



**MEETING OF COSAC CHAIRPERSONS OF THE EU MED  
AGHIOS NIKOLAOS, CRETE 13-14 JUNE 2024**

**PROGRAMME**

**THURSDAY, 13 JUNE 2024**

**15.00-17.00 Arrival of participants**

**21.00** Working Dinner hosted by Mr Ioannis PLAKIOTAKIS, Vice President of the Hellenic Parliament and Chair of the Special Standing Committee on European Affairs “ The EU the day after the European elections: what comes next” (Minotaur Restaurant)

**FRIDAY, 14 JUNE 2024**

*Kyklades Conference Hall*

**09.30 – 10.45 The EU Enlargement Policy: are we ready to take the next step?**

Keynote speaker: Mr Margaritis SCHINAS, Vice President for Promoting our European Way of Life, European Commission

Debate

**Family Photo**

**10.45 – 12.00 Middle East crisis: where do we go from here?**

Keynote speaker: Ms Hélène LE GAL, Managing Director for Middle East and North Africa, European External Action Service

Debate

**12.00 Coffee Break**

**12.15 – 13.30 Migration in the EU: challenges and opportunities for the EU and the wider Mediterranean region**

Keynote speaker: Mr Notis MITARACHIS, MP, Former Minister of Migration and Asylum, Hellenic Republic

Debate

**13.30 – 14.00** Any other Business

**14.30** Lunch (Ostria Tavern, Plaka)

**16.30 – 18.30 Cultural Program - Visit to Spinalonga**

**20.30** Dinner (Platanos Tavern, Fourni)