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**PROGRAMME**

**EFA 2022**

**21 AUGUST TO 2 SEPTEMBER**

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21 August 2022 09:00 - 09:45 | Ritual

### **Holy Mass**

21 August 2022 10:30 - 13:00 | Stage

### **TYR Opening and Award Ceremony**

The Tyrol Day will be officially opened by the three Provincial Governors of the Euregio: Günther Platter (Tyrol), Arno Kompatscher (South Tyrol) and the acting President of the Euregio Maurizio Fugatti (Trentino). Integral parts of the ceremony are keynote speeches regarding to Health and Life Sciences as well as the Award ceremonies for the Euregio Young Researchers' Prize and the Euregio Innovation Prize.

21 August 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Social

### **Get2Gether**

Social get-together with food and drinks.

21 August 2022 18:00 - 01:00 | Social

### **Spritztour & Party in Inneralpbach**

*Hosted by: Forum Alpbach Network Committee (FANC)*

The Spritztour to and the subsequent party in the Feshütte in Inneralpbach is a hike from the CCA to Inneralpbach. Being framed as an interactive social walk with drinks, scholarship holders find themselves in mixed groups, in which they play different games. The party afterwards will be the first big event for the participants.

22 August 2022 13:00 - 15:30 | Network

### **Strangers on a Gondola**

*Hosted by: Forum Alpbach Network Committee (FANC) & Alpbacher Bergbahnen*

Fellows, researchers, sponsors, lecturers, scholarship holders - everyone is invited to hop in a gondola and take a short (20-minute) ride up Alpbach's local mountain. The catch is that you will be in a gondola with participants you have never seen before. Once at the top, you can have a coffee with your new group or go for a short hike.

Meeting Point: Wiedersbergerhornbahn Alpbach

22 August 2022 15:00 - 15:30

### Opening – ART

Open up your senses and let the two art projects inspire you!

The sound collage “Start By Listening” (Alpbach inhabitants, scholarship holders, Clemens Wenger) and the Artistic Guidance System consisting of “The Common Separation” and “The (Commonly Not) Separated” (Theresa Hattinger) invite you to experience public space in a new way.

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**Hattinger, Theresa;** Artist | Designer; Artist

**Wenger, Clemens;** Composer | Musician; Artist

22 August 2022 16:00 - 18:00 | Stage

### Opening – The New Europe

In light of the Russian war of aggression against Ukraine, Europe must face the consequences of its current weakness and past inaction. We have to put our sweat and tears back into Europe. What would be the most needed actions for a strong and democratic – for the New Europe?

**Jordanova, Lubomila;** CEO & Founder; Plan A; Speaker

**Karas, Othmar;** First Vice-President; European Parliament; Speaker

**Milborn, Corinna;** Author | Journalist | Moderator; ProSieben.Sat1.PULS4; Moderator

**Nehammer, Karl;** Federal Chancellor; Republic of Austria; Speaker

**Randeria, Shalini;** President and Rector; Central European University; Speaker

**Sandu, Maia;** President; Republic of Moldova; Speaker

**Treichl, Andreas;** President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker

22 August 2022 18:00 - 21:00 | Celebrate

### Cheers to EFA22 by A1

*Supported by: A1*

Kick-off & Kick-back!

Enjoy regional cuisine, refreshing drinks and inspirational cutting-edge music, mingle with the crowd, enjoy a sundowner on the terrace and ease into EFA22 with us.

**Danilina, Maria;** Artist

**Hope, Steve;** Artist

22 August 2022 20:00 - 22:00 | Social

### Ladies Networking Night

*Supported by: GRANAT & BearingPoint*

Female-powered visions and inspiration for a better tomorrow: Join current and future female top managers at this social event to discuss how to shape our joint future!

Ladies only!

**Catasta, Christine;** BIG, AUA, VERBUND AG, Telekom Austria AG, Erste Group und Erste Bank Österreich; Speaker

**Grewe, Iris;** Director Germany; BearingPoint; Speaker

**Gruszkiewicz, Barbara;** Head of Marketing Communications; BearingPoint Austria; Speaker

**Kraft-Kinz, Birgit;** CEO; KRAFTKINZ; Speaker

23 August 2022 07:00 - 08:00 | Ritual

### **Morning Sport**

*Supported by: Federal Ministry of Defence*

Enlist to get fit!

So you can be your best self we prepared some special workouts guided by professionals from the Austrian Armed Forces to relieve stress, prevent burnout and start the day with an energy boost. Whether it's military CrossTraining or fascia training, be prepared to break a sweat. And don't worry: all fitness levels are welcome!

23 August 2022 08:00 - 08:45 | Network

### **EFA Morning Briefing**

*Hosted by: Politico*

Start your Alpbach day well-informed: our Morning Briefings give you a daily overview of of EFA22's most important news and insights. Listen to exciting interviews and meet with inspirational speakers and panelists!

**Karnitschnig, Matthew Helmut**; Chief Europe Correspondent; Politico; Moderator

23 August 2022 08:15 - 08:45 | Ritual

### **Into the Silence**

A union of Peace: Spiritual impulses from different religious and philosophical traditions invite participants to reflect and contemplate. Inspirational impulse givers will tell their stories, invite you on a journey of thought and initiate moments of real stillness.

