

New political challenges for Germany, Turkey and the EU – 2018
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Language School Building, Conference Room (top floor)
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| 10.00 h – 10.30 h | Welcome speeches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prof. Dr. Halil AKKANAT (<i>Rector of the Turkish-German University</i>) Dr. Volker SCHMIDT (<i>Head of the DAAD Information Centre Istanbul</i>) Prof. Dr. Wolfgang WESSELS (<i>CETEUS / University of Cologne</i>) Prof. Dr. M. Murat ERDOĞAN (<i>Turkish-German University</i>) |
| 10.30 h – 10.50 h | Keynote Speeches Ambassador Christian BERGER, <i>Head of Delegation of the EU to Turkey</i> <u>Rapporteur:</u> Student (University of Cologne) |
| 10.50 h – 11.10 h | Keynote Speeches Ambassador Mehmet Kemal BOZAY, <i>Deputy Undersecretary of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs</i> <u>Rapporteur:</u> Student (University of Cologne) |
| 11.10 h – 11.30 h | Coffee Break |
| 11.30 h – 13.00 h | Introductory Panel: Present and Future of EU-Turkey Relations <u>Chair:</u> Prof. Dr. Hartmut MARHOLD (<i>Centre international de formation européenne, CIFE</i>) <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prof. Dr. Sinem Akgül AÇIKMEŞE (<i>Kadir Has University</i>) Prof. Dr. Mathias JOPP (<i>Institute for European Politics</i>) Prof. Dr. Atila ERALP (<i>Middle East Technical University / Istanbul Policy Center</i>) Asst. Prof. Dr. Ebru TURHAN (<i>Turkish-German University / INSITER Coordinator</i>) <u>Rapporteur:</u> Student (Turkish-German University) |
| 13.00 h – 14.30 h | Open Buffet Lunch |
| 14.30 h – 15.45 h | EU, Turkey, Germany Triangle in view of the Refugee Crisis <u>Chair:</u> Prof. Dr. Kai OPPERMANN (<i>University of Sussex</i>) <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prof. Dr. Ahmet İÇDUYGU (<i>Koç University / MiReKoc</i>) Dr. Günter SEUFERT (<i>German Institute for International and Security Affairs, SWP</i>) Assoc. Prof. Dr. Deniz Şenol SERT (<i>Özyeğin University</i>) Prof. Dr. M. Murat ERDOĞAN (<i>Turkish-German University</i>) <u>Rapporteur:</u> Student (Turkish-German University) |

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| 15.45 h – 16.00 h | Coffee Break |
| 16.00 h – 17.00 h | <p>German-Turkish Diaspora Policies: Latest Trends and Impact on Bilateral Dialogue</p> <p><u>Chair:</u> Assoc. Prof. Dr. Thomas KRUMM (Turkish-German University)</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Ayhan KAYA (<i>Bilgi University</i>) • Dr. Yaşar AYDIN (<i>Evangelische Hochschule Hamburg</i>) • Asst. Prof. Dr. Enes BAYRAKLI (<i>Turkish-German University</i>) <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Student (University of Cologne)</p> |
| 17.00 h – 17.15 h | Coffee Break |
| 17.15 h – 17.45 h | <p>Keynote Speeches</p> <p>Mithat RENDE, <i>Member of the Board of TSKB ; Former Ambassador of Turkey to Qatar & the OECD; Ex-Chairman of OECD Executive Committee and Chief Climate Change Negotiator</i></p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Student (Turkish-German University)</p> |
| 17.45 h – 18.00 h | <p>Conference Findings/Concluding Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asst. Prof. Dr. Ebru TURHAN (<i>INSITER Coordinator / Turkish-German University</i>) • Asst. Prof. Dr. Deniz KURU (<i>Turkish-German University</i>) • Prof. Dr. Wolfgang WESSELS (<i>CETEUS / University of Cologne</i>) <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Student (Turkish-German University)</p> |
| 19.30 h – 22.00 h | Bosporus Boat Tour (Beykoz-Karaköy-Beykoz) and Dinner |