher education at its best.

During EURIE 2017 Summit please share with us your best moments and highlights using #EURIE2017 and follow us on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Instagram and Flickr!



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# **CONFERENCE INFORMATION**

## Location

All locations are situated in the Istanbul Lütfi Kirdar International Convention and Exhibition Center (ICEC) in the two-level Rumeli Building unless otherwise notified. The conference panels, seminars, workshops and roundtables will be held in the Lower Level and the exact locations are stated in the Daily Schedule of EURIE 2017. The exhibition will be held in the Upper Level of Rumeli Building.

EURIE 2017 Opening Ceremony together with Opening Speeches and Opening Plenary will be held in Anadolu Auditorium followed by Opening Reception in the Foyer of Anadolu Auditorium.

### Registration

Registration Desk is located next to the entrance of the Rumeli Building. Please, pick up your badge and conference bags at the Registration Desk.

Registration Desk Opening Hours		
March 21	09:00 - 17:00	
March 22	09:00 - 17:00	
March 23	09:00 - 17:00	
March 24	09:00 - 17:00	

## **Exhibition Set-up**

Exhibition set-up will take place on March 21 between the hours of 13:00-19:00.

For enquiries and assistance please contact <u>eurie@boyutgroup.net</u>

# **EURIE Assistance Desk**

EURIE Assistance Desk is located in Exhibition Area. EURIE Staff at this desk is ready to offer assistance and advice related to the conference. EURIE Summit assistants will be available throughout the venue.

# Services

Lunch and coffee breaks will be served at the Exhibition Area.

A cash bar will be available for snacks and refreshments in the Lower Level.

There are b-2-b meeting tables at the Exhibition area.

There is a Business Center available for the use of conference participants at the Lower Level.

The conference secretariat and the Speaker-Ready room are located at the Lower Level.

# DAILY SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

March 21, Tuesday		
Time	Activity	Location
9:00-17:00	Registration	Rumeli Hall Foyer
13:00-19:00	Exhibitor set-up	Rumeli Hall
10:00-16:00	Campus tours	Rumeli Hall entrance

March 22, Wednesday		
Time	Activity	Location
9:00-17:00	Registration	Rumeli Hall Foyer
9:00-9:30	Coffee break	
9:30-11:30	Opening Speeches and Ceremony	Anadolu Auditorium
11:30-12:00	Opening Plenary	Anadolu Auditorium
12:00-13:00	Opening Reception	Anadolu Foyer
13:00-16:00	Workshop: Choosing Effective Internationalization Instruments for Your University	Pearl Room (Registration required)
13:00-16:00	Workshop: Creating and Tracking Online Marketing Activities Until Enrolment	Jade Room (Registration required)
13:00-16:00	Workshop: Innovative Practices in International Student Services and Their Impact on Admissions	Amber Room (Registration required)
13:00-16:00	EURAS General Assembly	Ruby Hall (Closed Meeting)

March 23, Thursday		
Time	Activity	Location
9:00-17:00	Exhibition open	Rumeli Hall
9:30-10:30	Panel: Best Practices in Exchange Student Mobility	Ruby Hall
9:30-10:30	Panel: Innovative Marketing for International Students	Emerald Hall
9:30-10:30	Panel: Standardized Tests for International Student Admissions	Sapphire Hall
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break	Exhibition area
11:00-12:00	Panel: Government Scholarships for Mobility	Ruby Hall
11:00-12:00	Panel: A New Era of Education for Refugees	Emerald Hall
11:00-12:00	Panel: International Student Destinations: Turkey and Northern Cyprus	Sapphire Hall
12:00-13:00	Lunch	Exhibition area
13:00-14:00	Panel: International Perspectives on Life- long Learning	Ruby Hall
13:00-14:00	Panel: Recognising and Rewarding Successful Teaching	Emerald Hall
13:00-15:00	Roundtable Meeting: "UNESCO & Civil Society Contributions to Sustainable Development: Culture, Education & Science"	Pearl Room (Closed meeting)
14:00-14:30	Session Break	
14:30-15:30	Panel: Internationalization of Higher Education in Iran	Ruby Hall
14:30-15:30	Panel: Quality and Rankings	Emerald Hall
14:30-15:30	Panel: The Power of Digital Education	Sapphire Hall
15:30-16:00	Coffee Break	Exhibition area

