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MED NEWS HEADLINES FROM THE MEDITERRANEAN

Politics

Turkey's Erdogan Says Social Media A 'Threat to Democracy' (The Washington Post)

Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan described social media Saturday as one of the main threats to democracy. Read more here.

UN Raises Alarm Over 'Continuing' Expulsions Of Asylum Seekers From Libya (HW English)

Asylum-seekers and other migrants continue to be forcefully expelled from Libya, raising concerns at the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (UNHCR). Read more here.

New Caledonia Might Be About to Break from France. Here's Why the World Is Watching (OPB)

Many voters in the French territory of New Caledonia go to the polls this Sunday to vote on a referendum on independence — again. Read more <u>here</u>.

Israel, Greece, and Cyprus Bringing Order to Region (The Jerusalem Post)

Israel, Greece, and Cyprus have established an efficient mode of regional cooperation since 2016. Read more here.

Environment

Turkey And Neighbors Pledge to Clean Up Mediterranean (France 24)

Turkey and its neighbors pledged Friday to do a better job addressing the threats posed by pollution to people's health and the natural habitats of the Mediterranean Sea. Read more here.

The Era of Environmentally & Socially Conscious Entities: ESG In Cyprus (Mondaq)

Today's world calls for businesses which are not merely entities serving an economic purpose, but conscious beings whose decisions shape the world we live in.... Read more <u>here</u>.

East Med, Environment on Agenda of Trilateral Summit (Cyprus Mail)

President Nicos Anastasiades will fly to Jerusalem on Monday evening to participate in the eighth trilateral summit between Cyprus, Greece, and Israel, which kicks off on Tuesday. Read more here.

Energy Transition Is Unstoppable (Cyprus Mail)

Energy transition is unstoppable, particularly in Europe. Despite the current energy crisis, calls for faster energy transition during COP26. Read more here.

Culture & Archeology

At The Source of Fraternity and Humanity (L'Osservatore Romano)

Ahead of his Apostolic Journey to Cyprus and Greece, Pope Francis described his visit as a pilgrimage to the sources of fraternity, of Europe and of humanity. Read more here.

Egypt: The Curse of Tutankhamen. Deaths Of Tomb Discoverers and The History of Mystification (Spark Chronicles)

The "Curse of Tutankhamen", which allegedly fell on the team of explorers, joined the list of the most widely known myths and hoaxes. Read more <u>here</u>.

Caricature of the Week



Water Wars
It is dedicated to blacks who are fighting not only hunger but also war.
You can find the original link here.

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