# **Preliminary Agenda**

November, 14-17 2017

**Kyiv, Ukraine** 

# **Topic: The Future of Europe**

## In the Program of the Regional Taxpayers Forum:

- > Business-forum Ukraine: Level Up
- > Taxpayers Meeting
- ➤ European Economic Senate meeting for Ukraine

**Location:** Kyiv, The Parkovy Exhibition and Convention Center, Hyatt Regency Kyiv

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### **DAY 1:**

## November 14th

# Kiev, Hyatt Regency Kyiv

## Arrival of the delegation

Hotel check-in

**19:00 – 22:00** Reception on behalf of President of Taxpayers Association of Ukraine, Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Ambassador Grigol Katamadze in honour of the delegates of the Regional Taxpayers Forum

Place: Kiev, Hyatt Regency 5, A. Tarasova Street Kyiv, Ukraine

Dress-code: White Tie or Black Tie Invited

General Partner: Hyatt Regency

*Host:* Taxpayers Association of Ukraine

*Wine Sponsor:* 

### **DAY 2:**

# Wednesday, November 15th

## Business-forum "Ukraine: Level Up"

Time: 9:30-23:30

Address: The Parkovy Exhibition and Convention Center

Parkova doroga, 16a, Kyiv

#### **General concept of the event:**

Progressive forum devoted to the most crucial issues in Europe - the future of taxation, investment attractiveness and economic grows.

#### **Objectives of the event:**

- To aware participants of the event about the actual situation in international taxation straight from the horse's mouth;
- To share Ukrainian taxation insights and be prepared matters;
- To demonstrate appealing and deterring issues for the investor and steps to be taken by Ukraine to enhance its investment attractiveness;
- To set a direction for tax and investment reforms in Ukraine with a view to advancing Ukrainian business.

#### **Purposes of the event:**

- To form a platform to let the business be advised on the hottest and the most vital issues in international taxation and investing, to share and gain unrivalled experience;
- To form a ground in order to achieve real arrangements among investment-seeking business, investors and state.

#### Agenda of the event:

10:00 - 10:30 - Opening

10:30 -13:00 - *Tax panel.* Possibilities: On Ukrainian and International tax realities and perspectives 'from the horse's mouth'

13:00 - 14:00 - Lunch

13:00 - 14:30 - *Workshop* (presentation of startups, investment projects, practical recommendations)

14:00 - 14:30 Case study Investment

Innovations: Investment Panel: «You can't wait, you should invest" or "You can wait, you shouldn't invest" Which one is it? (speeches, panel discussions)

 $14:30 - 15:30 - \underline{\text{Discussion 1}}$  - Discussion of the most promising areas for investing in Ukraine. World experience in creating an attractive investment climate.

15:30 – 16:30 – Discussion 2 - New opportunities and challenges of tech-investing in Ukraine; The attractiveness of the Ukrainian tech-sphere for foreign investors (under discussion with the partner)

16:30 – 18:00 – <u>Discussion 3 - Long investments in Ukraine - logistics and energy infrastructure</u> and a new settlement system. Powered by Foundation for Future (under discussion with the partner)

18:30 – 23:30 – Cocktail.Jazz. Special guest of the Forum: Jazz singer Nino KATAMADZE and the band Insight

10:00 - 10:30	Welcome address:
	Key Speaker
	(to be agreed)
	Grigol Katamadze
	President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary

## Natalya Ulyanova,

ICF Managing Partner, Vice President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine

# 02 Possibilities: On Ukrainian and International tax realities and perspectives 'from the horse's mouth'

Moderator:

### Natalya Ulyanova,

ICF Managing Partner, Vice President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine

10:30 - 13:00	Key Speaker (the speaker to be agreed)	(topic to be agreed)
	Arturo Bris Professor IMD business school	(topic to be agreed)
	Nina Yuzhanina  MP, Chairman of the Committee of Vekhovna Rada on tax and customs policy issues	The process of implementation of the BEPS plan in the Ukrainian legislation and the real fulfilment by Ukraine of the obligations assumed. The possibility of introducing CFC rules
	Grigol Katamadze  President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine	Tax code: what advantages can the Liberal Tax Code offer to a foreign investor
	Michael Jaeger,  Secretary General of the Taxpayers Association of Europe	European experience in bringing national legislation in line with global standards. What lessons can Ukraine learn?

