

8:00-9:15 Registration

9:15 – 9:25 Opening address by the Prime Minister of the Republic of Lithuania H.E. Ingrida Šimonytė

9:25 – 10:40 Introductory panel discussion on promoting cohesive economic development in the Three Seas region

#### Panellists:

H.E. Ingrida Šimonytė, Prime Minister of the Republic of Lithuania Ms. Nadia Calviño, President, European Investment Bank (EIB)

Mr. André Küüsvek, President and CEO, Nordic Investment Bank (NIB)

Ms. Odile Renaud-Basso, President, European Bank for

Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

Mr. Ulrik Vestergaard Knudsen, Deputy Secretary-General, OECD Mr. Owen Herrnstadt, Member of Board of Directors, Export-Import Bank

of United States

Moderator: Mr. Edward Lucas, Senior Fellow and Senior Adviser at the Center for European Policy Analysis (CEPA)

10:40 - 11:00 Fireside chat "Vibrant Business Growth within 3SI region: opportunities and perspectives"

Ms. Aušrinė Armonaitė, Minister of the Economy and Innovation of the Republic of Lithuania

Mr. Mirek Dušek, Managing Director, World Economic Forum

 ${\it Moderator: Mr. Marius Dubnikovas, Vice-president Lithuanian Business Confederation}$ 

11:00 – 12:00 High-level discussion of the Heads of State "3SI: Building resilience and prosperity"

Global challenge's and turbulent geopolitical environment - how to use challenges as opportunities for a better and more secure future? Looking for solutions for resilience building, economic growth and stable business environment in the Three Seas Region.

# Keynote address:

H.E. Gitanas Nausėda, President of the Republic of Lithuania

Discussion with current and upcoming hosts and strategic partners of the 3SI:

H.E. Gitanas Nausėda, President of the Republic of Lithuania

H.E. Andrzej Duda, President of the Republic of Poland

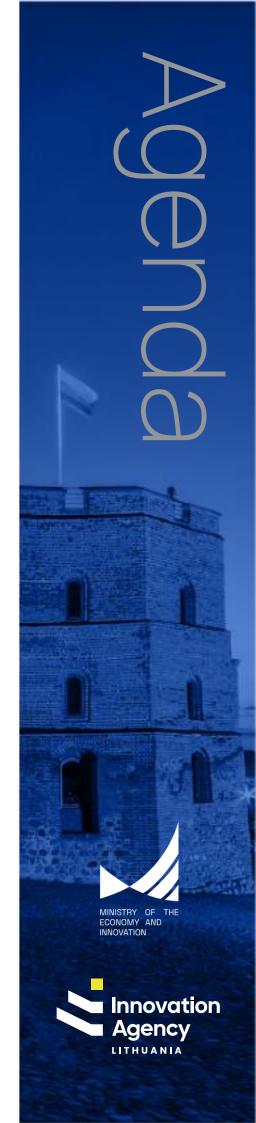
 $\mbox{Mr. Virginijus Sinkevičius, European Commissioner for the Environment, Oceans and Fisheries$ 

Ms. Anna Lührmann, Minister of State for Europe, Federal Foreign Office, Federal Republic of Germany

Mr. Geoffrey R. Pyatt, Assistant Secretary, Bureau Of Energy Resources, U.S. Department of State

Moderator: Ambassador Ms. Paula Dobriansky, Vice Chair, Scowcroft Center for Strategy and Security, Atlantic Council, Former Under Secretary of State for Global Affairs

12:00 - 13:00 Networking lunch





13:00 - 13:05

Opening of the round of business sessions by Mr. Gediminas Varvuolis, Ambassador for Connectivity and the Three Seas Initiative, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the republic of Lithuania

13:05 - 14:25

Panel discussion on energy transformation and net-zero technologies

Keynote address:

Mr. Virginijus Sinkevičius, European Commissioner for the Environment, Oceans and Fisheries

Mr. Geoffrey R. Pyatt, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Energy Resources, U.S. Departament of State

### Panellists:

Mr. Joshua Volz, Deputy Assistant Secretary, U.S. Department of Energy

Mr. Ben Butters, CEO, Eurochambres

Mr. Neil Aiken, Global Head of Lending, Commerzbank AG

Mr. Grzegorz Nalezyty, Vice President Eastern Europe & Managing Director at Siemens Energy Poland

Mr. Jakub Kupecki, Director, Institute of Power Engineering - National Research

Mr. Thierry Segard, Deputy Director, NATO Energy Security Centre of Excellence

Moderator: Ms. Maria Tadeo, Europe correspondent and journalist

# Subtopics:

- Unlocking business potential by the Net-Zero Industry Act
- · Challenges and possibilities of energy independence
- The abundance of renewable electricity in the 3Seas region a pathway towards early decarbonization?
- The Future of Hydrogen
- Small Modular Reactors

### 13:05 - 14:25 Panel discussion on transport transformation

### Panellists:

Mr. Kaspars Briškens, Minister of Transport of the Republic of Latvia Mr. Christos Staikouras, Minister of Infrastructure and Transport of Greece Mr. Young Tae Kim, Secretary-General, International Transport Forum (OECD) Ms. Magda Kopczyńska, Director-General, DG MOVE (European Commission) Mr. Oliver Reichard, Vice President Sales Mainline, Siemens Mobility GmbH Ms. Eglé Šimė, Director General, LTG Cargo

