



2024 BEYOND EXPO
The Age of AI: Unlocking the Potential

Friday April 26, 2024
Agenda

Pavilion 13

SEE BEYOND Ministerial Leadership Dialogue 2024
Toward a Digitally Flourishing South-East Europe
Chaired by the Minister of Digital Governance of the Hellenic Republic



10.00 – 10.15 Welcome Remarks

- Dimitris Papastergiou, Minister of Digital Governance, Hellenic Republic
- Michael Stangos, Co-founder IDGC, Partner L-Stone
- Konstantinos Foutzopoulos, Executive Director, SEE BEYOND Leadership Dialogue

10.15 – 12.00 Ministerial Dialogue | Charting the Path to Regional Digital Growth: The Future of Innovative Investments, Regional Convergence and Challenges

- Dimitris Papastergiou, Minister of Digital Governance, Hellenic Republic
- Mehmet Fatih Kacir, Minister of Industry and Technology, Türkiye
- Andjela Jaksic – Stojanovic, Minister of Education, Science and Innovation, Montenegro
- Romina Kuko, Deputy Minister of Interior, Albania
- Miroslav Trajanović, State Secretary, Ministry of Science, Innovation, and Technological Development, Serbia

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- Spomenka Djuric, State Secretary, Ministry of Regional Development and EU Funds, Croatia
- Kristian Bartholin, Secretary General, Committee on Artificial Intelligence, Council of Europe
- Moderator: Konstantinos Foutzopoulos, Executive Director, SEE BEYOND Leadership Dialogue

12.00 – 12.30 Coffee Break

12.30 – 14.00 Stakeholders Dialogue | Building Cyber Resilience in the Balkans: Collaborative Strategies in a year of multi-elections

- Michail Bletsas, Governor, National Cybersecurity Authority, Hellenic Republic
- Evangelos Ouzounis, Head of Policy Development and Implementation Unit, ENISA
- Franziska Klopfer, Principal Programme Manager in the Europe and Central Asia Division of the Geneva Centre for Security Sector Governance (DCAF)
- Thanassis Dogios, EU Lead, X-Force IR, IBM
- Anne Theresa Blickhan, Consultant, Agora Strategy Group
- Moderator: Konstantinos Foutzopoulos, Executive Director, SEE BEYOND Leadership Dialogue

14.00 – 15.00 Working Lunch

15.00 – 16.00 Stakeholders Dialogue | Overcoming Digital Fragmentation: Fostering Regional Cooperation in South- East Europe in the AI Era

- Dimosthenis Anagnostopoulos, Secretary General for Information Systems and Digital Governance, Hellenic Republic
- Jaroslav Ponder, Head of the Office for Europe, International Telecommunication Union (ITU)
- Gavril Flores, Chief Strategy Officer, Digital Innovation Authority, Ministry for the Economy, Enterprise and Strategic Projects, Malta
- Maria Bozoudi, Senior Advisor, Industry, Growth, Technology & Innovation, Hellenic Federation of Enterprises (SEV)
- Milica Vesovic, Programme Manager, Innovative Solutions for Human Rights and Justice Unit, Directorate General of Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe
- Dimitrios Batzis, Head of Southern CEE & Mediterranean countries, ESG Representative Germany, Austria & CEEMED
- George Saliaris-Fasseas, General Manager, Alter Ego Media
- Orestis Omran, Partner, Head of Greece Country Group, DLA Paper



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DIALOGUE**

- Moderator: Jovan Ratkovic, Senior Fellow, Agora Strategy Institute, Munich / Brussels

16.00 – 17.00 Stakeholders Dialogue | Cultivating Digital Innovation: Strategies for Technological Advancement and the Role of Emerging Tech in South-East Europe

- Alvin Graylin, Global VP of Corporate Development, HTC
- Charlotte Lorentz Hjorth, Coordinator ekip, CEO Future By, Lund Cultural and Creative Industries, Lund University, Sweden
- Theodoros Evgeniou, Professor INSEAD, Director, INSEAD Executive Education program on AI, co-founder Tremau
- Andreas Botsikas, Director, AI Leader, PwC Greece
- Ragnar Siil, Director and Partner, Creativity Lab, Estonia
- Hristo Kovachev, Co-founder and CEO, ORBIS Digital Services
- ❖ Panos Vlachos, Public Policy & Innovations Expert, Head of Programs at the Institute for Local Governance & Policy Innovation, European Public Law Organization

20.00 – 22.00 Dinner