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# **BULGARIA – UKRAINE BUSINESS FORUM**

APRIL 25th 2024 9:00 - 16:00 EET Hyatt Regency, Sofia

### AGENDA

**09:00 – 09:30** Registration and welcome coffee **09:30 – 10:15** Official opening speeches:

Moderator: Boyko Takov, Ph.D., Executive Director of Bulgarian Small and Medium Enterprises Agency

- Address by Mr. Dimitar Glavchev, Prime Minister of the Republic of Bulgaria, read by Boyko Takov, Ph.D.
- Dr. Petko Nikolov, Minister of Economy and Industry of Republic of Bulgaria
- Yuliia Svyrydenko, First Deputy Prime Minister of Ukraine Minister of Economy of Ukraine /video address/
- Yordanka Chobanova, Ph.D., Head of the European Commission's Representation in Bulgaria at European Commission
- Mr. Taras Kachka, Deputy Minister of Economy in Ukraine Trade representative of Ukraine /online/
- H.E. Mrs. Olesia Ilashchuk, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine in Bulgaria
- Mr. Tsvetan Simeonov, President of the Bulgarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry
- Mr. Gennadiy Chyzhykov, President of the Ukrainian Chamber of Commerce and Industry
- Mr. Viktor Kantsurak, State Secretary of the Ministry of Agrarian Policy of Ukraine

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10:15 - 11:00 Business and investment opportunities in Bulgaria and Ukraine

Moderator: Mrs. Liliya Ivanova, Chairman of Bulgarian–Ukrainian Industrial Chamber

#### Presentations:

- Mrs. Mila Nenova, Executive Director of Invest Bulgaria Agency Presentation of investment climate and business opportunities in Bulgaria
- **Mr. Alexander Melnychenko**, *Executive Director of Ukraine Invest /online/* <u>Presentation of investment climate and business opportunities in Ukraine</u>
- Mr. Mustafa Nayyem, Head of the State Agency for Restoration and Infrastructure Development of Ukraine /online/
- Mr. Dimitar Delchev, Eurolex Bulgaria
  <u>EU funds for Ukraine and Future reconstruction of Ukraine</u>
- Mr. Arsen Didur, Chairman of the Ukrainian Union of Dairy Enterprises

#### Keynote speaker:

• Prof. Dr. George Angelov, Deputy Minister of Innovation and Growth of Republic of Bulgaria

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11:00 - 11:30 Successful story Moderator: Mr. Ilia Krastev, Chairman of the Association for Innovation, Business Excellence, Services and Technology (AIBEST)

- Mr. Dmytro Irzhytskyi, Delivery Director at SoftServe
- Mr.Gennadiy Vorobyov, CEO at Netpeak Bulgaria

 11:30 – 12:30 Valuable cooperation between Bulgarian and Ukrainian Business in Energy sector
 Moderator: Latchezar Petkov, Secretary-General of Bulgarian SME Promotion Agency

### Keynote speaker:

- Mr. Krassimir Nenov, Deputy Minister of Energy of the Republic of Bulgaria
- Mr. Nikola Gazdov, Chairman of the Association for Production, Storage and Trading of Electricity
- Mr. Mykola Kolisnyk, Deputy Minister of Energy of Ukraine

• **Mr. Sergiy Savchuk,** Chief Investment and Business Development Officer Investment opportunities in Ukraine and our intentions in Bulgaria

12:30 – 13:30 Luncheon cocktail

13:30 - 16:00 B2B meetings

Hybrid format Working languages: Bulgarian and Ukrainian



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