



Anglo-Turkish Society Newsletter no: 15– Summer / autumn 22

We wish all our members good autumn to come in 2022 and we resume and continue our live and online activities and events with your on-going support. To continue our work we do need your continued support and please ensure you continue to update your [memberships](#) and spread the word. Thank you.

Upcoming Events:

All events continue to be online and please book early to avoid disappointment.
Click links in blue text to reveal further information on individual entries.

20 September 2022, 6 pm (UK time)

Online lecture: 'Prisoner of the Infidels: The Life and Adventures of Osman Agha of Timișoara, An Ottoman Muslim in 17th-Century Europe', Giancarlo Casale

[Flyer:](#)

[Booking essential:](#)

27 September 2022, 6 pm

Roundtable discussion: 'Interpreting the shadows of urban memory in Istanbul and reviving the ancient for a contemporary world', Mr Mahir Polat, Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality

[Flyer:](#)

Booking essential via: contact@angloturkishsociety.org.uk

5 October 2022, 6 pm

Online lecture: 'Eugène Pittard and the Political-Anthropological Scene in Turkey in the 1930s', Prof. Dr. Hande Birkalan-Gedik

[Flyer:](#)

[Booking essential:](#)

25 October 2022, 6 pm (UK time)

Hybrid lecture: 'Translating from the Ottoman World', Jack Snowden

[Flyer:](#)

[Booking essential:](#)

External Events (all indicated as UK time):

21 September 2022, 4.15 pm (UK time)

Online lecture: 'The Last Muslim Conquest' - Gábor Ágoston – Österreichischen Akademie der Wissenschaften – [info:](#)

23 September 2022, 5.30 pm (UK time)

Online book launch & roundtable: 'The Alevis in Modern Turkey and the diaspora' - Ottoman and Turkish Studies, NYU – [flyer:](#)

28 September 2022, 7 pm

Book launch: 'Smyrna on my mind', George Galdies - Hellenic Centre London - [flyer:](#)

28 October 2022, 7 pm

Lecture: 'From Dragomans to Members of Parliament: The Greeks in Ottoman Politics on the Eve of the Great War', Dr Catherine Boura - Centre for Hellenic Studies, Council Room (K2.29), KCL Strand Campus, Strand, London - [info:](#)

Recent additions to website:

Nikos Michailidis online lecture: 'The Greek Turkish Relations and the Volunteers from Istanbul in WW2, 1939-1944', 22 March 2022 - [page:](#)

Dr Peter Alford Andrews in-person lecture: 'The Engendering of Ethnic Groups in the Republic of Turkey, maps and book', 28 March 2022 - [page:](#)

Kemal Kirişçi online lecture: 'Turkey as a country of refuge 1923-2023', 7 April 2022 - [page:](#)

Dweezil Vandekerckhove online lecture: 'Medieval Fortifications in Cilicia', 19 April 2022 - [page:](#)

Online lecture: 'Turkey and Russia in a Changing World', Prof Evren Balta, 31 May 2022 - [page:](#)

In-person concert: 'An evening of Alevi song and poetry', Dede Ferhat Tanrıverdi, 16 June 2022 - [page:](#)

Online lecture: 'A Failed Success: American Naval Engineers in Istanbul, 1831-1842', Ayşegül Avcı, 6 July 2022 - [page:](#)

In-person lecture: 'The Pioneering Life of Mary Wortley Montagu: Scientist and Feminist', Jo Willett, 13 July 2022 - [page:](#)

Thank you to all our speakers.

