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PRESS RELEASE

RE: Roundtable Discussion on Fake News and Fake Facts: Euro-Exits and USA-Exits and the Brexit, 8 May 2017, Hellenic American University, 22 Massalias Street, Athens, Greece.

The Athens Institute for Education and Research (ATINER) will be organizing a Roundtable Discussion on:

“Fake News and Fake Facts: Euro-Exits and USA-Exits and the Brexit”

as part of the 15th Annual International Conference on Communication and Mass Media. The Roundtable Discussion will take place on **Monday, 8 May 2017 at 18:30**, at the Hellenic American University, 22 Massalias Street, Athens, Greece. The working language will be English, without interpretation.

Speakers:

1. **Edge Marc**, Associate Professor, University of Malta, Malta. *Fake News is Nothing New and Nothing That Can't Be Fixed.*
2. **Lee Artz**, Professor of Media Studies, Director of Graduate Studies for the Department of Communication and Creative Arts and Co-Director of the Center of Global Studies, Purdue University Northwest, USA. *Fake News, Real Problems: Spin and Propaganda from Clinton to Trump.*
3. **Neill Fitzpatrick**, Assistant Professor, MacEwan University, Canada. *Under Siege: Journalism's Struggle to Survive in the Post-Truth Era.*
4. **Madhusri Shrivastava**, Associate Professor, Indian Institute of Management Indore, India. *Blurry Lines and Sharp Divides: India's Encounter with Fake Facts.*
5. **Anda Rozukalne**, Associate Professor and Head of Communication Studies Department, Riga Stradins University, Latvia. *Latvian model of disinformation: Russian speaking media, invented failure stories and the hyperactive Internet trolls.*

The Roundtable Discussion will be chaired by Gregory T. Papanikos, President, ATINER & Honorary Professor, University of Stirling, UK. The program is available at <https://www.atiner.gr/events/8May2017Media.pdf>.

The list of events organized by the Institute is available on the Institute's website: <https://www.atiner.gr/event>. This event is free of charge, but pre-registration is required. For further information, please contact Ms. Fani Balaska at +30 210 3634210 or by email at info@atiner.gr.

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