

M.Sc. in SHIPPING MANAGEMENT

*The word that
makes the difference!*

SEMINAR

Geopolitical Competition, Leadership & Alliances. *Geopolitics of Energy.*

Professor
Athanassios G. Platias

Professor
Konstantina E. Botsiou

DATE 1

Tuesday, 26 November 2024

TIME

18:00-21:00

PLACE

Orange Auditorium
University of Piraeus Main Building

DATE 2

Thursday, 28 November 2024

TIME

18:00-21:00

PLACE

Piraeus Chamber of Commerce & Industry | G. Kasimati 1, 18531 Piraeus

Geopolitical risk analysis:

1. Sino-American geopolitical competition
2. Global impact of the war in Ukraine
3. Sources of strategic instability in the Eastern Mediterranean and the broader Middle East
4. Geopolitics of energy
5. Supply chain rebalancing
6. Maritime security

Geopolitical Competition & Geopolitics of energy - part II

1. Geopolitical theory & historical changes in geopolitics
2. Geopolitics vs. ideology in international relations
3. Geopolitics & alliances. Geopolitics & leadership
4. Costs & benefits of alliances
Alliances for small powers & superpowers
5. Various types of governance & leadership
6. Current geopolitical competition



Professor Athanassios G. Platias after having received his Ph.D. from Cornell University taught for almost 35 years at the Departments of International and European Studies, University of Piraeus and Panteion University. A renowned international strategist and author who advises Organisations and Institutions globally in the fields of Geopolitics and Geoeconomics, International Security, International Relations and Defence Policy. In the past he has served as a Ford Foundation Fellow at Harvard University as well as a MacArthur Fellow in International Peace and Security at MIT and Harvard University. He is currently the president of the Council for International Relations-Greece.



Konstantina E. Botsiou is a Professor of History and International Relations at the University of Piraeus, Visiting Professor at the Hellenic National Defense College, and General Director of the Council for International Relations-Greece (CfIR). She has taught at the Department of Political Science and Public Administration, University of Athens, and at the Department of Political Science and International Relations, University of the Peloponnese. She has been a research fellow at LSE IDEAS, the Wilfried Martens Centre for European Studies and the Jean Monnet European Center of Excellence (Athens and Tübingen). She was also General Director and Vice President at the Konstantinos Karamanlis Institute for Democracy. Dr. Botsiou holds a PhD from the University of Tübingen.

MORE THAN **30**
YEARS



UNIVERSITY OF PIRAEUS
DEPT. OF MARITIME STUDIES



OF MARITIME STUDIES EXCELLENCE