16:00-17:00	Roundtable: Developing International Student Services and Support	Pearl Room
16:00-17:00	Roundtable: Implementing International Internships	Jade Room
16:00-17:00	Roundtable: Engaging International Alumni	Amber Room
19:00-22:00	Turkish Gala Dinner: Bosphorus Boat Tour	(Registration required)

March 24, Friday		
Time	Activity	Location
9:00-17:00	Exhibition open	Rumeli Hall
9:30-10:30	Panel: International Summer Schools	Ruby Hall
9:30-10:30	Panel: European Funding for Jean Monnet Activities	Emerald Hall
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break	Exhibition area
11:00-12:00	Panel: Erasmus+ International Credit Mobility (KA 107)	Ruby Hall
11:00-12:00	Panel: Developing UK-Turkey Research Partnerships	Emerald Hall
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13:00-14:00	Panel: Skills and Employability	Sapphire Hall
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14:30-15:30	Panel: Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's Program in Research and Innovation in HE	Ruby Hall
14:30-15:30	Panel: Spotlight on Pakistani Higher Education: Superior Group	Emerald Hall
14:30-15:30	Panel: Information Management and Access for HE Research	Sapphire Hall
15:45-17:00	CLOSING PLENARY: Access to Education for Refugee Students: Challenges and Achievements	Ruby Hall

# **PROMINENT SPEAKERS**



# Hamad Bin Abdulaziz Al-Kawari

Dr Hamad Al-Kawari is a Qatari diplomat, statesman, and intellectual. He has studied Political philosophy at La Sorbonne in Paris and completed a PhD in Political science at the Stony Brook University.

He is Adviser at the Amiri Diwan, and has been the Minister for Culture, Arts and Heritage of Qatar from

July 2008 to January 2016. He was previously the Ambassador of Qatar for France, the United States, the UNESCO and the UN.



# Prof. Hasan Mandal

Prof. Hasan Mandal received his BSc from Middle East Technical University (Turkey) in 1987 and PhD from University of Newcastle (UK) in 1992.

He acted as Head of Department, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Vice Rector, Chairperson of Turkish Engineering Deans Council, Chairperson of Global

Engineering Deans Council, Vice President of the International Federation of Engineering Education Societies. He has co-authored over a hundred publications and three patents.

He is currently serving as Executive Board Member of Council of Higher Education (CoHE), BFUG Member for Turkey, EUA Representative for CoHE, Coordinator of University-Industry Collaboration Commission of CoHE.

# **CONFERENCE PROGRAM**

# A. CAMPUS TOURS

## March 21, Tuesday 10:00-16:00

Campus tours offer you the opportunity to learn more about the Turkish higher education system by visiting the campus of a university in Istanbul. You will meet the International Office staff, tour the facilities, discover the learning environment and explore cooperation options.

**Departure:** Buses will depart from Lutfi Kirdar International Convention and Exhibition Center (ICEC) in front of the Rumeli Building Exhibition Area at 10:00.

**Duration:** Each campus tour will end at 16:00. The buses will take participants back to the convention center. Expected arrival time will depend on the distance and traffic conditions.

Fee: Participation in campus tours is free of charge.

Registration: Registration is required. Please select one campus tour and register through EURIE the mobile app or send an email to **eurie@eurieeducationsummit.com** 

**Capacity:** Maximum capacity for each campus tour is 40 participants on a first come, a first served basis.

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#### **B. WORKSHOPS**

#### March 22, Wednesday, 13:00-16:00

#### Workshop 1: Pearl Room

# Title: "Choosing Effective Internationalization Instruments for Your University"

**Brief Description:** Internationalization is not a one-size-fits-all formula. With so many different dimensions to internationalization, so many instruments to choose from, how do you select the instruments that will fit your institution perfectly? Some of the topics that will be covered in the workshop are: Various definitions, aspects and instruments of internationalization in higher education; instruments such as student and staff mobility, international partnerships, internationalization of curriculum; strategic planning; SWOT and SOAR analyses of your institution; financial and organizational resources needed for internationalization.

