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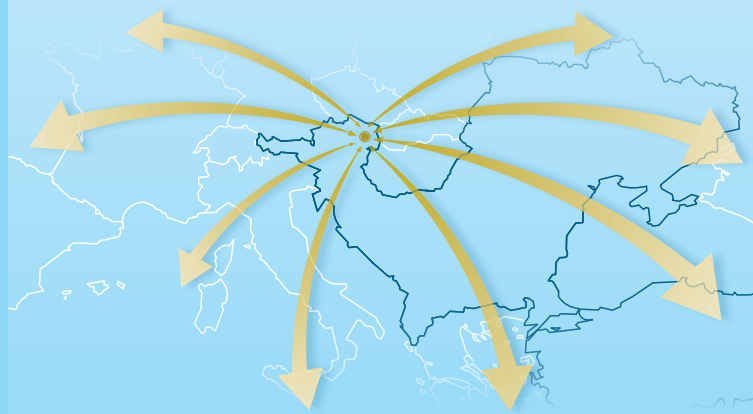
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19th VIENNA ECONOMIC FORUM VIENNA FUTURE DIALOGUE 2022

Economy Meets Politics in Difficult and Uncertain Times

14 November 2022
Raiffeisen Bank International
Raiffeisen Hall
Am Stadtpark 9
1030 Vienna



Working Language: English

PROGRAMME

SUNDAY, 13 NOVEMBER 2022

LOCATION

Hotel Imperial
Kärntner Ring 16, 1015 Vienna

6:00–8:00 p.m. **WELCOME COCKTAIL (by invitation)**
hosted by the Board of
Vienna Economic Forum
and Verbund AG



MONDAY, 14 NOVEMBER 2022

LOCATION

Raiffeisen Bank International, Raiffeisen Hall
Am Stadtpark 9
1030 Vienna

8:15–8:45 a.m. **REGISTRATION**8:45–8:55 a.m. **FAMILY PHOTO (by invitation)**9:00–9:30 a.m. **1st SESSION**

CAN THE ECONOMY BE A DRIVING FORCE IN DIFFICULT AND UNCERTAIN TIMES

Moderation

Amb. Victor JACKOVICH, *President,*
Jackovich International LLC, USA
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Opening

DI Peter UMUNDUM, *Member of the*
Executive Board of the Österreichische Post AG
President of Vienna Economic Forum

Welcome and Input

Mag. Peter LENNKH, *Member of the Management*
Board, Corporate Banking, Raiffeisen Bank International
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Impulse Statement

H.E. Ms. Mariya GABRIEL, *European Commissioner*
for Innovation, Research, Culture, Education and Youth
(Video Statement)

Insight

Amb. Dr. Elena KIRTCHEVA, *Member of the Board*
Secretary General of Vienna Economic Forum

9:30–11:00 a.m. **2nd SESSION**

SECURING REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN AN INSECURE ENVIRONMENT. HOW TO MANAGE THE CHALLENGES UNDER THE PRESSURE OF THE REALITY?

Moderation

Amb. Victor JACKOVICH, *President,*
Jackovich International LLC, USA
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Keynote

H.E. Mr. Albin KURTI
Prime Minister of the Republic of Kosovo
Patron of Vienna Economic Forum

Participants in the Discussion

Mr. Djordje RADULOVIC
Foreign Policy Advisor to the Prime Minister
Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Montenegro
Mag. Peter HÖFINGER, *Member of the Board,*
Vienna Insurance Group AG Wiener Versicherung
Gruppe, Vice-President of Vienna Economic Forum
Mr. Branko AZESKI, *President*
Economic Chamber of North Macedonia
Mag. Thomas ARNOLDNER, *CEO,*
AI Telekom Austria Group AG
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum
Dr. Stephan PACHINGER LL.M., *Partner,*
Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Insight

H.E. Mr. Olivér VÁRHELYI, *European Commissioner*
for Neighbourhood and Enlargement (Video Statement)

Q AND A SESSION

with the Audience (led by the Moderator)

11:00–11:30 a.m. **COFFEE BREAK**11:30 a.m. **3rd SESSION**

1:15 p.m.

ENHANCED COOPERATION BETWEEN THE REGIONAL ECONOMY AND POLITICS – WHAT IS THE RIGHT WAY?

Moderation

Amb. Victor JACKOVICH, *President,*
Jackovich International LLC, USA
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Keynotes

Dr. Lilyana PAVLOVA, *Vice-President*
European Investment Bank (EIB) (Video Statement)
Mr. Ahmet Burak DAĞLIOĞLU, *President,*
Presidency of the Republic of Türkiye Investment Office
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Participants in the Discussion

Dr. Achim KASPAR, *Member of the Executive Board,*
COO, Verbund AG
Vice-President of Vienna Economic Forum
Dr. Nina DRAKIĆ, *President*
Chamber of Economy of Montenegro
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum
Mr. Burak BILGE, *CEO of Austria Card Türkiye and*
President of Türkiye-Austria Business Council at the
Foreign Economic Relations Board of Türkiye (DEİK)
Strategic Partner of Vienna Economic Forum
Mag. Teodora GEORGIEVA
Executive Officer and Board Member,
ICGB AD Gas Interconnector Greece-Bulgaria
Dr. Gabriel LANSKY, *Partner, LANSKY, GANZGER,*
GOETH, FRANKL + Partner (LGP)
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum
Dr. Nikolay TSENKOV, *Manager of Municipal*
Guarantee Fund of Sofia Municipality
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Insight

Ms. Velina TCHAKAROVA, M.A., *Director, Austrian*
Institute for European and Security Policy (AIES)

Q AND A SESSION

with the Audience (led by the Moderator)

11:15–1:30 p.m. **ANNUAL AWARD CEREMONY**
PRESIDENCY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TÜRKIYE
INVESTMENT OFFICE –
COOPERATION PARTNER OF THE YEAR 2022

1:30 p.m. **End of the live streaming**

1:30–2:30 p.m. **NETWORKING TIME – BUFFET LUNCH –**
for the onsite participants

Possibilities for

BILATERAL MEETINGS FOR VEF MEMBERS
(organized by VEF)