New Website:

Dragoman House: Translating Eastern Mediterranean for the World - [link:](#)

News:

Sale of painting on 30 March 2022: Pietro Longhi, The Procession of the Venetian Bailo Francesco Gritti in Constantinople, Venice, signed and dated 1731, Sotheby's, London - [link:](#)

New external podcasts:

A New History of The Eastern Question, Ozan Ozavci - Ottoman History Podcast, 22 April 2022 - [link:](#)

The Catastrophic Success of the Armenian Tanzimat, Richard Antaramian - Ottoman History Podcast, 4 May 2022 - [link:](#)

New external videos:

Conference: 'Occupied Istanbul: Urban Politics, Culture and Society, 1918-1923' - BIAA, American Research Institute in Turkey, 30 June - 2 July 2022 - [link:](#)

'Smyrna, 1922: The End of a Cosmopolitan City', Alexander Kitroeff & Fotini Christia - The Consulate General of Greece in Boston and College Year in Athens, 15 March 2022 - [link:](#)

'The English Consul - Chief of British Intelligence', Tom Rees, Noël Woolrych, George York - Levantine Heritage Foundation, 20 April 2022 - [link:](#)

'Changing by the Needs: The Story of the Hungarian Society in Constantinople', Gábor Fodor - Levantine Heritage Foundation, 5 April 2022 – [link:](#)

'Levantine-Polish Contacts in Late Ottoman Istanbul', Paulina Dominik - Levantine Heritage Foundation, 17 February 2022 – [link:](#)

'Croatian Levantines in Ottoman Istanbul', Dr Vjieran Kursar - Levantine Heritage Foundation, 8 December 2021 – [link:](#)

New books:

Metrics of Modernity: Art and Development in Postwar Turkey - Sarah-Neel Smith, University of California Press, 2022 – [link:](#)

The British and the Turks: A History of Animosity, 1893-1923 - Justin McCarthy, Edinburgh University Press, 2022 – [link:](#)

Architecture and Material Politics in the Fifteenth-century Ottoman Empire - Patricia Blessing, Cambridge University Press, 2022 – [link:](#)

The Delight of Turkish Dizi: Memory, Genre and Politics of Television in Turkey - Arzu Öztürkmen, The University of Chicago Press, 2021 – [link:](#)

The Power of the People: Everyday Resistance and Dissent in the Making of Modern Turkey, 1923-38 - Murat Metinsoy, Cambridge University Press, 2021 – [link:](#)

The Remaking of Republican Turkey: Memory and Modernity since the Fall of the Ottoman Empire - Nicholas Danforth, Cambridge University Press, 2022 – [link:](#)

The Last Muslim Conquest: The Ottoman Empire and Its Wars in Europe - Gábor Ágoston, Princeton University Press, 2021 – [link:](#)

The Gentle American - Ismini Lamb & Christopher Lamb, Gorgias Press, 2022 – [link:](#)

Competing Ideologies in the Late Ottoman Empire and Early Turkish Republic: Selected Writings of Islamist, Turkist, and Westernist Intellectuals - Ahmet Seyhun, I.B. Tauris, 2022 – [link:](#)

The First Capital of the Ottoman Empire: The Religious, Architectural, and Social History of Bursa - Suna Cagaptay, I.B. Tauris, 2022 – [link:](#)

Ottoman Culture and the Project of Modernity: Reform and Translation in the Tanzimat Novel - Monica M. Ringer & Etienne E. Charrière, I.B. Tauris, 2021 – [link:](#)

Turkey: The Insane and the Melancholy - Ece Temelkuran, Zed Books, 2022 – [link:](#)

Upcoming publications:

Women in the Ottoman Empire: A Social and Political History - Suraiya Faroqhi, I.B. Tauris, 23 Feb 2023 – [link:](#)

External article:

The Turkish Angel in the House: A Travelling Concept in the Housewife Poems of Ziya Gökalp and Halide Nusret Zorlutuna, Fatma Fulya Tepe & Per Bauhn, Journal of International Women's Studies: Vol. 24: Iss. 5, Article 2. – [link:](#)

Information:

You have received this newsletter as you are a member of the Anglo-Turkish Society and have provided an e-mail which we hope is current. If you wish to opt-out of future communications or update us on your live e-mail address, please get in touch with us.

Craig Encer, Events coordinator

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