**Falkinger, Johanna Rosa**; Singer; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist

**Marte, Christian**; Rector; Jesuit College in Innsbruck; Speaker

23 August 2022 09:00 - 10:00 | Stage

### **At a Crossroads? The Future of the European Experiment**

Europe is shaken by the Russian war against Ukraine, the consequences of the pandemic and climate crisis. Does this challenging historical moment offer a chance for its political reorientation and renewal? What bold steps would be necessary, and what normative visions should underpin Europe's political journey into the future?

**Freund, Daniel**; Member of European Parliament; European Parliament; Speaker

**Karnitschnig, Matthew Helmut**; Chief Europe Correspondent; Politico; Moderator

**Schwarzer, Daniela**; Executive Director for Europe and Eurasia; Open Society Foundations; Speaker

**Van Middelaar, Luuk**; Professor, political theorist, historian and author; Leiden University; Speaker

23 August 2022 10:30 - 12:00 | Chat

### Ukraine: Six Months After 24/02

Almost exactly six months after Russia started its invasion of Ukraine, this chat will offer an opportunity to assess the situation on the ground and its long-term implications for Europe and the European security architecture. It will also give space to Ukrainian participants to share their personal stories.

**Barinova, Yana;** Project Manager for European Policies and Ukrainian Relations; ERSTE Foundation; Speaker

**Mathernová, Katarína;** Deputy Director-General for Neighbourhood Policy and Enlargement Negotiations; European Commission; Speaker

**Snyder, Timothy;** Richard C. Levin Professor of History; Yale University; Speaker

**Wornig, Denise;** Head of European and International Cooperation; Carinthia University of Applied Sciences; Moderator

23 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### Integration in the Face of the Ukraine Crisis: Ways to Move Forward

*Supported by: Austrian Integration Fund*

The war in Ukraine has displaced hundreds of thousands of people to European countries. The majority of refugees coming to Austria are women with children and older relatives. The displaced people have more education on average than in previous waves of refugees. Austria's integration policy must adapt to these new factors and ask what we have learned from past years and what can be improved.

**Biffi, Gudrun;** Professor em. Department for Migration and Globalisation; Danube University Krems; Speaker

**Hornstein-Tomić, Caroline Elisabeth;** Member of the Board; Senior Researcher; European Forum Alpbach; Institute of Social Sciences Ivo Pilar; Moderator

**Liebig, Thomas;** Principal Administrator; International Migration Division, OECD - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; Speaker

**Raab, Susanne;** Federal Minister for Women, Family, Integration and Media; Federal Chancellery; Speaker

**Schnabl, Bogdana;** Integration counselor; The Austrian Integration Fund; Speaker

23 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### Austria has one of the best Healthcare systems in the World. Is that so?

*Supported by: Roche Austria*

For years, Austria has boasted of having one of the best and most innovative healthcare systems in the world - but is that still true today? Especially when compared to other European countries, Austria seems to be falling behind. What demands do we have on the high-quality care of Austrian patients? How can we make it possible to take the step into the future?

**Czypionka, Thomas;** Head of IHS Health Economics and Health Policy; IHS Vienna; Speaker

**Fritz, Michaela;** Vice-Rector for Research and Innovation at the Medical University Vienna; MedUniWien; Moderator

**Gamon, Claudia Angela;** Member of the European Parliament, NEOS; European Parliament; Speaker

**Reich, Katharina;** Chief Medical Officer; Federal Ministry of Austria Social Affairs, Health, Care and Consumer Protection; Speaker

23 August 2022 10:30 - 12:00 | Chat

### **2022: A Turning Point for Cryptocurrency?**

Digital developments, from Bitcoin to decentralised finance, could change our traditional financial system for good. How can we ensure they change for the better? Amid a geopolitical and humanitarian crisis, what role will cryptocurrencies play? Will they serve as a tool of hope, helping those most affected, or as a tool to elude sanctions? Or both? How can the energy-intensive usage be justified?

**Booth, Jeff;** Technology Entrepreneur and Author; ego death capital, addy, NocNoc, Terramera and Cubic Farms; Speaker

**Jilch, Niko;** Financial Journalist, Speaker and Moderator; Moderator

**Kaminska, Izabella;** Founder; The Blind Spot; Speaker

**Tyrer, Chris;** Head of Fidelity Digital Asset Management and Fidelity Digital Assets Europe; Fidelity Investments; Speaker

23 August 2022 12:15 - 12:45

### **/SPALENA/ Opening**

The name of the exhibition is a transliteration of the Ukrainian adjective "spalena" in its feminine singular form, meaning "something burnt in a fire". In Ukrainian, the word more commonly signifies "burnt dwelling", "burnt wheat" or "burnt land". These dreadful images emphasize the contrast between the breathtaking landscapes of Alpbach and those of present-day Ukraine, which are as picturesque, but no longer as peaceful. © Yana Barinova, Curators Quote

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**Barinova, Lina;** Contributor

**Barinova, Yana;** Project Manager for European Policies and Ukrainian Relations; ERSTE Foundation; Artist

23 August 2022 13:30 - 16:00 | Hike

### **Building (for) the Future: Urban Planning and the Green Transition**

*Supported by: Signa*

Several EU-wide initiatives aim at achieving the green transition. But what do the ambitious goals laid out in policy proposals and strategy papers mean in the everyday practices of urban planners and in the construction industry? Join an expert round from the public and private sectors on this hike to discuss how to bring the climate targets to the ground.