Moderator: Mr. Marius Skuodis, Minister of Transport and Communications of the Republic of Lithuania

# Subtopics:

- Redirecting the East-West transportation supply chains and consolidating the North-South connectivity
- Strategies enhancing connectivity, efficiency and resilience in transportation
- Bridging infrastructure development gaps
- · Attracting investments into infrastructure
- Delivering sound policy framework for transnational corridor connections

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14:25 - 14:35 Networking break



Fireside chat "The ICT sector in the 3SI countries as a regional driver of 14:35 - 15:00 growth"

> Mr. Michał Kanownik, President, Digital Poland Association Ms. Doris Põld, CEO of ITL (Estonian ICT Association)

Announcement:

Ms. Marta Poslad, Director for Transatlantic & CEE, Government Affairs and Public

Policy, Google

Ms. Jarūnė Preikšaitė, CEO at NGO Women Go Tech Ms. Žydrūnė Vitaitė, Co-founder at NGO Women Go Tech

Moderator: Mr. Simonas Černiauskas, CEO, INFOBALT

Letter of Intent Signing Ceremony: The Establishment of the Second 14:45 - 15:00 Fund of the Three Seas Initiative

Announcement:

Mr. Dainius Vilčinskas, CEO, National Promotional Institution INVEGA Mr. Pawel Nierada, First Vice President of the Management Board of BGK -Polish Development Bank

Panel discussion on financial instruments 15:00 - 16:15

Keynote address:

Ms. Gintarė Skaistė, Minister of Finance of the Republic of Lithuania

Panellists:

Ms. Beata Daszyńska-Muzyczka, Chairperson of the Supervisory Board of the Three Seas Initiative Investment Fund/Presidential Ambassador - Special Envoy for the Three Seas Initiative

Mr. Pawel Nierada, First Vice President of the Management Board of BGK - Polish Development Bank

Mr. Masayuki Tanimoto, Senior Managing Director, Japan Bank for International Cooperation (JBIC)

Mr. Alessandro Tappi, Chief Investment Officer, European Investment Fund Ms. Agnes Dasewicz, COO, U.S. International Development Finance Corporation

Moderator: Ms. Giedrė Gečiauskienė, Executive Board member, National Promotional Institution INVEGA

# Subtopics:

- Three Seas region's attractiveness and potential for investments
- Three Seas Initiative Investment fund and new approaches to overcome funding gaps





#### 15:00 - 16:15

Panel discussion on developing strategic digital infrastructure in the region

#### Panellists:

Mr. Dumitru Alaiba, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Economic Development and Digitalization of Republic of Moldova

Mr. Bogdan-Gruia Ivan, Minister of Research, Innovation and Digitalization of Romania

Ms. Greta Monika Tučkutė, Vice-Minister of National Defence of the Republic of Lithuania

Mr. Martin Gikov, Deputy Minister of Innovation and Growth of Bulgaria Mr. Max Peterson, VP Sovereign Cloud, Amazon Web Services

Mr. Thomas Reynaert, Vice President, Government & Regulatory Affairs, EMEA, IBM Mr. Mats Mudigonda Lundbäck, VP Strategic Programs and Partnerships, Telia Company

Moderator: Mr. Tomas Lamanauskas, Deputy Secretary-General, International Telecommunication Union (ITU)

# Subtopics:

- Strategic infrastructure as the backbone for state and business
- Building strong digital resilience
- · Using technology to solve real-world problems

# 16:15 - 16:30

Networking break

# 16:30 - 18:00

Panel discussion on Ukraine's recovery & reconstruction

# Panellists:

Mr. Anatolii Komirnyi, Deputy Minister for Communities, Territories and Infrastructure Development of Ukraine for Digital Development, Digital Transformations and Digitalization

Mr. Jarek Niewierowicz, Chief Adviser to the President of Lithuania, Head of Environment and Infrastructure Group

 $\mbox{Mr.}$  Masatoshi Sugiura, Deputy Director General for Trade, Ministry of Trade, Economy and Industry (METI)

Mr. Tomáš Kopečný, Czech Republic's Governmental Envoy for the Reconstruction of Ukraine

Mr. Mark Magaletsky, Deputy Head of Ukraine, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

Ms. Marta Poslad, Director for Transatlantic & CEE, Government Affairs and Public Policy, Google

Mr. Alexander McWhorter, Country Officer and Corporate Banking Head Ukraine, Citi

Moderator: Ian Brzezinski, Senior Fellow, Europe Center, Atlantic Council

### Subtopics:

- Ukraine's recovery & reconstruction as an opportunity for the whole 3Seas region
- Policies and instruments needed to facilitate private sector involvement
- Role of financial institutions
- Good practices and experiences from established initiatives

# 18:00 - 18:05

Closing remarks by Ms. Romualda Stragienė, Director at Innovation Agency Lithuania

