

TRAVELLERS IN OTTOMAN LANDS

Places forgotten, places remembered

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EXCURSIONS

THE TULIP GARDENS

Emirgan Korusu, Istanbul

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Cumhuriyet, Abide-i Hürriyet Cd No:5,
34380 Şişli, Istanbul

TOPICS

- Memorials, cemeteries, places of worship
- Explorers and photographers
- Architecture
- Women travellers
- Art, Culture and cuisine
- Travel and exile
- Archaeology
- Modes of travel
- Horticulture and botany
- Famous travellers

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

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