

# The 19<sup>th</sup> Bodrum roundtable

13-15 October 2023  
Bodrum

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## Friday, 13 October 2023

20.00

**Welcome dinner with keynote speech by Burak Akçapar,**  
Deputy Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of  
Türkiye

## Saturday, 14 October 2023

09.00-09.15

**Welcoming remarks**

09.15-10.30

**A conversation on generative AI with Alexandra Belias,**  
Head of Product Policy & Partnerships, Google DeepMind

**Chair: Sinan Ülgen,** Director, Center for Economics & Foreign  
Policy Studies (EDAM)

10.30-11.00

Coffee break

11.00-13.00

**Panel 1: How the West looks at China**

**Steven Everts,** Director, European Union Institute of Security  
Studies

**Derya Göçer,** Associate Professor, Middle East Technical  
University

**Isabel Hilton,** Founder, China Dialogue & Visiting Professor,  
Lau China Institute, King's College London

**Martin Thümmel,** Director for East Asia, Southeast Asia &  
Pacific, Federal Foreign Office, Germany

**Chair: Ian Bond,** Director of Foreign Policy, Centre for  
European Reform

13.00-17.00

Lunch & free time



17.00-19.00

## Panel 2: Turkish foreign policy after the elections

**Angelina Eichhorst**, Managing Director Europe, European External Action Service

**Ahmet Kasım Han**, Professor, Beykoz University

**Namık Tan**, Member of Parliament for İstanbul (II), Republican People's Party (CHP), Grand National Assembly of Türkiye (TBMM)

**Chair: Piotr Zalewski**, Turkey Correspondent, *The Economist*

19.30

Coach departure for dinner

20.00-22.00

Dinner in Bodrum

## Sunday, 15 October 2023

09.30-11.30

## Panel 3: The future of the European security architecture

**Oksana Antonenko**, Visiting Fellow, European University Institute

**Alexander Graf Lambsdorff**, Ambassador of Germany to Russia, Embassy of Germany, Moscow

**Charles Grant**, Director, Centre for European Reform

**Tacan İldem**, Chairperson, Center for Economics & Foreign Policy Studies (EDAM) & former Assistant Secretary General for Public Diplomacy, NATO

**Chair: Stefanie Bolzen**, Washington DC Correspondent, *Die Welt*

12.30

Lunch & departures



## List of participants

|                                  |  |
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| <b>Burak Akçapar</b>             | Deputy Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Türkiye  |
| <b>Zeynep Alemdar</b>            | Professor, Department of International Relations, İstanbul Okan University                                       |
| <b>Oksana Antonenko</b>          | Visiting Fellow, European University Institute   |
| <b>Ekin Balkan</b>               | Analyst, Center for Economics & Foreign Policy Studies (EDAM)  |
| <b>Evren Balta</b>               | Professor of International Relations, Özyeğin University   |
| <b>Alexandra Belias</b>          | Head of Product Policy & Partnerships, Google DeepMind   |
| <b>Rana Birden</b>               | Head of Corporate Communications, Kale Group   |
| <b>Stefanie Bolzen</b>           | Washington DC Correspondent, <i>Die Welt</i>   |
| <b>Ian Bond</b>                  | Director of Foreign Policy, Centre for European Reform   |
| <b>Mehmet Fatih Ceylan</b>       | President, Ankara Policy Center & former Permanent Representative of Turkey to NATO                              |
| <b>Mehmet Ali Çalışkan</b>       | Director, Reform Institute   |
| <b>Cansu Çamlıbel</b>            | Columnist, T24   |
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