

CONFERENCE

Reviving Famagusta; *From Ghost Town to Eco-city?*

Date: Friday 21 February 2014

Time: 14.00-18.45

Venue: LSE Shaw Library

Provisional Conference Programme

14.00-14.20	Registration
14.20-14.30	Welcome and Introduction Professor Kevin Featherstone Director, Hellenic Observatory; Eleftherios Venizelos Professor of Contemporary Greek Studies & Professor of European Politics, LSE Dr. Rebecca Bryant A.N. Hadjiyiannis Senior Research Fellow, Hellenic Observatory, LSE
14.30-16.30	SESSION 1: Envisioning the future Moderator Dr. James Ker-Lindsay , Eurobank Senior Research Fellow on the Politics of South East Europe, LSEE and the Hellenic Observatory, LSE Famagusta, Inc.: Massively Inclusive Grass-Roots Collaborations in Urban Redevelopment George C. Lordos , Economist and Businessman; Member of the Famagusta Initiative and of the Famagusta Ecocity Project The economic significance of Famagusta Symeon Matsis , Economist Ex Civil Servant; Member of the Famagusta Initiative Reviving Famagusta: City Planning Challenges Glafkos Constantinides , Sociologist, Economist and Urban Planner, MRTPI From Separation and Isolation to Hopes for Integration Layik Topcan , Town Planner Contextualising the Famagusta Proposals: An Overview of International Trends in Eco-City Policy and Practice Robert Cowley , Visiting Lecturer, Department of Politics and International Relations, Westminster University
16.30-17.00	Refreshments

17.00-18.30	<p>Session 2: Planning for a bicommunal Famagusta</p> <p>Moderator Dr Rebecca Bryant, A.N. Hadjiyiannis Senior Research Fellow, Hellenic Observatory, LSE</p> <p>Peace-building as a practice: The case of Famagusta Initiative Mustafa Öngün, PhD Candidate, Centre for Contemporary Aristotelian Studies in Ethics and Politics (CASEP), London Metropolitan University</p> <p>The fracture and destruction of memory of a city and a new hope: Famagusta Ecocity Project Dr. Ceren Boğac, Architect; Environmental Psychologist; Famagusta Ecocity Project</p> <p>Confronting Urban Frontiers in Contested Cities Dr. Wendy A. Pullan, Head of Research and Director, Martin Centre for Architectural and Urban Studies, Department of Architecture, University of Cambridge</p> <p>Discussant Dr. Gabriel Koureas, Lecturer in Modern and Contemporary Visual Culture, Department of History of Art and Screen Media, School of Arts, Birkbeck, University of London</p> <p>Dr Christala Yakinthou, Birmingham Fellow, Department of Political Science and International Studies, University of Birmingham</p>
18.30-18.45	Closing Remarks
18.45-20.00	Drinks Reception