**Objectives/ Learning Outcomes of the Training:** Participants will be able to identify the instruments best suited to their institutions and create a roadmap for internationalization unique to their institution.

Target Audience: This workshop is aimed at International Office managers and staff of higher education institutions.

#### Trainer: Ayse Deniz Ozkan

**Bio:** Ayse is an international education professional (13 years), with previous experience in the higher education sector as lecturer (5 years). She has worked in many areas of international education (Erasmus, exchange and summer programs, marketing and recruitment, international student services). She is currently Vice-Director responsible for Global Education and Partnerships at Istanbul Aydin University. She is also the coordinator for the conference program of Eurasia Higher Education Summit EURIE. As a true believer in the value of international education, she has contributed to various associations and engaged in peer-mentoring in this field.

**Guest speaker:** Christopher Bland (Coventry University, Group Director of Quality Assurance)

#### Workshop 2: Jade Room

# Title: "Creating & Tracking Successful Online Marketing Activities including AR/VR solutions"

**Brief descpription:** In today's digital environment international marketing teams are investing more in online activities for recruitment, but are they measuring the outcomes properly? This workshop will focus on the digital skills needed to attract, nurture and convince students to enroll at your institution. This includes: creating well-structured campaigns; hints on designing high converting landing pages; mobile browser optimization; community creation on Facebook; utilizing customer relationship management (CRM) tools and marketing automation systems, utilizing new technologies such as virtual reality (VR) and augmented reality (AR), tracking, analysis and ROI comparisons by channel.

**Objectives/learning outcome:** On completion of this workshop you will be able to: understand the basics of creating successful online campaigns; understand the basics of A/B testing; utilize Google Analytics in full without the help of your IT team; understand the difference between CRM tools and marketing automation systems; learn about Facebook's engagement algorithm; learn about how you can utilize AR & VR technologies for recruitment; and plan for the skills, tools and resources required for implementation of these solutions at your institution.

Target audience: This workshop is aimed at university and college staff with the following responsibilities: international marketing and recruitment; marketing and communications; web design and analytics; and international admissions.

## Trainer: Ali C. Hantal

**Bio:** Ali is Mezun Group's Chairman, Founder of VR Masters and US Country Representative of TABA/Amcham (Representative of American Chamber of

Commerce in Turkey). He has applied his 17 years of experience into hosting webisodes on education and life abroad on the world's premier Study Abroad Vertical Web TV site (Mezun.TV) targeting prospective students. He also presents seminars to international office directors of institutions from all over the world about effective uses of the new technologies to recruit international students.

#### Workshop 3: Amber Room

# Title: "Innovative Practices in International Student Services and their impact on International Admissions"

**Brief description:** In today's ever challenging international admissions landscape, innovative practices are continuously sought after to bring a competitive edge to any of the higher education institutions. To what degree can excellence or innovativeness in International Student Services really impact recruitment of international students and help boost up your numbers? In what shape and form should services be provided to international students? This workshop will cover the current trends in international student services, discuss the benefits and nature of providing services to international students from the perspective of international student recruiters based on relevant global case studies and identify best practices within Turkey and abroad.

**Objectives/ learning outcome:** On completion of this workshop, you will be able to: understand the global trends in the field of international student services and learn how to use international student services to your advantage in your institution's overall international student recruitment strategy.

Target audience: This workshop is aimed at university and college staff with the following responsibilities: international marketing and admissions; student affairs; student activities; career office, international alumni management

#### Trainer: Hande Baltacı

**Bio:** Hande has completed her undergraduate and graduate studies in USA and began her professional career in international education at Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government as a Program Coordinator. With her relocation to Istanbul, she joined the establishment team of a non-profit university and worked in management of summer programs, international student recruitment and services, and Erasmus exchange program. Since 2012, she is the director of the International Relations Office at Istanbul Şehir University (ŞEHİR), responsible for managing international student recruitment policies and agency network, setting up educational cooperation linkages and mobility programs.

