

**16TH JOINT ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

**İstanbul**

**November 14, 2019**

- 8:30 am**     **Registration**
- 9:00 am**     **Opening Remarks**
- 9:00 am**     **Osman Okyay**  
Chair  
**DEİK/Turkey-Canada Business Council (TCBC)**
- 9:05 am**     **Hon. Gar Knutson**  
Chair  
**Canada Turkey Business Council (CTBC)**
- 9:10 am**     **Nail Olpak**     *tbc*  
President  
**DEİK**
- 9:15 am**     **Brahim Achtoutal**  
Consul General  
**Canadian Consulate General, İstanbul**
- 9:10 am**     **Hon. Gonca Yılmaz Batur**  
Vice Minister  
**Turkish Ministry of Trade**
- 9:20 am**     **Hon. Jonathan Fried**  
Personal Representative of the Prime Minister of  
Canada to the G20;  
Coordinator, International Economic Relations,  
**Global Affairs Canada**
- 9:30 pm**     **Panel I - Economic Perspectives**
- Marie-France Paquet**     *tbc*  
Chief Economist  
**Global Affairs Canada**
- Turkish Economic Outlook**     *tbd*

**10:15 am Panel II – Providing Canadian Turnkey Solutions in the Healthcare Education and Life Sciences Sector (THE PANEL COMPOSITION WILL BE DETERMINED BY CHIEA/CRAIG CEPPELLI)**

**Prof.Dr. Gazi Yiğitbaşı (Moderator)**  
Chairman  
Health Business Council

**Dr.Andrew Padmos**  
CEO  
Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada

**Dr. Ahmet Çetin** *tbc*  
Directorate General of Health Services  
Ministry of Health of Turkey

**Dr. Paul Wood**  
President & CEO  
London Health Sciences Centre

**Sylvain Beaudry** *tbc*  
Director, Strategic Alliances and Business Development  
CAE Healthcare  
OR  
**Carolyn Triemstra**  
Dean  
Niagara College Community and Health Studies

**11:00 am Coffee Break**

**11:15 am Panel III – Utilizing Advanced Technologies Across Sectors**

**Banu Tesal (Moderator)**  
Advisor to the Board  
Netaş

**Arda ÖZgün**  
Vice President  
Wesley Clover

**Zahide Sezerman**  
Vice President, Human Resources  
**OZ Optics**

**Panelist 3/Tech Firm**

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**Panelist 4/ Turkish Tech Firm**

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**12:00 Lunch**

**Famer Engin**  
Senior Regional Manager  
Export Development Canada (EDC)

**1.30 pm Networking and B2B Session**

**3.30 pm End of Conference**