

AGENDA
7th AIR POWER CONFERENCE
“AIRPOWER AS A STRATEGIC FACTOR IN THE TRANSITION OF
DEFENCE AND SECURITY”

DAY	TIME	EVENT	SPEAKER
May 15 th , 2019	08:00-09:00	REGISTRATION – COFFEE	
	09:00-09:10	Welcome Address	Lt. General Georgios Blioumis Chief of Hellenic Air Force General Staff
	09:10-09:20	Opening Address	General Christos Christodoulou Chief of Hellenic National Defence General Staff
	09:20-09:30	Minister’s Address	H.E. Mr. Evangelos Apostolakis Minister of National Defence
1st SESSION – “Political and Diplomatic Perspective on using Air Power”			
May 15 th , 2019	09:30-09:50	Air Power as a Tool for Peace and Stability Q & A	H.E. Mr. Geoffrey R. Pyatt U.S. Ambassador to the Hellenic Republic
	09:50-10:10	COFFEE BREAK	
	10:10-10:35	Air Force & Diplomacy	Ambassador D. Paraskevopoulos Secretary General of Ministry of Foreign Affairs
2nd SESSION – “Preparing Air Force for Modern Warfare”			
May 15 th , 2019	10:35-11:00	Preparing Air Force for Modern Warfare Q & A	<u>Key-note speaker:</u> <i>General Jeffrey L. Harrigian</i> Commander Allied AIRCOM
	11:00-11:20	Air Power Challenges in 21 st Century UN Peacekeeping Operations	Lt. Gen. Carlos Humberto Loitey UN Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations
	11:20-11:40	Air Power as a Bridge to Regional Stability	Major General Amikam Norkin Commander of Israeli Air Force
	11:40-12:00	Q & A PANEL	
	12:00-13:20	LUNCH BREAK - COMMEMORATIVE PHOTO	
	13:20-13:40	NAEW&C Platforms in Security Ops and Modern Warfare	Major General Jörg Lebert Commander NAEW&C Force
	13:40-14:00	JFC Naples Comprehensive Approach on Operations	Rear Admiral Gilles Humeau Deputy Chief of Staff JFC Naples
	14:00-14:20	Deterring Hybrid and Asymmetric Threats	Brig. General Abdel Majid Bani Melhem Head of Training Branch of Royal Jordanian Air Force
	14:20-14:50	Q & A PANEL	
	END OF FIRST DAY		

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May 16 th , 2019	08:30-09:30	REGISTRATION - COFFEE	
3rd SESSION – “Security and Defense Environment, Challenges Ahead”			
<i>Moderator:</i> Dr. Catherine Boura Ambassador of Greece to UAE, Ex Permanent Representative of Greece to the UN			
May 16 th , 2019	09:30-09:50	Global and regional power competition in the South-Eastern Mediterranean and the MENA region.	Mr. Ilias Kouskouvelis Professor of International Relations in University of Macedonia (UoM) Ex Rector of UoM
	09:50-10:10	The EU response to Security and Defence Challenges Ahead, implications for future Air Power	Mr. Dirk Dubois Head of European Security and Defence College (ESDC)
	10:10-10:30	Speed is Life – the Disruptive Potential of Hypersonic Technologies	Dr. Dirk Zimper Coordinator Defence Research German Aerospace Center
	10:30-10:50	Europe and the New Face of Economic Warfare	Dr. Henry Farrell The Elliott School George Washington University
	10:50-11:20	3rd SESSION: Q & A PANEL	
	11:20-12:50	LUNCH BREAK	
4th SESSION – “Research and Cooperation For a Safer World”			
May 16 th , 2019	12:50-13:10	Harmonization of Research & Technology as a driving factor for potential Defense Aerospace Cooperation.	Lt. Gen. Zacharias Gkikas, HAF, Ret. Chairman of Board of Directors Hellenic Aerospace Industry
	13:10-13:30	Changing perspectives for Future Air Power	Mr. Ioannis Papachristofilou HEAD of Marketing for Airbus Defense & Space.
	13:30-13:50	Industrial Cooperations: Perspectives for Europe.	Mr. Jean-Claude Piccirillo Marketing & Sales Director Dassault Aviation
	13:50-14:10	4th SESSION: Q & A PANEL	
	14:10-14:20	CLOSING REMARKS	Director of A´ Branch HAFGS
END OF CONFERENCE			