**Guest speakers:** Pedro Ramirez (Universidad Jesuita de Guadalajara); Malgorzata Woch (Almaty Management University)

# **C. PANELS**

# March 23, Thursday

#### Panel: Best Practices in Exchange Student Mobility,

9:30-10:30, Ruby Hall

Jana Stolarikova (Boğaziçi University), "Erasmus+ Student Mobility and Risk Management"

Michael Schneider (Bayreuth University), "Innovative Models of International Mobility: Managing Mobility Flows through Short-term and Long-term Exchange"

Asad Ullah Sheikh (Superior University), "Real and Virtual Mobility of Students"

Chair: Assoc. Prof. Bilge Kağan Özdemir (Anadolu University)

#### Panel: Innovative Marketing for International Students,

9:30-10:30, Emerald Hall Seher Neöz (ICEF), "Rethinking Recruitment and Agent Engagement" Märt Aro (Dreamapply), "International Student Recruitment versus Sales" Cindy Wang (China Global Education), "International Marketing in China with New Media"

Chair: Lorie Lee (guard.me International Insurance)

#### Panel: Government Scholarships for Mobility,

11:00-12:00, Ruby Hall Dr. Wiebke Bachman (DAAD Turkey), "International Cooperation and DAAD Programs" Dr. Wenhong Li (Confucius Institute at Boğaziçi University), "Introduction of Confucius Institute Scholarship" Meryem Uzar (YTB Türkiye Scholarships), "Türkiye Scholarships"

Chair: Pablo Martin Asuero (Cervantes Institute Istanbul)

#### Panel: A New Era of Education for Refugees,

11:00-12:00, Emerald Hall

Osman Çakıroğlu (KIRON), "Kiron Open Higher Education for Refugees" Marina Malgina (NOKUT), "Assessing and Recognizing Refugees' Qualifications" Dr. Johannes Müller (University of Cologne), "Refugee Crisis and the Challenges to Academia in Germany: The example of the University of Cologne"

Chair: Markus Laitinen (EAIE)

# Panel: International Student Destinations: Turkey and Northern Cyprus,

11:00-12:00, Sapphire Hall Prof. Olgun Çiçek (YÖDAK), "The Success Story of Internationalization of HE in Northern Cyprus: Recognized Universities of an Unrecognized Country" Prof. Hamide Ertepinar (Istanbul Aydın University), "Why Study Overseas: Case Study Turkey" Chair: Prof. Ahmet Metin Ger (Istanbul Aydın University)

### Panel: International Perspectives on Life-long Learning,

13:00-14:00, Ruby Hall Mike Osborne (University of Glasgow), "European Perspectives on Lifelong Learning in HE" Dayong Yuan (Beijing Academy of Educational Sciences), "Mission and Challenge: Chinese Higher Education and Lifelong Learning" Chair: Prof. Tamer Atabarut (EUCEN)

# Panel: Recognising and Rewarding Successful Teaching,

13:00-14:00, Emerald Hall Caroline Marcangelo and Ian Hall (Higher Education Academy UK), "Recognising and Rewarding Successful Teaching" Chair: Dr. Mustafa Melek (Beykent University)

# Panel: Internationalization of Higher Education in Iran,

14:30-15:30, Ruby Hall

Assoc. Prof. Mohammed Reza Mohaddes Mojtahedi (Amirkabir University of Technology), Dr. Mohsen Taghavi (Shiraz University), Dr. Mahdieh Laeh (Shahid Sadoughi University of Medical Sciences), Dr. Amirbahram Arabahmadi (University of Tehran)

Chair: Prof. Seyed Abbas Shojaosadati (Tarbiat Modares University)

#### Panel: Quality and Rankings, 14:30-15:30, Emerald Hall

Nicholas Sequeira (QS, Intelligence Unit), "The importance of evidence based marketing" Prof. Melih Bulu (Istinye University), "The Place of Turkish Universities in World University Rankings" Chair: Prof. Taner Bilgiç (Boğaziçi University) **Panel: The Power of Digital Education,** 14:30-15:30, Sapphire Hall Prof. Habib Al Souleiman (ABMS Open University of Switzerland), "The Power of Virtual Education in the 21st century" Prof. Volkan Yüzer (Anadolu University), "Online Learning Dimensions: A Case Study of Anadolu University, Open Education Faculty" Chair: Ibrahim Al Souleiman (ABMS Open University of Switzerland)