//INFO: Hike to Zottahof.

In case of heavy rain, a shuttle will take you to Zottahof.

**Angelo, Silvia;** Executive Board Member; ÖBB Infrastruktur AG; Speaker

**Fischer, Luise;** Innovation Lead; NetZero Cities, EIT Climate KIC; Moderator

**Moser, Katharina;** Moderator and Experience Designer; MOSAIK; Moderator

**Skovbakke Villadsen, Kristian;** Associate Partner, Director; Gehl; Speaker

**Sobek, Werner;** Advisory Board; Studio Werner Sobek; Speaker

**Trisko, Andreas;** Senior Urban Designer; City of Vienna; Speaker

23 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **European Unity: Challenges and Opportunities**

*Supported by: ERSTE Group Bank AG*

“In the midst of every crisis lies great opportunity” (Albert Einstein)

Europe and the world are facing unprecedented challenges: a full-fledged war on the European continent, a lingering pandemic, climate change, high inflation and energy (in)security. How can we overcome these challenges and can history teach us how to make things right? What does it take to secure European unity while at the same time fostering social cohesion and solidarity? Can some of these challenges even provide a way for the European Union to push ahead by moving closer together?

**Cernko, Willibald;** CEO; Erste Group Bank AG; Speaker

**Snyder, Timothy;** Richard C. Levin Professor of History; Yale University; Speaker

**Veit, Hannelore;** Journalist, Moderator and Author; Moderator

23 August 2022 13:30 - 16:00 | Hike

### **Decarbonising and Securing the Future of Energy: Now!**

*Supported by: VERBUND*

Geopolitical developments in 2022 have increased the urgency of the energy transition. Europe needs to become independent of fossil fuels. Renewable energies are the key to securing supply and achieving climate goals. Great opportunities, but also enormous challenges are ahead of us. An expert panel will discuss these issues as well as the role that innovation can and must play in this context.

//INFO: Hike to Gasthof Rossmoos.

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**Egerth-Stadlhuber, Henrietta;** Managing Director; Österreichischen Forschungsförderungsgesellschaft; Speaker

**Schönbeck, Joachim;** CEO; Andritz; Speaker

**Strugl, Michael;** Chairman of the Board; VERBUND AG; Speaker

**Zöchbauer, Franz;** VERBUND; Moderator

23 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **The Geopolitics of Food Security**

*Supported by: Federal Ministry for Agriculture, Forestry, Regions and Water Management*

The Covid pandemic, the short-term blockage of the Suez Canal and the current war in Ukraine exposed vulnerabilities in the global food system, especially with regards to production hubs, transportation routes and input costs including energy prices. Norbert Totschnig, Minister of Agriculture, will discuss geopolitical and security aspects of global food security with international experts as well as their respective responses to ensuring it.

**Burtscher, Wolfgang;** Director General - AGRI; European Commission; Speaker

**Frick, Martin;** Director; WFP Global Office Germany; Speaker

**Totschnig, Norbert;** Federal Minister; Federal Ministry for Agriculture, Forestry, Regions and Water Management; Speaker

**Wepner, Beatrix;** Scientist; Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH; Speaker

23 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **No Crisis, No Progress? Fiscal Policy Disasters as Drivers of Change?**

*Supported by: Austrian Chamber of Tax Advisors and Public Accountants*

There is nothing like a crisis (from pandemics to wars) to show what decisions policymakers are ready to take, counting on public awareness of the urgent need for change despite significant budgetary impacts. Disasters build momentum for intense action imposing change on everyone. Can bold fiscal measures achieve the same without a crisis? What are the lessons to learn from 2020–2022?

**Houf, Herbert;** President of the Austrian Chamber of Tax Advisors and Public Accountants; Speaker

**Kühmayer, Franz;** Entrepreneur, Consultant, Author, Keynote speaker; Speaker

**Mayr, Gunter;** Head of Tax Policy and Tax Law Section; Federal Ministry of Finance, Austria; Speaker

**Milborn, Corinna;** Author | Journalist | Moderator; ProSieben.Sat1.PULS4; Moderator

**Niessner, Birgit;** Director of Economic Analysis and Research Department; Oesterreichische Nationalbank; Speaker

**Stainer-Hämmerle, Kathrin;** Political Scientist and Professor, Head of Public Management Studies; FH Kärnten; Speaker

23 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **Breaking up silos? How to achieve an integrated pharmaceutical location policy**

*Supported by: PHARMIG – Association of the Austrian Pharmaceutical Industry*

The lack of and, at the same time, the need for an effective, integrated location policy are highlighted by the example of the pharmaceutical industry: Companies shall be supported and retained, even though the conditions for access to the domestic market are becoming increasingly restrictive. Do we think and act strategically and aligned in business, science, the labor market and the public health sector? Do we have a common goal?

