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## AthensPIL Research Exchange

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting (hybrid event)

We are happy to announce our third, and last for this academic year, Research Exchange! The meeting will take place on **Wednesday 15 June** 18:00-19:30 at Athens PIL premises (47 Academias str., 3<sup>rd</sup> floor) and online (via zoom).

We will have the pleasure to hear from Ms. Myrto Stavridi, graduate from the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, presenting on “**Preparing for a PhD Research Proposal**”. She will be initiating a discussion around the procedure leading to the submission of a new PhD proposal, sharing her own experience and exchanging thoughts with other colleagues at the same stage of their career as well as with more senior researchers who can offer insights and advice. Apart from the substance of the proposal, we will also aim to tackle general questions regarding the manner we approach and explore a PhD topic, finding an original research field, choosing a methodology suited to our project, as well as more formal ones such as the sections of the proposal and the research questions, the selection criteria regarding universities or supervisors. To complement Myrto’s presentation and further the discussion, Dr. Papastavridis will serve as a discussant.

#### *Short Bio of the Presenter:*

**Ms. Myrto Stavridi** is a practicing attorney registered with the Athens Bar Association and the coordinator of the Refugee and Migration Studies Hub of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens. She is also the coach of the team representing the university in the Helga Pedersen Moot Court Competition. She holds an LL.B. and an LL.M. (with distinction) from the same university. Her interest areas include general public international law, international human rights law, and international dispute settlement.

#### *Discussant:*

**Dr. Efthymios Papastavridis**, Fellow, Athens PIL, Researcher and Teaching Associate, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens and University of Oxford.

All those interested in participating should subscribe to the event (*link provided upon request*).

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