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## Atlantic Council-AmCham Greece Inaugural Workshop on Energy Policy

Thursday, June 3, 2021

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. EDT

Virtual Zoom Call

## **Agenda**

9:45 a.m. **The Virtual Green Room Opens** 10:00 a.m. - 10:04 a.m. **Welcome and Opening Remarks** Mr. Benjamin Haddad, Director, Europe Center, Atlantic Council Mr. Nikolaos Bakatselos, President, American Hellenic Chamber of Commerce 10:04 a.m. - 10:05 a.m. **Moderated Discussion** Moderator: Ms. Katerina Sokou, Nonresident Senior Fellow, Europe Center, Atlantic Council; Washington DC Correspondent, Kathimerini 10:05 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. The Bilateral Perspective: The Hon. Geoffrey Pyatt, US Ambassador to the Hellenic Republic H.E. Alexandra Papadopoulou, Ambassador of the Hellenic Republic to the United States 10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. **Energy Policy Priorities:** Ms. Anna Shpitsberg, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Energy Resources, US Department of State (TBC) H.E. Kostas Skrekas, Minister of Environment and Energy of the Hellenic Republic 10:30 a.m. - 10:35 a.m. Green Recovery: Dr. Alexis Patelis, Chief Economic Advisor to the Prime Minister, Office of the Prime Minister of the Hellenic Republic 10:35 a.m. - 10:40 a.m. A Geopolitical Angle:

Mr. Joshua Volz, Director for Europe and Eurasia, US Department of Energy

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**10:40 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.** View from Congress:

Mr. Damian Murphy, Senior Professional Staff Member, Senate Foreign

**Relations Committee** 

**10:45 a.m. – 10:55 a.m.** Driving cooperation:

Mr. David Livingston, Senior Advisor, Office of the US Special

Presidential Envoy for Climate (TBC)

Mr. Kostantinos Frankogiannis, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the

Hellenic Republic (TBC)

**10:55 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.** Experts' View:

Minister Yannis Maniatis, Former Minister of Environment, Energy and

Climate Change of the Hellenic Republic; Associate Professor, University

of Piraeus

Amb. Amos Hochstein, Former Special Envoy and Coordinator for

International Energy Affairs, US Department of State; Fellow, Geopolitics

of Energy Project, Belfer Center, Harvard Kennedy School

11:05 a.m. – 11:25 a.m. Discussion

11:25 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Concluding Remarks

Ms. Olga Khakova, Associate Director, European Energy Security,

Global Energy Center, Atlantic Council

11:30 a.m. Session Ends