**Erkens-Reck, Susanne;** General Manager; Roche Austria; Moderator

**Frauscher, Florian;** Director General for; Ministry of Economic Affairs, Innovation and International Policy; Speaker

**Kocher, Martin;** Austrian Federal Minister for Labour and Economy; Austrian Federal Ministry for Labour and Economy; Speaker

**Kocher, Michael;** Country President Austria; Novartis; Speaker

**Moser, Cornelia;** Deputy Secretary General; FOPI; Speaker

**Pichler, Ronald;** Head of Public Affairs & Market Access; PHARMIG; Speaker

**Rumler, Robin;** Country Manager; Pfizer Corporation Austria GesmbH; Speaker

**Satory, Markus;** Director Market Access & Governmental Affairs; AOP Orphan Pharmaceuticals AG; Speaker

**Stamm, Tanja;** Deputy Director of the Center for Medical Statistics, Informatics and Intelligent Systems; Medical University of Vienna; Speaker

**Wittmann, Bernhard;** Managing Director; Sigmapharm Arzneimittel GmbH and Mono chem-pharm Produkte GmbH; Speaker



23 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **How Tech-Optimism Can Reshape State And Society In The Digital Age**

*Supported by: ServiceNow*

Public administration and service organizations are citizens' main interface with state authority. As digital tech moves on and citizens' expectations grow, the public sector is at risk of losing public confidence. How can technology contribute in shaping a public sector fit for the digital age?

Introduction words by Detlef Krause (Vice President EMEA, ServiceNow).

**Glatz, Vesna**; Director Germany and Austria; ServiceNow; Speaker

**Hansel, Sven**; Executive Producer; CIO-Magazin; Moderator

**Krause, Detlef**; Vice President EMEA; Service Now; Speaker

**Paulick-Thiel, Caroline**; Director; Politics for Tomorrow; Speaker

**Sennebogen, Martina**; Managing Director; Capgemini Austria; Speaker

23 August 2022 13:30 - 14:15 | Chat

### **The Crumbling Dream of European Homeownership**

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Croatia*

House prices and rents have increased at a fast pace in Europe over the past years. They have also renewed questions about affordability issues in an environment of rising interest rates. Although housing is a fundamental right, affordable housing is increasingly difficult to attain for many across Europe. What are the key factors impacting housing markets, and what can different stakeholders do to address this problem?

//INFO: In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at Schulhäusl.

**Sabol, Maja**; Croatian National Bank and Board member of Club Alpbach Croatia; Moderator

**Vujcic, Boris**; Governor; Croatian National Bank; Speaker

23 August 2022 14:45 - 15:30 | Chat

### **Preserving European diversity through linguistic minorities**

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Südtirol Alto Adige & Club Alpbach Senza Confini*

This event examines the workings of the linguistic-minority-based South Tyrolean autonomy and to what extent these minority rights are also applicable to the Slovene minority in Carinthia and Friuli Venezia Giulia. Dr. Günther Rautz presents some possibilities of safekeeping and advancement of rights for minorities in Italy and Austria, using South-Tyrolean autonomy as a jumping board.

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**Rautz, Günther**; Head of the Institute for Minority Rights; Eurac Research; Speaker

23 August 2022 16:30 - 17:30 | Stage

### **Sustainability and Strategic Autonomy: Two Birds with One Stone?**

Is the war in Ukraine speeding up the global energy transition? What security and climate priorities clash? Can the energy transition be both a means towards a sustainable net zero future and strategic autonomy? How do we sanction the Russian war of aggression and phase out fossil fuels, while at the same time not endangering Europe's energy security nor further deteriorating the global climate crisis?

**Juul Jørgensen, Ditte**; Director-General; Directorate-General for Energy of the European Commission; Speaker

**Stangl, Johannes**; Junior Researcher & PhD Candidate; Complexity Science Hub Vienna; Speaker

**Vitrenko, Yuriy**; Chief Executive Officer; Naftogaz of Ukraine; Speaker

**Westphal, Kirsten**; Executive Director Analysis & Research; H2 Global Foundation; Chair

23 August 2022 17:30 - 18:00

### **Start By Listening in Concert**

Start By Listening in concert

Piano improvisations over the recordings of the EFA Scholarship Holders from all over the world. Surprise! Open up your senses and let yourself be inspired. In case of bad weather we will try to reschedule it.

Clemens Wenger - piano & electronics

[www.clemenswenger.com](http://www.clemenswenger.com)

**Wenger, Clemens**; Composer | Musician; Artist

23 August 2022 18:00 - 20:00 | Chat

### **Inclusion Revolution**

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Salzburg, IG Wien, Club Alpbach Tirol, myAbility & Frauendomäne*

As a pre-session for "A Good Life for All: What Does it Mean and How Do We Get There?" we pose the meta-question whether the current system we live in is even fit to provide the utopia of a good life for all and what radical structural or revolutionary rethinking overthrows might have to precede this realization. Do we have to think bigger? Probably.