# March 24, Friday

#### Panel: Standardized Tests for International Student Admissions,

9:30-10:30, Ruby Hall Zeynep Kaptan (ETS Global), "Role of Standardized Tests in Admissions at Masters Level: Current Practices" Assoc. Prof. Aylin Ünaldı (Boğaziçi University), "Standardized Tests for Admissions: Current Practices in Turkey" Chair: Prof. Ayşegül Daloğlu (Middle East Technical University)

#### Panel: European Funding for Jean Monnet Activities,

9:30-10:30, Emerald Hall Asst. Prof. Mehmet Ali Tuğtan and Asst. Prof. Özge Onursal (Istanbul Bilgi University), "A Flipped Course on EU: Utilizing EU Project Funds for Blended and Online Teaching" Prof. Nevila Xhindi (Jean Monnet Chair Albania), "Teaching EU in Higher Education in Albania" Chair: TBA

# Panel: International Summer Schools, 9:30-10:30, Sapphire Hall

Aysegül Yıldız Daşar (BPP University), "Summer Programs of BPP University" Arta Fejzullahu (Istanbul Aydın University), "International Short Courses for Promoting Student Mobility: IAU Delightful Istanbul"

Helena Marie Adjal (University of West Bohemia), "International Summer Language School"

Berna Severge Bayizit (Işık University), "International Summer Schools at Isik University"

### Panel: Erasmus+ International Credit Mobility-KA 107,

11:00-12:00, Ruby Hall Markus Symmank (DAAD- Higher Education Unit) Immanuel Petermeier (University of Würzburg) Gülizar Karahan Balya (Middle East Technical University) Hür Güldü (National Agency of Turkey) Chair: Mesut Kamiloğlu (National Agency of Turkey) \*This panel is sponsored by Istanbul Aydin University.

# Panel: Developing UK-Turkey Research Partnerships,

11:00-12:00, Emerald Hall Clare J. Turner (Imperial College London), "A Focus on the Katip Celebi Newton Fund and the Imperial College London" Asst. Prof. Ufuk Paralı, "Working with Katip Celebi Newton Fund" (Adnan Menderes University) Chair: İlter Haliloğlu (British Embassy in Ankara)

# Panel: International Perspectives on teaching Turkish Language in the world,

11:00-12:00, Sapphire Hall Prof. Şeref Ateş (Yunus Emre Enstitüsü), "Teaching Turkish Language at Yunus Emre Institutes Around the World" Baatyrbek Akylbekov (International University of Kyrgyzstan) Levent Taşkıran (Türkischer Studenten & Akademikerverein) Chair: S. Ebru Ergül (Stanford University) \*This panel will be conducted in Turkish.

#### Panel: English-medium Instruction for Internationalization,

13:00-14:00, Ruby Hall Ayşen Güven (British Council Turkey), "The State of English in Higher Education in Turkey: A Study by British Council" Prof. Hasan Şimşek (Istanbul Kültür University), ""English-Medium Instruction for Internationalization Goals" Assoc. Prof. Tufan Adıgüzel (Bahçeşehir University) "English within Internationalization: Challenges and Opportunities" Chair: Asst. Prof. Wayne Trotman (İzmir Katip Çelebi University)

#### Panel: International Perspectives on Quality Assurance,

13:00-14:00, Emerald Hall

Douglas S. Franklin (Ohio University), "The Triad of Actors: Quality Assurance in American Higher Education"

Prof. Abdelali Kaaouachi (University Mohammed First Morocco), "Quality Assurance in HE in Maghreb Countries: Current Trends and Challenges" Christopher Bland (Coventry University), "Quality Standards and Guidelines across Different Academic Cultures"

Chair: Asst. Prof. Tuba Canver Kahveci (Sakarya University)

\*This panel is sponsored by Sakarya University.

