

# Energy Security and Sustainability in Europe

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## DAY 1 – SUNDAY 15 OCTOBER

**Venue:** *Hellenic Residence*

**Address:** *51 Upper Brook St, London W1K 2BT*

**Dress Code:** *Business Attire*

**19.00-21.00 Welcome drinks**

## DAY 2 – MONDAY 16 OCTOBER

**Venue:** *Allen & Overy Auditorium*

**Address:** *One Bishops Square, London E1 6AD*

**Dress Code:** *Smart Casual*

**09.30 -10.00 Arrival of Guests – Coffee/Tea**

**10.00-10.30 Welcome**

**Costas Mitropoulos**, Co-Chair, Greek-British Symposium

**Matthew Lodge**, His Majesty's Ambassador to Greece

**Yannis Tsaousis**, Ambassador of the Hellenic Republic to the UK

*Introduction:* **Symeon Tsomokos**, Delphi Economic Forum

**10.30-11.00 OPENING PLENARY**

**Keynote Speakers:**

**Nikos Dendias**, Minister of National Defence, Hellenic Republic

**The Rt Hon Graham Stuart MP**, Minister of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, His Majesty's Government

**11.00-11.30 Coffee Break**

**11.30-13.00 Session 1: THE CHANGING ENERGY LANDSCAPE**

***Moderator:*** **John M. Roberts**, Energy Security Specialist & Senior Partner, Methinks Ltd

***Panellists:***

**Dev Sanyal**, CEO, VARO Energy

**Marianthi Stavrinou**, Head of Country, Greece, BP

**Rikard Scoufias**, Chairman, Hellenic Hydrocarbons & Energy Resources Management Company

**Rob Turner**, Partner, Head of Energy, PwC UK

**13.00-14.30 Informal lunch & networking**

**14.30-16.00 Session 2: ENERGY SECURITY AND GEOPOLITICS**

**Moderator:** Alexia Tasouli, Diplomatic Correspondent

**Panellists:**

**Konstantinos Bikas**, Ambassador (ret), Int'l Business Director, Mytilineos Energy & Metals; fmr Head, Greek National Intelligence Service

**Yannis Maniatis**, Minister of Environment, Energy, Climate Change (2013-15); Prof., University of Piraeus

**Sophie Westlake**, Deputy Director and Head of the Int'l Energy Unit, Dept of Energy Security & Net Zero

**Paddy Blewer**, Head of Corporate Communications, Enegean

**Intervention:**

**George Katrougalos**, Prof. of Public Law, Democritus University of Thrace, fmr Foreign Affairs Minister

**16.00-16.30 Coffee Break**

**16.30-18.00 Session 3: SUSTAINABILITY AND TECHNOLOGY (streamed session)**

**Moderator:** Cheryl Novak, Expert in Sustainability and Migration, ELIAMEP

**Panellists:**

**Maria Damanaki**, Independent Advisor on Climate-Oceans; EU Commissioner for Maritime & Fisheries 2010-14

**Tim Yeo**, Chairman, New Nuclear World Institute; fmr Minister of State for the Countryside & Environment

**Jayesh Parmar**, Partner, Baringa Partners

**Brendan Barratt**, Director, Strategic Advisory Services, Mace Group

**DAY 2 – MONDAY 16 OCTOBER**

**Venue:** Locarno Suite (Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office)

**Address:** King Charles St, London SW1A 2AH

**Dress Code:** Business Attire

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to present photographic identification at the entrance**

**19.00-20.00 Pre-dinner drinks**

**20.00-22.00 FORMAL DINNER**

**Speaker:**

**Christos Stylianides**, Minister of Maritime Affairs and Insular Policy, Hellenic Republic & former EU Commissioner for Humanitarian Aid & Crisis Management

**Theme: Partnership with Africa: EU & the UK working together**

## DAY 3 – TUESDAY 17 OCTOBER

***Venue:*** Allen & Overy Auditorium

***Address:*** One Bishops Square, London E1 6AD

***Dress Code:*** Smart Casual

**09.30 -10.00** Arrival of Guests – Coffee/Tea

**10.00-11.30** Session 4: COOPERATION OPPORTUNITIES IN ENERGY AND THE ENVIRONMENT

***Moderator:*** Nikos Malkoutzis, Editor & Co-Founder, MacroPolis

***Panellists:***

**Aristotelis Aivaliotis**, Sec. Gen. for Energy & Mineral Resources, Ministry of Environment & Energy, Hellenic Republic

**Apostolos Gkoutzinis**, Partner, Milbank LLP

**Ypatios Moysiadis**, Managing Partner, Wattcrop

**Costis Stambolis**, Chairman & Executive Director, Institute of Energy for South-East Europe

**11.30-12.00** Coffee Break

**12.00-12.30** The Symposium Speech

***Distinguished Speaker:***

**David Newbery**, Professor, University of Cambridge

***Theme:*** Secure, sustainable and affordable electricity: the challenges

**12.30-13.00** Closing Remarks

**Alberto Costa MP**, Chairman, All-Party Parliamentary Group for Greece, UK Parliament

**Notis Mitarachi**, MP; Former Minister of Migration and Asylum, Hellenic Parliament

**The Rt Hon Lord Maude of Horsham**, Co-Chair, Greek-British Symposium

**13.00-14.30** Lunch (optional)

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