

The Growing Importance of the Black Sea

A conference for experts from Media, Politics and the Military

10 – 13 June 2024

Varna, Bulgaria – Rosslyn Dimyat Hotel (bul. "Knyaz Boris I" 111, 9002 Varna)

Language: English

Monday, 10 June

Arrival

19:30 Welcome Dinner at the hotel

Tuesday, 11 June

08:30 – 9.00	Registration
09:00 – 09:45	Welcome Notes and Introduction of Participants
09:45 – 10:00	Europe`s interests in the Black Sea Region (title tbc)
10:00 – 11:00	Geopolitical Dynamics in the Black Sea Region
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break
11:30 – 12:30	Sailing Through Time: A Journey into the History and Economy of the Black Sea
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch at the hotel
13:30	Meeting point: Hotel reception desk & walk to the Naval Academy
14.00 – 17.00	Visit and Discussion at the Naval Academy, Varna

Wednesday, 12 June

09:00 – 10:00	Film Screening and Discussion “ABSOLUTE EVIL” — terrible war crimes of Russia’s military in Ukraine
10:00 – 11:00	Specifics of Black Sea media coverage and the Russian propaganda (title tbc)
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break
11:30 – 12:15	Black Sea Narratives and Russian Disinformation (title tbc)
12:15 – 13:15	Black Sea media coverage in the context of the war against Ukraine – Part 1
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch at the hotel
14:30 – 15:30	Black Sea media coverage in the context of the war against Ukraine – Part 2
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 – 16:45	Where to from here? Ways and Tools how to improve exchange and communication
16:45 - 17:00	Black Sea Coverage and KAS Media SEE – Closing remarks
19:00	Dinner at the hotel

Thursday, 13 June 2024

Check-out and departures