#### Panel: Skills and Employability, 13:00-14:00, Sapphire Hall

Mustafa Hilmi Çolakoğlu (Ministry of Education Turkey), "Turkish Qualifications Framework"

Cusrow Jamshed Dubash (Forman Christian College), "From Transactional to Transformational Education"

Tijan Ramahi (I-graduate), "Improving Employability through Benchmark Studies and Outcome Surveys"

Chair: TBA

#### Panel: Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters Programs in Research and Innovation in HE,

14:30-15:30, Ruby Hall

Ercan Laçin (National Agency Turkey), "Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's Degree Projects"

Işıl Güney (MARIHE Ambassador for Danube University Krems) and Elif Çelik (MARIHE Ambassador for University of Applied Sciences Osnabrueck), "Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters Programs in Research and Innovation in HE" Chair: TBA

#### Panel: Spotlight on Higher Education in Pakistan: Superior Group,

14:30-15:30, Emerald Hall Prof. Haseeb Khan, Dr. Sikandar Khan, Dr. Muqqadas Rehman (Superior University), "Overview of Pakistani HE and the Superior Group" Chair: Prof. Sumaira Rehman (Superior University)

#### Panel: Information Management and Access for HE Research

14:30-15:30, Sapphire Hall Gaye Bağırsakçı, Bora Bilir (WILEY), "Wiley Publishing Solutions and Impact: A General Overview" Shadi Awwad (Elsevier), "Collaboration in Scientific Research: Latest Results, Trends and the Future" Chair: Dr. Orhan Gemikonaklı (Middlesex University)

**CLOSING PLENARY PANEL DISCUSSION:** Access to Education for Refugee Students: Challenges and Achievements, 15:45-17:00, Ruby Hall Jean-Marie Garelli (UNHCR Turkey), "The Importance of Ensuring Refugees' Access to Higher Education" Brenda Haiplik (UNICEF Turkey), "Access to Relevant Learnign Opportunitiesfor Refuge Students in Turkey" Metin Çorabatır (IGAM), "Right to Education of Refugees as Linked to Other Entitlements Drived from their Status" Mazen AboulHosn (IOM) Anjalina Sen (U.S. Embassy)

#### **D. ROUNDTABLES**

March 23, Thursday 13:00-15:00, Pearl Room (Closed meeting)

# Roundtable Meeting: "UNESCO & Civil Society Contributions to Sustainable Development: Culture, Education & Science"

Hosted by Istanbul Aydın University UNESCO CHAIR Cultural Diplomacy Governance and Education and UNESCO CHAIR Education for Sustainable Peace

#### March 23, Thursday 16:00-17:00

# Roundtable 1: Developing International Student Services and Support, Pearl Room

Moderator: Şamil Erdoğan (Istanbul Bilgi University)

#### Roundtable 2: Implementing International Internships, Jade Room

Moderator: Zeynep Tuğçe Çiftçibaşı Güç (Abdullah Gül University)

#### **Roundtable 3: Engaging International Alumni**

Moderator: Yavuz Yılmazoğlu (Nuffic NesoTurkey)

# LIST OF EURIE PANELISTS

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Baatyrbek Akylbekov (International University of Kyrgyzstan), Vice-Rector

Mart Aro (Dreamapply), Co-Founder, Head of International

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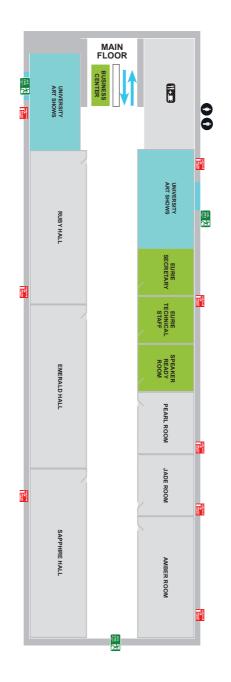
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#### Yükseköğretim Kurulu ( Council of Higher Education of Turkey)

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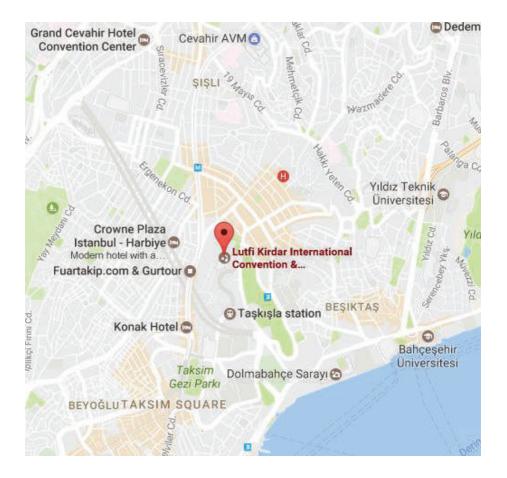
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