**Florian Niederseer**; Speaker

**Kleissner, Charly**; Impact Investor; ImpactAssets; Speaker

**Maierhofer, Andreas**; Dipl. Ing.; Moderator

**Maunganidze, Ottilia Anna**; Head of Special Projects; Institute for Security Studies (ISS); Speaker

**Raffel, Fides**; Moderator

**Schlee, Clara**; Speaker

23 August 2022 19:00 - 19:45 | Chat

### **Great Moments with Erhard Busek**

Erhard Busek was a great thinker, a giant of inspiration and a versatile man of action. He had been connected with Alpbach since his youth and was President of the EFA for ten years. He was a tireless supporter of the Forum Alpbach Network, which grew to over 30 clubs under his presidency. The "Spirit of Alpbach" is cultivated from London to Armenia all year round. Bernhard Marckhgott together with Pres. Andreas Treichl (co-author) and other companions present the book "Denken, Aufrütteln, Gestalten. Erinnerungen an Erhard Busek" (Thinking, Shacking up, Forming. Memories of Erhard Busek"). A shared in-memoriam. Stories to think about, smile and be amazed. /// INFO: This session is held in german language. There will be a second session in memory of Erhard Busek on August 29 in english language.

**Marckhgott, Bernhard;** Managing Director; Raiffeisenlandesbank Oberösterreich AG; Speaker  
**Treichl, Andreas;** President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker

23 August 2022 20:30 - 23:00 | Social

### **Magenta Summit**

*Supported by: Magenta Telekom*

Thinkers and leaders from Austria and beyond meet at the annual European Forum Alpbach in late summer. One of the highlights of the Conference Week is the Magenta Summit network event on Tuesday evening at the Böglerhof, where vision meets inspiration.

23 August 2022 20:30 - 21:30 | Social

### **Grant Thornton Reception | The Value of the Virtual**

*Supported by: Grant Thornton Austria*

Start your evening with the famous purple GT.GinTonic and learn about challenges of valuation, IP rights management and forensics in the field of crypto and NFT.

With NFT artist in residence: Alex Kiessling. Win one of his signed and NFT authenticated fine art prints!

Be purple: All guests with a purple detail in their outfit will receive a surprise!

**Halikias, Marlene;** Partner & Head of Advisory; Grant Thornton Austria; Speaker  
**Jeitler, Georg H.;** Partner; Grant Thornton Austria; Speaker

23 August 2022 20:30 - 23:00 | Social

### **FAN Social #StandWithUkraine**

*Hosted by: Kyiv Initiative Group Alpbach*

A FANTastic opportunity: Join a Social hosted by the Kyiv Initiative Group Alpbach (KIGA), which is celebrating the 10- years anniversary within the Forum Alpbach Network. Feel the get together spirit enjoying the life music performed by musicians and scholarship holders. Let's get united and enjoy the reception. Join us!

24 August 2022 07:00 - 08:00 | Ritual

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*Hosted by: Der Standard*

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**Frey, Eric**; Senior Editor; Der Standard; Moderator

**Kovalcikova, Nad'a**; Senior Analyst - Transnational Security; EU Institute for Security Studies (EUISS); Speaker

**Münz, Rainer**; Visiting Professor; Central European University (CEU) and the Diplomatic Academy Vienna; Speaker

24 August 2022 09:00 - 10:00 | Stage

### **The EU's Geopolitical Awakening?**

The Russian war of aggression against Ukraine was a wake-up call for the EU. The Union reacted with unprecedented sanctions and activated the European Peace Facility for the first time to supply lethal arms to Ukraine. But how sustainable will this geopolitical awakening be, and what will it mean for cooperation in the field of security and defence in the long run?

**Fajon, Tanja**; Minister; Slovenian Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Speaker

**Karnitschnig, Matthew Helmut**; Chief Europe Correspondent; Politico; Moderator

**Korčok, Ivan**; Minister; Slovak Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs; Speaker

**Lipavský, Jan**; Minister; Czech Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Speaker

**Rama, Edi**; Prime Minister; Government of Albania; Speaker

**Schallenberg, Alexander**; Federal Minister; Austrian Ministry for European and International Affairs; Speaker

**Soros, Alexander G.**; Deputy Chair; Open Society Foundations; Speaker

**Tchakarova, Velina**; Director; Austrian Institute for European and Security Policy (AIES); Speaker

24 August 2022 10:30 - 12:00 | Chat

### **A Good Life for All: What Does it Mean and How Do We Get There?**

What constitutes a good life for all, and is it more important than freedom or wealth? Can a good life for all secure resilient political communities? And what would be practical ways to achieve such a goal?

**Bajnai, Gordon;** Partner; Campbell Lutyens; Speaker

**Prainsack, Barbara;** Professor for Comparative Policy Analysis; University of Vienna; Speaker

**Rendl, Sophie;** Co-founder; Frauendomäne; Moderator

24 August 2022 10:30 - 12:00 | Chat

### **Net Zero Cities: Learning from Good Practice**

The role of cities in the climate transition has become more important than ever. It is mainly in cities where knowledge and economic activities are centred and where innovation happens. It is also cities that will strongly experience the ever-growing effects of the climate crisis. How can cities lead the way toward rapid decarbonisation while simultaneously enabling an equitable transition?

