

## New Strategy Center & SETA Roundtable

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*Introductory Remarks:* George Scutaru, CEO, New Strategy Center and Prof. Dr. Burhanettin Duran, General Coordinator, SETA

9:30-11:30 (Bucharest)/10:30-12:30 (Ankara)

### ***Security Challenges in the Balkans and the Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean***

Moderators: Ambassador (Ret.) Doru Costea, Senior Associate Expert, New Strategy Center and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Talha Köse, Director of SETA Brussel Office

- MG (Ret.) Leonardo Dinu, Member of the Scientific Council, New Strategy Center
- Dr. Mehmet Uğur Ekinci, Researcher, Foreign Policy, SETA
- Ambassador Cristian Diaconescu, member of the Scientific Council of the New Strategy Center
- Dr. Murat Aslan, Researcher, Security, SETA
- Ambassador Gheorghe Magheru, Member of the Scientific Council, New Strategy Center

11:30-11:45 (Bucharest)/12:30-12:45 (Ankara) – Break

11:45-12:45 (Bucharest)/12:45-13:45 (Ankara)

### ***The Security Challenges in MENA***

Moderator: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Talha Köse, Director of SETA Brussel Office

- Prof. Dr. Murat Yeşiltaş, Director, Security, SETA
- Ambassador Doru Costea, Senior Associate Expert, New Strategy Center

12:45-13:30 (Bucharest)/13:45-14:30 (Ankara) - Lunch Break

13:30-14:30 (Bucharest)/14:30-15:30 (Ankara)

### ***The Developments within the European Union***

Moderators: Ambassador (Ret.) Doru Costea, Senior Associate Expert, New Strategy Center and Mr. Bilgehan Öztürk, Security Researcher, Ankara, SETA

- Ambassador Lazăr Comănescu, Member of the Scientific Council, New Strategy Center
- Mr. Zafer Meşe, Coordinator of SETA Berlin

14:30-15:45 (Bucharest)/15:30-16:45 (Ankara)

### ***The Transatlantic Link under the New US Administration***

Ambassador (Ret.) Doru Costea, Senior Associate Expert, New Strategy Center and Mr. Bilgehan Öztürk, Security Researcher, Ankara, SETA

- Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kılıç Buğra Kanat, Research Director, Washington DC, SETA
- Ambassador Sergiu Celac, Honorary Chairman, New Strategy Center

- Ambassador Teodor Meleşcanu, Member of the Scientific Council, New Strategy Center

15:45-16:00 (Bucharest)/16:45-17:00 (Ankara)

***Conclusions***

Ambassador Sergiu Celac, Honorary Chairman, New Strategy Center

Prof. Dr. Muhittin Ataman, Director, Foreign Policy & Editor-in-chief, Insight Turkey,  
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