



## WORLD ORDERS AND THE EUROPEAN FOREIGN AND SECURITY POLICIES IN THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY

Keynote Speaker

***Robert Francis Cooper***

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*Economic Policy Research Foundation of Turkey (TEPAV), in cooperation with the International Relations Department of TOBB University of Economics and Technology, will be hosting a round-table meeting with the prominent British diplomat, political thinker, writer of “The Breaking of Nations: Order and Chaos in the Twenty-First Century” and Director General at the General Secretariat of the Council of the EU, Mr. Robert Francis Cooper. We would be pleased if you could join our meeting to be held at the 4<sup>th</sup> Floor*

***Senate Room of***

***TOBB University of Economics and Technology***

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***on February 22, 2006 at 17.30-19.30***

### Meeting Agenda

- **World Orders: Old and New Doctrine of “New Liberal Imperialism”**
- **Emerging European Security Structure and Security of Europeans**
- **Europe as a World Power: Fiction or Fact?**
- **European Security and Defense Policy**
- **Future of the EU and Turkey**

Robert Francis Cooper was born on 28 August 1947 in Brentwood, Essex, and educated at the Delamere School for Boys, Nairobi, Kenya and Worcester College, Oxford. He spent the academic year 1969-1970 at the University of Pennsylvania on a Thuron Scholarship and joined the Diplomatic Service of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office in 1970. As a diplomat, he has worked at various British Embassies abroad, notably those in Tokyo and Bonn. At the Foreign Office, he was Head of the Policy Planning Staff from 1989 to 1993. He has also been seconded to the Bank of England and spent a period in the Cabinet Office as Deputy Secretary for Defense and Overseas Affairs. He was the UK's Special Representative in Afghanistan until mid-2002.