	Tobias Winkler Head of Representation of European Parliament Munich/ Germany	EU-Ukraine: a relationship of shared values
	Aleksandr Pazhe  ABLV Bank  Member of the Board, Chief Compliance Officer (CCO)	(topic to be agreed)
	Vladislav Dubnevsky,  Director of the Tax Planning Department At Cliff Legal Service	CFC in action. What you need to know about Ukrainian business?
	Natalya Ulyanova,  ICF Managing Partner, Vice President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine	What Ukrainian and foreign business should take into account today to work effectively tomorrow?
13:00 - 14:30	6	
	Workshop: presentations of start-ups, investment projects, practical recommendations for business.	
14:00 - 14:30	Case study Investment	

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Moderators:

#### Michael Jaeger

Secretary General of the Taxpayers Association of Europe

## Natalya Ulyanova,

ICF Managing Partner, Vice President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine

14:30 - 15:30	Givi Topchishvili 9.8 Group
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	Founder and CEO
	Dr Ingo Friedrich
	President European Economic Senate,
	Vice President European Parliament ret
	Representative of the US Venture Fund
	Valeriy Omelchenko
	HUB 4.0, Owner
	Igor Dalychuk
	SBK, PJSK, President
	Member of the Board of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine
	Oleg Ustenko
	International Bleyzer Foundation Vice- President
	Zhang Zhonghu, Ph.D. «Anhui Foreign Economic Construction (Group) Co., Vice- President

	Pavlo Pohyba
	Vice-president of Taxpayers Association of Ukraine
	Head of Territorial Branch of TAU in Kyiv
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Andrey Ko	lodyuk
AVentures (	Capital
15:30 -	Karl Robb
16:30	EPAM, Executive Vice President
	Tomash Fiala
	Dragon Capita,
	CEO
	Elena Kasharna
	Horizon Capital,
	Founding Partner and CEO
	The IFC representative
	The EBRD representative

# <u>Discussion 3 - Long investments in Ukraine - logistics and energy infrastructure and a new settlement system.</u>

Powered by Foundation for Future (under discussion with the partner)

Moderators:

#### Natalya Ulyanova

ICF Managing Partner, Vice President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine

## Polina Kolodyazhnaya

Member of the Board, Adviser to the President of the Taxpayers Association of Ukraine.

16:30 - 18:00	Nikitin Vladimir Afrikanovich  Institute of Architecture, Urbanistics and Regional Studies of the Union of Architects, Founder of the project "Foundation for Future"	Cities and the settlement of the future
	Chudnovsky Yuri Vladimirovich	
	Director of the International Institute of Urban and Regional Development, Founder of the project "Foundation for Future".	
	SpaceX representatives	New rules of globalization: how to adapt the business to changes
	Anton Zatsepin  Head of the representation of the Chinese company Xinwei Group in Ukraine	Investing in urban planning, urbanization
	Deutsche Bahn	Difficulties in investing in infrastructure
	Vasily Khmelnitsky  BIONIC Hill  UNIT.City	Difficulties and solutions of investment in innovation

	Nudelman Vladimir Ilyich  Professor of the Department of Urban Construction of the Kiev National University of Construction and Architecture and the Department of Economic and Social Geography of the Kiev National University.TG Shevchenko.	Settlement systems. Territorial planning
	Sergei Chekalsky  Charter of the Future	The market of the future. The implementation of stability in the DNA of capital markets: how the existing global regulatory framework affects business development.
18:30 - 23:30	Cocktail.Jazz Special guest of the Forum  Jazz singer Nino KATAMADZE and the band Insight	

# **DAY 3:**

# Thursday, November 16th

9:00-13:00 Excursions

**13:00** – **14:00** Lunch, Sponsored by TAE

# **Kyiv - Taxpayers Meeting by TAU & TAE**

Time: 14:00-19:00

Address: HUB 4.0 . Pereulok Yaroslavskogo 1/3.

14:00	Registration, Tea & Coffee	
14:15 – 14:30	Welcome Opening by:	Rolf Baron von Hohenhau, President Taxpayers Association of Europe and Grigol Katamadze, President of Taxpayers Association of Ukraine
1st Session	<b>Group 1</b> What could stimulate the	
14:30 - 15:30	activation of economical grown in Europe?	
	<b>Group 2</b> : Importance of liberalization of	
	tax legislation for the successful	
	development of economy	
	Group 3: How to promote best structural	
	changes in taxation?	
15:30 - 16:00	Networking / Coffee Break	
<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup> <b>Session</b> 16:00 – 17:00	Members' exchange of experience - new communication tools, - social media - crisis PR	<b>Dr Ralf Schneider</b> Vice- President European Journalist Association
3 <sup>rd</sup> Session	future of Europe, key demands from point	
17:00 - 18:00	of view of taxpayers	
4th Session	European Associations under the	tbc
18:00 - 19:00	Agreement on Cooperation between	
	Ukraine and the EU – Possibilities and	
	Perspectives	

# 20:00-22:00 Informal Diner

All participants are welcome

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#### Location:

Dress-code: Cocktail & Canapees

Remarks by

# **DAY 4:**

# November 17th

## **Departures**

Registration obligated, Entrance by the List of Participants.

Please NOTE, that Registration doesn't include accommodation cost, transfers, transportation and flights of the Participant. Participant take care of his/her accommodation himself (herself) and also cover own expenses for transportation and accommodation.

#### Advised accomodation:

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