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## ITALY TURKEY INNOVATION DAY

Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019, 9.00 a.m.  
TÜBİTAK Headquarter: Tunus Cad. 80 Kavaklıdere ANKARA

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### PROGRAM:

- 09:00 – 09.20 Registration**
- 09.20 – 10.00 Opening Speeches**  
Prof. Hasan Mandal, President of TÜBİTAK  
Massimo Gaiani, Ambassador of Italy to Turkey  
Fabrizio Nicoletti, Director of Innovation and Research, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Mehmet Fatih Kacır, Deputy Minister of Industry and Technology
- 10.00 – 11.15 SESSION 1 : “Innovation and Enterprises”**  
ARGOSAI, CEO M. Alphan Karadeniz: A Start-up Story  
**Panel Discussion:**  
TOFAŞ, R&D Director Vincenzo Cusolito  
PIRELLI, R&D Director Mauro Soatto  
PROMETEON, Global CTO Alexandre Bregantim  
YAPI KREDİ, Director of Digital Banking Channels Evren Şahin
- 11:15 – 11.40 Coffee break**
- 11.40 – 13.00 SESSION 2 : “Research as a Bridge”**  
Turkish Space Agency President Serdar Hüseyin Yıldırım (tbc)  
TÜBİTAK Space Technologies Research Institute Director Assoc. Prof. Lokman Kuzu (tbc)  
ASI, Innovation and Technology Transfer Unit Responsible Dave AnilKumar  
AVIO Representatives  
LEONARDO TELESPAZIO Representatives  
**TÜBİTAK – CNR Scientific cooperation between Italy and Turkey, ongoing projects:**  
CNR Researchers Annarita Poli , Marco Lazzarino,  
EU Research Programmes Expert Giuseppe Zollino,  
TÜBİTAK MAM researchers Özgür Duygulu, Elif Altürk,  
TURBODEN-TÜPRAŞ Sales Area Manager Filippo Vescovo