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## **Consul General of Turkey visiting Portland State University (PSU)**

PSU Center for Turkish Studies, Mark O. Hatfield School of Government and PSU Middle East Studies Center are hosting a reception in honor of Consul General of Turkey Hakan Tekin. PSU Center for Turkish Studies faculty, administrators, Turkish students and the community are invited to welcome Hakan Tekin at this reception where Mr. Tekin will discuss recent trends in Turkish foreign policy, followed by Q & A session. This event will take place on October 18<sup>th</sup>, between 5-7pm on the 2nd floor (Parson Gallery), Urban Center **(by invitation only)**.

Please contact via email at [bugdayb@pdx.edu](mailto:bugdayb@pdx.edu) if you have any questions.

**About Hakan Tekin (Copyright information /picture are courtesy of Consulate General of Turkey, Los Angeles website):**



Graduated from Ankara University, Faculty of Political Sciences, Department of International Relations in 1989.

Joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Turkey in December 1990.

Worked at the Departments of Culture, Central Asia, Human Rights, Balkans and Personnel at the Ministry.

Served at the Turkish Embassies in Abu Dhabi/United Arab Emirates, Sofia/Bulgaria, attended the NATO Defense College Senior Course in Rome and worked at the Permanent Mission of Turkey to the United Nations in New York.

Assumed his current post in Los Angeles as Consul General as of 15 April 2007.

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