

Event hosted by **Lord Stone of Blackheath** and **International Confederation of Pontian Hellenes**

Date: 24th May 2017

The destruction of an ancient civilisation: the Genocide of the Ottoman Greeks in Pontus

Venue: Cholmondeley Room & Terrace, House of Lords, Parliament Square, London, SW1A 0PW, United Kingdom.

15:30 Welcome and introductory remarks

15:35 Opening address, Prof. George Parcharidis

15:40 Introduction film: In the Footsteps of the Argonauts

15:50: Prof Tessa Hofmann, Free University of Berlin, Germany.

“Genocide in three phases: The Case of the Greek Orthodox Christians in the Ottoman Empire (1912-1922)”

16:10 Prof. Hannibal Travis, Florida International University, USA

"Genocide by Deportation into Poverty: The Fate of Pontus, Thrace, and the Smyrna Region in Light of International Law"

16:30 Prof. Colum Murphy, Geneva School of Diplomacy and International Relations, Switzerland.

"The Refugee Tragedy - Greece and Turkey in Today's New Universe"

15:50 Concluding remarks, Dr. Theodosios Kyriakidis

End of the event