

Interdisciplinary Leadership Academy **2017**

MAKING SENSE OF THE NEW GLOBAL DISORDER

Dialogue, Culture, Knowledge

Experience the beauty of Greece & the global geopolitical economic complexities right at the continental crossroads of the Eastern Mediterranean acquiring unique competencies!

Program Highlights

- Learn with
 - an International prestigious Faculty from Universities in Europe and the U.S.
 - a select multicultural group of participants from around the world to work with
 - Innovative education based on dialogue and simulations encompassing the intertwined subjects of international affairs, security, political economy, governance and leadership, skills required by contemporary businesses
- Immerse in the culture of Crete and Greece, and experience the life not illustrated in the media
- Earn a Certificate and ECTS credits (Political Science, Global Studies, International Affairs and more electives upon prior arrangement with your Institution)
- Learn and Interact with renowned Diplomats, Politicians, Economists, Educators and Military Experts at the Chania Med Forum as "Leadership in Practice" (additional fees may apply)
- Visit exclusive military installations that are important in international geopolitics, meet with regional Administrators and the Governor
- Visit the Mediterranean Plant Conservation Unit and the seed bank that preserves accessions of wild, endemic and threatened plants of the Mediterranean, and the Institute of Olive tree, Subtropical plants and Viticulture to learn about olive oil and the project LIFE Oliveclima,
- Enjoy Mediterranean diet meals inscribed in UNESCO's List of Intangible Cultural Heritage prepared by a famous chef and learn the simple secrets of cooking yourself
- Learn about the Minoans at the World Heritage Historic Site of the Knossos palace and the world famous archaeological museum at Heraklion, see the 17th century Etz Hayyim Synagogue restored by The World Monuments Fund, walk around the Venetian Harbour and the narrow 14th century streets with remnants of the Minoan city of Chania, talk about religions at old monasteries, see Gutenberg's press
- Have fun at world acclaimed beaches like the Elafonissi Nature Reserve, gorges, vibrant night life
- Two optional events (additional fees apply):
 - Leadership visit in Athens: July 12-16, 2017 to include the Hellenic Parliament, the Presidency and more
 - Santorini, July 22, 2017

• $\underline{\text{module } \mathbf{I}}$ 17 - 23 July

The new Security Agenda – international Security - Contemporary Security implications, Economic Governance

■ module **II** 24 – 30 **July** *

Economy redefined – Geopolitical Economics (growing interaction between Geopolitics and Economics), International Development

module III31 July – 6 August

Leader or Follower? *-effective leadership traits, public diplomacy, MEANINGology*®

* CHANIA MED FORUM on Economy, Energy, Politics & Power 27 - 30 July