



## Pluralism in the Present

An English/Turkish writing workshop for young scholars in Istanbul and Kavala

18-22 May 2022

### DAY ONE (Wednesday, 18 May 2022) ISTANBUL

#### SYMPOSIUM

**9.00-9.20 am** Welcome, registration, tea/coffee

**9.20-9.30am** Introduction

**9.30-11.00 am** **Session One at the SRII** chaired by Leyla Neyzi

#### PROMPT SYMPOSIUM

**11.00-11.15 am** Tea/coffee break

**11.15-12.45 pm** **Session Two at the SRII** chaired by Olof Heilo

#### MENTORS' EXPERIENCES

**12.45-13.45 pm** Lunch

**13.45-15.15** **Session Three at the SRII** chaired by Murat Devres

#### GROUP DISCUSSIONS

**15.15-15.30 am** Tea/coffee break

**15.30-17.00 pm** **Roundtable session at the SRII** chaired by Seda Altuğ

**20.00 pm** Dinner for mentors and writing workshop participants

## DAY TWO (Thursday, 19 May 2022) ISTANBUL/KAVALA

Breakfast

**9.30-12.30 Session One at the SRII** chaired by Noémi Lévy-Aksu

FEEDBACK SESSIONS

**12.30-13.00** Lunch

**13.00** Departure from Istanbul

Distance 455 km (average time by motor vehicle 5h30)

+ 1 hour at the border

Interventions by Velika during the bus ride.

Participants taking notes.

**19.00 pm** Arrival in Kavala and registration at the Hotels

**20.00 pm** Dinner for mentors and workshop participants

PLACES OF INTEREST



## **DAY THREE (Friday, 20 May 2022) KAVALA**

Breakfast at Hotels

**Session One at the Swedish House** chaired by Cengiz Şişman

9.30-10.30

Write an essay on the journey

10.30-11.30

Readings of the essays

11.30-12.30 Book Discussion by Velika Ivkowska

12.30-13.30 Lunch **To Gyradiko tis Kavalas : El. Venizelou 42 (+30 251 021 20 54**

**13.30 Guided tour**

**Visit to the Kavala Archaeological Museum**

**Visit to the Tobacco Museum**

**Visit to the Municipal Tobacco Warehouse**

End of Tour near Aqueduct

19.00 What does the present evoke from the past – discussion-

**20.00** Dinner for mentors and workshop participants

**Apiko:** Erithrou Stavrou 2, Kavala (+30 251 022 7173)

## **DAY FOUR (Saturday, 21 May 2022) KAVALA**

Breakfast at Hotels

**Session One at the Imaret** chaired by Ümit Kurt

9.30-10.30

Write an essay on the first day of visit

10.30-11.30

Readings of the essays

11.30-12.30 Open Discussion chaired by Velika Ivkowska

12.30-13.30 am Lunch **Castello Pizza**: Poulidou 29, Kavala (+30 251 022 4000)

**13.30 Guided tour**

**Visit to the Kavala Fort**

**Visit to the Halil Bey Mosque**

**Visit to the Museum of Mehmet Ali**

End of Tour near Lighthouse of Kavala

19.00 pm Preconceptions about and reality in Kavala - discussion

**20.00 pm** Dinner for mentors and workshop participants

**Katsamaka tavern: Poulidou 41, Kavala**

**DAY FIVE (Sunday, 22 May 2022) KAVALA-ISTANBUL**

Breakfast at Hotels

**9.00 Departure from Kavala**

Distance 455 km (average time by motor vehicle 5h30)  
+ 1 hour at the border

**16.00 Arrival in Istanbul**