



# BSEMR

THE BLACK SEA AND EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN REVIEW

## CONFERENCE ON THE BLACK SEA AND EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The Laboratory for Black Sea and Mediterranean Studies (Faculty of Political and Economic Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki), the School of Law of the University on Nicosia (UNIC) and the Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean Academic Network (BSEMAN) cordially invite you to submit your abstracts for the conference titled

**“THE BLACK SEA AND EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN IN TRANSITION: ENERGY GEOPOLITICS, SECURITY AND DEVELOPMENT IN A CHANGING WORLD ORDER”**

### PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

This will be the launching event of the Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean Review (BSEMR), a new peer reviewed journal co-founded by the Laboratory for Black Sea and Mediterranean Studies (Faculty of Political and Economic Sciences, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki) and the School of Law of the University on Nicosia (UNIC). Selected papers presented in the conference may be considered for publication in the first issue of BSEMR in Fall 2022, following a double-blind review process.

The conference and the BSEMR aspire to promote not only interdisciplinary but also cross-cultural and intercultural research in ways that may develop existing scholarly knowledge and promote regional and international cooperation, sustainability, peace and

stability. Articles submitted to BSEMR may also focus on particular countries in the BSEM, or other forms of entities (governmental or non-governmental organizations, sub-state entities, social groups, private institutions etc.).

### ABSTRACTS

The Conference will consider abstracts pertinent with the regions of the Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean, in the fields of politics and international relations, history, social and economic issues, energy, sustainable development, governance, culture and education. Abstracts should not exceed 250 words and include details on the main hypotheses and/or research objectives of the perspective paper, the proposed methodology, as well as the theoretical and the empirical part.

### PARTICIPATION

The papers that will be presented should be original and of high academic and research caliber. Applicants should make sure that their abstract and/or paper has not been submitted, presented and/or published in another conference or publication. Apart from academics and professional researchers, Ph.D. candidates are also welcome to submit their abstracts.

### DATES

Submission of abstracts: 17 April, 2022

Response to applicants: by 2 May, 2022

Conference date: Saturday, June 11, 2022

### FORM AND VENUE

The conference will take place in a hybrid form: in physical presence in the premises of UNIC, Nicosia/Cyprus, and online, via live streaming. The language of the conference will be English.

### SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS:

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