



## TURKEY AND THE EUROPEAN UNION: PROBLEMS AND PROSPECTS

Date: 14 April 2011 at 9.30 am.

Venue: Budapest, Central European University, Popper Room

### 9.30 Opening Speeches

Péter Balázs, Director, Center for EU Enlargement Studies, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs  
István Hegedűs, Chairman, Hungarian Europe Society  
Haluk Kabaalioglu, Chairman of IKV and Dean of Yeditepe School of Law  
Kemal Gur, Turkey's Ambassador to Hungary (TBC)

### Morning Session: Turkey and the EU: Together for a Common Future?

Chaired by: István Hegedűs, Chairman, Hungarian Europe Society

#### SPEAKERS:

Mumtaz Soysal, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Turkey  
Emre Gönensay, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Turkey  
Péter Balázs, Director of CENS, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Hungary  
Nedret Kuran Burçoğlu, Yeditepe University  
Haluk Kabaalioglu, President of IKV, Dean of Faculty of Law, Yeditepe University  
László Csaba, Professor, Department of International Relations and European Studies, CEU  
László Jankovics, Economic attaché at the Representation of the European Commission in Hungary

### 14.00 Afternoon Session: Turkey in a new European Union?

Chaired by: András Deák, Research Director, Center for Enlargement Studies, CEU

#### SPEAKERS:

Feroz Ahmad, Yeditepe University, Istanbul  
Anita Orbán, Ambassador-at-large for Energy Security, Hungarian Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Tuncay Babalı, Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Marc Maresceau, Ghent University, Belgium  
Gábor Iván, Hungarian Ambassador to the Republic of Croatia  
Leyla Tavsanoglu, Cumhuriyet Daily Newspaper

### 16.00 Closing Remarks

Haluk Kabaalioglu, Chairman of IKV and Dean of Yeditepe School of Law  
Péter Balázs, Director, Center for EU Enlargement Studies, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs  
István Hegedűs, Chairman, Hungarian Europe Society