**Ámon, Ada;** Chief Advisor to the Mayor on Climate Affairs; City of Budapest; Speaker

**Bin Che Ngah, Mahadi;** Mayor; City of Kuala Lumpur; Speaker

**Czernohorszky, Jürgen;** Executive City Councillor for Climate, Environment, Democracy and Personnel; Vienna City Administration; Speaker

**Fischer, Luise;** Innovation Lead; NetZero Cities, EIT Climate KIC; Speaker

**Leixnering, Stephan;** Deputy Head of the Research Institute for Urban Management and Governance; Vienna University of Economics and Business; Moderator

24 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### **Security of Supply in Times of Crisis: What Can We Eat in the Future?**

*Supported by: METRO Austria*

Shortage of raw materials, supply problems and high energy prices are high on the agenda. What are producers and industry doing? Will they still be able to supply everyone in the future? What support do they need? How does a wholesaler ensure supply? Does quality have to suffer in favour of availability and quantity? Does Austrian cuisine now have to develop differently? Is regionality the key? Keynote Günter Reifer "Sustainability quo vadis? The Role of Business in the Global Transformation.

**Moretti, Julia;** Musician and Tyrolean organic farmer; Speaker

**Plotitza, Xavier;** CEO; Metro Cash & Carry Austria GmbH; Speaker

**Reifer, Günther;** CEO; Terra Institute; Speaker

**Rudelt, Thomas;** Member of the Management Board and Director Purchasing & Supply Chain; Metro Cash & Carry Österreich GmbH; Speaker

**Totschnig, Norbert;** Federal Minister; Federal Ministry for Agriculture, Forestry, Regions and Water Management; Speaker

24 August 2022 10:30 - 13:00 | Hike

### **Rethinking Growth: A Turning Point of an Economic System?**

*Supported by: Greiner*

Sustainability is currently at the centre of international discourse. Despite the generally growing pressure on business and public policy to decarbonise, no alternative economic model has yet become mainstream thinking. Moreover, the voices of civil society are getting ever louder. What can a future economic system look like, and how much space can be given to growth and sustainability together?

//INFO: Shuttle to Bischofer Käsalm. 10:00 departure at the bus turnaround "Böglerhof" for the shuttle service to the Käsalm (20 free seats: first come first serve). Or self-contained arrival to the Käsalm - session starts at 10:30.

**Gewessler, Leonore;** Federal Minister for Climate Action, Environment, Energy, Mobility, Innovation and Technology; Bundesministerium für Klimaschutz, Umwelt, Energie, Mobilität, Innovation und Technologie; Speaker

**Lyon, Rosa;** Journalist and Moderator; ORF; Moderator

**Mukutu, Kaluki Paul;** Climate Advocate & Environmentalist; Co-Founder of Kenyan Environmental Action Network; Speaker

**Sachs, Jeffrey D.;** Director of the Center for Sustainable Development; Columbia University; Speaker

**Stanek, Manfred;** Chief executive Officer; Greiner Packaging; Speaker

24 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### **The European Data Market: Protect AND Use Data!**

*Supported by: Microsoft Austria*

We are moving into a global data economy that has no regional borders. In the context of new EU legislation for the digital world, the Austrian health sector is an excellent case to discuss the right balance between data protection and the interests of the data economy. This also includes a positive approach to the subject of data protection: how not just to protect data, but also use it. This session is part of the Austrian wide initiative "Make Today Tomorrow Possible" which aims to establish a positive discourse about digitalisation & the usage of Cloud applications. Find out how you can involve yourself and discover many more events on [www.mhmm.at](http://www.mhmm.at)

**Erlach, Hermann;** General Manager; Microsoft Österreich; Speaker

**Meryn, Siegfried;** Specialist for internal medicine, Additive specialist for gastroenterology, hepatology and endoscopy; Ordination Univ. Prof. Dr. Meryn; Speaker

**Mitterstieler, Esther;** regional director; ORF Landesstudio Tirol, Innsbruck; Moderator

**Mück, Thomas;** Deputy Director General of the „Allgemeine Unfallversicherungsanstalt“ and Chair of digitalisation i; Sigmund Freud Privatuniversität Wien; Speaker

**Reich, Katharina;** Chief Medical Officer; Federal Ministry of Austria Social Affairs, Health, Care and Consumer Protection; Speaker

24 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### **Tackling Labour Shortages in Europe**

*Supported by: Federal Ministry of Labour*

Labour shortages are reported to be limiting production more than ever in European economies. In certain sectors, companies are already competing for ever fewer skilled workers. In upcoming decades, demographic change will further reduce the size of the European labour force. We will discuss which policy measures are needed to tackle the shortage of workers and ensure Europe's competitiveness.

**Eugster, Beatrix**; Professor of Economics; University of St. Gallen; Speaker

**Kocher, Martin**; Austrian Federal Minister for Labour and Economy; Austrian Federal Ministry for Labour and Economy; Speaker

**Münz, Rainer**; Visiting Professor; Central European University (CEU) and the Diplomatic Academy Vienna; Speaker

**Wilfinger, Christina**; Managing Director; SAP Austria; Speaker

24 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### **Unravelling the International Disorder: A European Course of Action**

*Supported by: Federal Ministry of Defence*

In an eroding international order, the EU as a major peace project must critically reflect on its sovereignty and position in the international system. The EU's foreign and security policy is caught in a field of tension between its values and interests. Its instruments appear to be used insufficiently. Can and will the EU step up to promote its own idea of the international order – and how?

