

DIALOGUE OF CONTINENTS 2020

November 4-6 (digital forum)



THE NEW AGE OF IMAGINATION

DAY 1: Wednesday November 4 Towards a New Geopolitical Order

10:20-11:30 CET

WELCOMING REMARKS

EMBRACING THE AGE OF IMAGINATION AND UNCERTAINTIES: THE GLOBAL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL IMPACT OF COVID 19

- **Piroska Nagy-Mohácsi (chair):** Interim Director, Institute of Global Affairs, LSE
- **Marc Uzan:** Executive Director, Reinventing Bretton Woods Committee
- **Henning Vöpel:** Director & CEO, Hamburg Institute of International Economics
- **Kim Heungchong:** President, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy
- **Antonella Mei-Pochtler:** Special Advisor to the Chancellor Austria, and Head of Strategy Unit Think Austria
- **Zhu Guangyao:** Former Vice Minister of Finance China
- **Loubna Bouarfa:** CEO and Founder, OKRA Technologies
- **Adkins Zheng:** Chairman and Chief Algorithm Officer, TCSA

15:00-16 :00 CET

A NEW GEOPOLITICAL ORDER?

- **Henry Farrell:** Professor at Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies, and the 2019 recipient of the Friedrich Schiedel Prize for Politics and Technology
- **George Kvirikashvili:** International Advisor, EBRD, and Prime Minister of Georgia (2015 - 2018)
- **Jonathan Hackenbroich:** Policy Fellow for Economic Statecraft (ECFR)

- **Dongsheng Di:** Associate Dean and Professor of International Political Economics/World Economy, School of International Studies at Renmin University of China

17:00-18:00 CET

THE LONG-TERM IMPACT OF COVID

- **Howard Chang (chair):** Vice President of Global Affairs, TCSA
- **Venky Venkateswaran:** Associate Professor of Economics NYU
- **Lei Ding:** Senior Community Development Economic Adviser, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia
- **Benjamin Pring:** Partner, Cognizant

DAY 2: Thursday November 5

A New Paradigm of Policy Making

13:00- 14: 15 CET

CENTRAL BANKING-EXPANDING MONETARY POLICY EXPERIMENTATION

- **Isabelle Mateos y Lago (chair):** Global Head of BlackRock's Official Institutions Group
- **Viral Acharya:** Professor of Economics, NYU
- **Sayuri Shirai:** Professor of Economics, Keio University, Former Bank of Japan Policy Board Member
- **Ilan Goldfajn:** Chairman of the Board, Credit Suisse Brazil and Founding Partner and Director CDPP
- **Athanasios Orphanides:** Professor of Economics, MIT
- **Vitor Constancio:** President School Board, School of Economics and Management University of Lisboa

15:00- 15: 50 CET

FINANCIAL INCLUSION, DIGITAL FINANCE

- **Oksana Pak (Chair):** Head of Access to Finance and Entrepreneurship, EBRD
- **Heba Ali:** Chief, Research and Statistics Division, Arab Monetary Fund
- **Denelle Dixon:** Executive Director, Stellar Foundation
- **Subir Lall :** Deputy Director, Central Asia and Middle East Department , IMF
- **Kairat Kaliyev:** Deputy CEO, Chairman Fintech Hub, Astana International Financial Center

16:00-17:00 CET

THE NEW DIGITALISATION OF INTERNATIONAL FINANCE AND THE FUTURE OF THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY SYSTEM

- **Ousmene Mandeng (chair):** Senior Advisor, Accenture
- **Jean Pierre Landau:** Former Deputy Governor, Banque de France
- **Rod Garratt:** Chair in Economics, University of Santa Barbara
- **Harold James:** Professor of History, Princeton University
- **Livio Stracca:** Deputy Director General International Relations, ECB
- **Leanne Zeng:** Vice-President of global Affairs, TCSA

17:10- 18:00 CET

UNORTHODOX TIMES, UNORTHODOX FISCAL POLICY

- **Henning Vöpel (chair):** Director & CEO, Hamburg Institute of International
- **Atif Mian:** Professor of Economics, Princeton University
- **Jakob Von Weizsäcker:** Chief Economist, Ministry of Finance, Germany
- **Betsey Stevenson:** Professor of Economics, University of Michigan
- **Niels Thygesen:** Chairman, European Fiscal Board

DAY 3: Friday November 6

A New Era of Change

On the road to Naples for Dialogue of Continents 2021



8:45-10:30 CET

WELCOMING REMARKS: ON THE ROAD TO NAPLES CONFERENCE (8:45-9:00)

- **Marc Uzan:** Executive Director, Reinventing Bretton Woods Committee
- **Henning Vöpel:** Director & CEO, Hamburg Institute of International Economics
- **Massimo Deandreis:** General Manager, SRM (Economic Research Center related to Intesa Sanpaolo Group)

OPENING SPEECH: INVESTING IN EDUCATION AND NEW SKILLS FOR A NEW ERA OF CHANGE (9:00-9:15)

- **Francesco Profumo:** President of ACRI and Compagnia Di San Paolo. Former Italian Minister of Education and Research

THE ECONOMICS OF CONNECTIVITY: BUILDING BRIDGES FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE (9:15-10:30)

- **Ekaterina Kozyreva (chair):** President IEC International
- **Zeno D'Agostino:** Head of the Port Authority, Trieste
- **Baur Bektemirov:** Chief Economist, AIFC
- **Alexey Grom:** President, United Transport and Logistics Company
- **Mario Holzner:** Director, Vienna Institute for international Economics
- **Philip Sweens:** Managing Director, HHLA International
- **Ulrich Baldauf:** Head of IT Innovation and Strategy, Hamburg Port of Authority

13:00-14 00 CET

INCLUSIVE GROWTH AGENDA: A MODIFIED GLOBALISATION?

- **Krishna B. Kumar (chair):** Director, International Research, RAND
- **Gabriela Ramos:** Assistant Director-General for Social and Human Sciences, UNESCO
- **Felipe Larrain:** Former Finance Minister, Chile and Professor of Economics, Universidad Catolica de Chile
- **Sufian Ahmed:** Former Finance Minister Ethiopia
- **Massimiliano Castelli:** Managing Director, UBS Asset Management
- **Rakesh Mohan:** President, Brookings India, Centre for Social and Economic Progress

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SDG FINANCING POST COVID 19 RECOVERY IN EMERGING MARKETS

- **Shamshad Akhtar (chair):** Former Head, UN ESCAP
- **Mattia Romani:** Managing Director, EBRD
- **James Roaf:** Coordinator Climate Change Policy, Assistant Director IMF
- **Michael Hugman:** Director, Finance Climate Children's Investment Foundation
- **Leslie Maasdorp:** Chief Financial Officer, New Development Bank
- **Luis Oganés:** Managing Director Emerging Markets Research, JP Morgan

16:30 -17:30 CET

THE 3R's: RESILIENCE, RESHORING AND REPURPOSING

- **Marie-Christine von Hahn (chair):** Vice-President, Aurubis
- **Enrico Giovannini:** Professor of Economic Statistics and Sustainable Development at the Tor Vergata University of Rome
- **Federico Steinberg:** Senior Analyst, Elcano Royal Institute
- **Petre Roman:** Former Prime Minister of Romania, Professor at University Politehnica Bucharest

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