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Conference

20 Years of EU Enlargement: a Success Story for the Future – the Perspective of German Business

8 May 2024, 2:00 pm

Haus der Deutschen Wirtschaft (Franz-von-Mendelssohn-Saal)

Breite Straße 29, 10178 Berlin

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Agenda

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| 1:30 pm | Registration and Coffee |
| 2:00 pm | Welcome and Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Dr Martin Wansleben, CEO, German Chamber of Commerce and Industry- Tanja Gönner, Director General, Federation of German Industries- Cathrina Claas-Mühlhäuser, Chairwoman, German Eastern Business Association |
| 2:20 pm | Keynote <p>Dr Robert Habeck, Vice Chancellor and Federal Minister for Economic Affairs and Climate Action</p> |
| 2:45 pm | Panel discussion <p>Matevž Frangež, State Secretary, Ministry of Economy, Tourism and Sports of Slovenia</p> <p>Cathrina Claas-Mühlhäuser, Chairwoman, German Eastern Business Association, Chairwoman of the Supervisory Board, Claas KGaA mbH</p> <p>Mario Holzner, Managing Director, Vienna Institute for Economic Studies</p> |

Dr Thomas Narbeshuber, Vice President BASF Group, BASF Central & South East Europe, Speaker of the Working Group on South Eastern Europe, German Eastern Business Association

Economic spotlight: AHK World Business Outlook for CEE

Carolin Herweg, Director International Economy, German Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Moderation: Daphne Grathwohl, Director Internal and Membership Communication | Spokesperson, German Chamber of Commerce and Industry

4:00 pm

Reception and networking in the foyer with diplomatic representations of the countries