

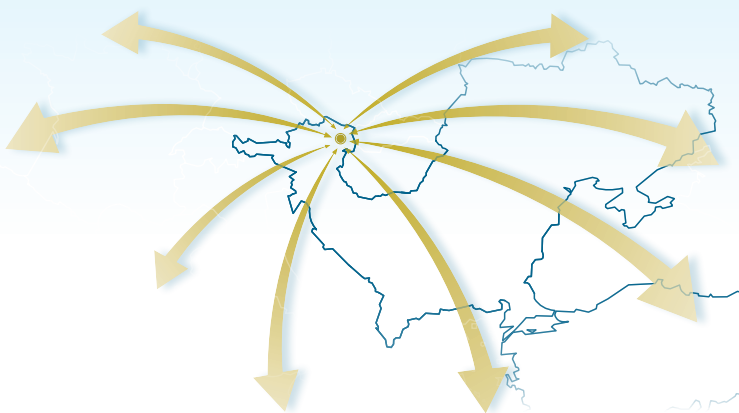


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NEW PERSPECTIVES FOR THE REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

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PROGRAM

9:00–9:45 a.m. **REGISTRATION and Welcome Coffee**

9:40–9:45 a.m. **FAMILY PHOTO** (by invitation)

9:45–11:45 a.m. **INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION**

NEW PERSPECTIVES FOR THE REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

Moderation

Amb. Victor JACKOVICH

*President of **Jackovich International LLC, USA**
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum*

Dr. Sonja SAGMEISTER

Author and Journalist, ZIB 2, ORF

Welcome and Opening

Amb. Dr. Elena KIRTICHEVA, *Secretary General
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Mag. Thomas ARNOLDNER

CEO, A1 Telekom Austria Group AG

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DI Dr. Günther RABENSTEINER

President of Vienna Economic Forum

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OVERVIEWS OF THE NEW PERSPECTIVES FOR THE REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

Keynotes

H.E. Dr. Johannes HAHN

*European Commissioner for Neighbourhood Policy
and Enlargement Negotiations*

H.E. Mr. Zoran ZAEV

Prime Minister of the Republic of North Macedonia

Short Statements from the side of the Government of the Republic of North Macedonia

H.E. Dr. Kocho ANGJUSHEV

*Deputy Prime Minister responsible for Economic
Affairs and coordination with the Economic Sectors*

H.E. Dr. Dragan TEVDOVSKI, *Minister of Finance*

H.E. Dr. Arber ADEMI

Minister of Education and Science

Participants in the interactive discussion

Mag. Stefan SZYSZKOWITZ

*Spokesman of the Executive Board, EVN AG
Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum*

Mag. Heinz MESSINGER, *AME International GmbH*

Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Mr. Andrew MCDOWELL, *Vice President*

European Investment Bank (EIB), Luxembourg

Dr. Linda VAN GELDER, *Regional Director for the Western Balkans World Bank*

Mr. Gorazd REŽONJA, *Policy Analyst, South East Europe, Global Relations, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), Paris*

Mr. Symeon TSOMOKOS, *Founder and Chairman of the Delphi Economic Forum, Greece*

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Q AND A

with the Audience (led by the Moderators)

11:45 a.m.–
12:30 p.m.

NETWORKING TIME for all participants
BILATERAL TALKS between **ECONOMY** and **POLITICS** (for VEF-Members only)

12:30–2:00 p.m.

Prolonged informal discussion
for all participants in the framework of a
LUNCH BUFFET

2:00 p.m.

**END OF VIENNA ECONOMIC TALKS –
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