**Gamon, Claudia Angela**; Member of the European Parliament, NEOS; European Parliament; Speaker

**Gugerel, Stefan**; Federal Ministry of Defence; Speaker

**Kammel, Arnold**; General Secretary; Ministry of Defence; Speaker

**Mayer, Thomas**; Journalist | Moderator; derStandard; Moderator

**Müller, Patrick**; Professor for European Studies; University of Vienna; Speaker

24 August 2022 12:40 - 13:25

### **Brown Bag Lunch: Facts and the media in the post-truth era**

*Hosted by: Politico*

What's left for "factfulness" in nonpartisan journalism in an era of increasing polarization? This lunch session discusses the role of facts and data in media and journalism in an era of "alternative facts" and increasing information polarization. How does for example POLITICO use data to enrich its nonpartisan fact-based journalism? And how can media organization contribute to more factual public debate around increasingly complex issues?

\\INFO:

**Hirsch, Cornelius**; Journalist; POLITICO Europe; Moderator

24 August 2022 12:45 - 14:45 | Network

### **Diversity Forum - Diversity from an intersectional perspective**

*Hosted by: Initiativgruppe Wien & Frauendomäne*

Thinking about diversity means more than simply naming categorical identity characteristics such as gender, ethnicity, physical or mental ability, sexual identity, worldview, age or social affiliation. Within the framework of the Diversity Forum, we would like to ask about the theoretical foundations, possible structural measures and intersectional challenges in dealing with diversity, as well as open up a space for FLINTA\* readers to exchange ideas together.

Info: FLINTAS only & max. 50 participants

**Hanappi-Egger, Edeltraud;** Rector, Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr.Dr.h.c Edeltraud Hanappi-Egger, Rector of the Vienna University of E; Speaker

**Hornstein-Tomić, Caroline Elisabeth;** Member of the Board; Senior Researcher; European Forum Alpbach; Institute of Social Sciences Ivo Pilar; Speaker

**Rössl, Ines;** Mag.a Ines Rössl, PhD student and university assistant (prae doc) at the Institute for Philosophy of; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 14:30

### **Fireside Chat - Gordon Bajnai**

**Bajnai, Gordon;** Partner; Campbell Lutyens; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **Energy System Turnaround For Sustainable Mobility**

*Supported by: Austrian Federal Railways*

A sustainable mobility sector is a prerequisite for achieving the climate targets - but it is only feasible with a switch to e-mobility and hydrogen mobility. Where should the additional green energy necessary for this change come from? And who should be allowed to use it? Rail and bus? Or cars and trucks? How will the most important resources for sustainable mobility be distributed? And: will there be enough renewable energy left for industry and the economy?

**Angelo, Silvia;** Executive Board Member; ÖBB Infrastruktur AG; Speaker

**Christiner, Gerhard;** Technical Director; APG; Speaker

**Gamon, Claudia Angela;** Member of the European Parliament, NEOS; European Parliament; Speaker

**Kleebinder, Hans-Peter;** Director of Studies; University of St. Gallen; Speaker

**Lyon, Rosa;** Journalist and Moderator; ORF; Moderator

**Pluy, Johann;** Executive Board Member; ÖBB Infrastruktur AG; Speaker

**Stock, Sabine;** Executive Board Member; ÖBB Personenverkehr AG; Speaker

**Susaneck, Alexander;** Managing Director; BMW Steyr; Speaker



24 August 2022 13:30 - 16:00 | Hike

### **Building a Case: From the Ego To the Eco System**

*Supported by: Mondi Group*

In an era of unprecedented change we haven't discovered the full potential of regenerative economic thinking yet. We must come together as consumers, brands, manufacturers and governments with strong resolutions and direct action to drive progress. Here, we set out what we see as success factors and most effective leverage points to activate circular opportunities in the packaging value chain.

//INFO: Hike to Wurmhof.

In case of heavy rain, a shuttle will take you to Gasthof Wurmhof.

**Katzmair, Harald;** Founder & CEO; FAS; Speaker

**Manceau, Carole;** Packaging Expert; UN World Food Programme; Speaker

**Moser, Katharina;** Moderator and Experience Designer; MOSAIK; Moderator

**Ott, Thomas;** CEO; Mondi FLEXIBLE PACKAGING; Speaker

**Rudelt, Thomas;** Member of the Management Board and Director Purchasing & Supply Chain; Metro Cash & Carry Österreich GmbH; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 16:00 | Hike

### **Talk auf der Alm: Solutions in real time**

*Supported by: Die Presse*

At the past "Talks auf der Alm", our experts predicted the current situation for Europe quite accurately: That companies are desperately looking for employees today. Demographic and geopolitical changes, technology expansion, New Work and the dramatic change in jobs are not unexpected - and yet there is great surprise.

Now is the time to act - and solve the problems in real time. How? That's what we'll be discussing at the "Talk auf der Alm".

//INFO: Hike to Zirmalm (walking distance approx. 50 minutes, a shuttle is available on request).  
Confirmation: [veranstaltungen@diepresse.com](mailto:veranstaltungen@diepresse.com)

**Kohlberger, Martina;** Lecturer & Researcher | HR Consultancy; University Innsbruck; Speaker

**Köttritsch, Michael;** Journalist; Die Presse; Moderator

**Lothert, Ralf-Wolfgang;** JTI Austria, Member of the Management Board, Director Corporate Affairs & Communication; JTI Austria; Speaker

**Suchocki, Oliver;** HR & Management Consulting; EY People Advisory Services; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 16:00 | Hike

### **Chief Risk Officer Dialogue: Preparedness as the Key to Risk Management**

*Supported by: Raiffeisen Bank International*

Companies and institutions are confronted with risks on a daily basis. Whether and how they deal with these risks is often very subjective. However, there are methodological tools for handling them. In this hike, company representatives, academics and politicians will present tools to deal with risks in supply chain management, taking into account different regions and sectors.

