



Wednesday
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10.00AM - 12.30AM



Programme

Moderator: **Prof. Inna Šteinbuka**, Director of the Productivity Research Institute "UL think tank LV PEAK", Project leader of the National Research Programme "Towards the Post-pandemic Recovery: Economic, Political and Legal Framework for Preservation of Latvia's Growth Potential and Increasing Competitiveness" (reCOVery-LV)

10.00 – 10.10 Opening	Raimonds Aleksejenko , Deputy State Secretary of the Ministry of Economics of the Republic of Latvia Arvils Ašeradens , Chairman of the Education, Culture and Science Committee of the Parliament of the Republic of Latvia, former Minister of Economics	
10.10 – 10.25 Keynote address	Massimo Suardi , Director EC DG ECFIN	
10.25– 10.35	Prof. Gundars Bērziņš , Chair of the Latvian Productivity Board, Dean of the Faculty of Business, Management and Economics, University of Latvia	Productivity challenges in the economics of pandemic and dislocation.
10.35 – 10.45	Prof. Jānis Priede , Head of the Department of Economics, Faculty of Business, Management and Economics, University of Latvia	European productivity challenges and experience.
10.45 – 10.55	Dr. Oļegs Barānovs , Leading researcher of the European Policy Research Institute of the Latvian Academy of Sciences, Senior Analyst of the Analytical Service of the Ministry of Economics	Latvia's Productivity dynamics and factors. Impact of the Covid-19 pandemic.
10.55 – 11.05	Dr. Oļegs Krasnopjorovs , Deputy Director of the Productivity Research Institute "UL think tank LV PEAK"	Productivity analysis of Latvian enterprises: ORBIS database evidence.
11.15 – 11.25	Prof. Juris Binde , Member of the Latvian Productivity Board, President and Chairman of the Board of Latvijas Mobilais Telefons LLC, Professor at Vidzeme University of Applied Sciences	How the 4th Industrial Revolution is changing the business environment. Internet of the Things for productivity growth.
11.25 – 11.35	Līga Mengēlsona , Member of the Latvian Productivity Board, General Director of the Employers' Confederation of Latvia (LDDK)	How the pandemic has affected business productivity.
11.35 – 11.45	Aigars Rostovskis , President of the Latvian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI)	Productivity as a way of thinking.
11.45 – 12.30	Discussion	