//INFO: Hike to Gasthof Rossmoos.

In case of heavy rain, a shuttle will take you to Gasthof Rossmoos.

**Bernhard, Nadja**; ORF; Moderator

**Borchert, Heiko**; CEO of Borchert Consulting & Research AG; Borchert Consulting & Research AG; Speaker

**De Campos , Rodolphe**; CFO; IKEA Austria; Speaker

**Kocher, Martin**; Austrian Federal Minister for Labour and Economy; Austrian Federal Ministry for Labour and Economy; Speaker

**Mösenbacher, Hannes**; Chief Risk Officer; Raiffeisen Bank International AG; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **2035! New Realities, Bold Decisions, Unimaginable Possibilities**

*Supported by: Austrian Federal Economic Chamber*

The future is not set, but something we create. Through collaboration with leading international research institutes and swarm intelligence we have a foresight tool: the Innovation Map! This map will shape your mindset and prepare you for what is to bring a paradigm shift in nearly all industries. So, join us on this journey into the future and discuss the decisions of tomorrow!

**Fürlinger, Andreas**; Founder & CEO; APELEON; Speaker

**Mahrer, Harald**; President; Austrian Federal Economic Chamber; Speaker

**Moosbeckhofer, Florian**; Head of Innovation and Digitalisation; Austrian Federal Economic Chamber; Speaker

**Rinnhofer, Theresa**; Regulatory Affairs; APELEON; Speaker

**Schwentenwein, Martin**; Chief Scientific Officer; Lithoz GmbH; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **Shaken, not Stirred – What Secret Services & Companies Should Have in Common**

*Supported by: Arthur D. Little Austria*

While threats to national borders have existed for millennia, technology and digitalisation have taken threats to a different level, making security relevant for politics and corporates alike. The threat landscape might have changed, but basic principles of security remain the same. What can politics, secret services and corporates learn from each other?

**Borenich, Jochen**; Member of Board; K-Businesscom AG; Speaker

**Halevy, Efraim**; Former Head of the Israeli Security Council; Speaker

**Schallenberg, Alexander**; Federal Minister; Austrian Ministry for European and International Affairs; Speaker

**Scherr, Maximilian**; Partner; Arthur D. Little Austria GmbH; Moderator

**Wunschik, Judith**; Chief Cybersecurity Officer; Siemens Energy; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Work

### **Covid19: Variants And Waves, Where Are We Heading?**

*Supported by: Vienna Medical Chamber*

The COVID-19 pandemic has taken a drastic human toll, and the economic and social impacts of the pandemic are reverberating globally.

In the past years the virus has become more and more contagious and has learned to evade the increasing level of immunity in the human population. In many respects, the Covid-19 pandemic is reminiscent of the great influenza pandemics of the past, from which we can learn, where we may be heading with the current pandemic.

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**Chaid, Steven;** Event Moderator, Radio & TV Presenter, Media Trainer; Moderator

**Ostermann, Herwig;** Speaker

**Von Laer, Dorothee;** Professor and Head of the Institute of Virology at the Medical University of Innsbruck; Medizinische Universität Innsbruck; Speaker

24 August 2022 13:30 - 15:30 | Chat

### **aWAREness - Ukraine and the Price of Independence**

*Hosted by: Kyiv Initiative Group Alpbach*

On 24 February 2022, Russia invaded Ukraine. On 24 August, Ukrainians celebrate Independence Day, which Russia wants to take away from us. The fiercest battles take place in the Eastern-Southern regions of Ukraine. Our speakers – 4 KIGA scholarship holders from Eastern-Southern parts of Ukraine will present and talk about these regions and will share their personal stories with you.

**Bystrova, Praskovja;** Speaker

**Izhyk, Valeriya;** Speaker

**Kurinna, Maria;** Speaker

**Poloz, Maria;**

24 August 2022 16:30 - 17:30 | Stage

### **Disrupted and Weaponised Dependencies: On the Brink of a New Age?**

We saw how serious economic consequences can be if supply chains, financial flows and trade links get disrupted. The Covid-19 pandemic, along with the Suez Canal blockage and now Russia's war in Ukraine have exposed weak spots in the system. What do they mean for companies, individual states and the upcoming multipolar world? Will they lead to further corrosion of globalisation?

**Bajnai, Gordon;** Partner; Campbell Lutyens; Speaker

**Deliloglu, Alpaslan;** CEO; IKEA Austria; Speaker

**Kovalcikova, Nad'a;** Senior Analyst - Transnational Security; EU Institute for Security Studies (EUISS); Speaker

**Primus, Odessa;** Executive Director; Global Arena Research Institute (GARI); Moderator

**Vujcic, Boris;** Governor; Croatian National Bank; Speaker

24 August 2022 18:00 - 20:00 | Chat

### **Brave New World of Work**

*Hosted by: Initiative Group Alpbach Sarajevo*

The constant changes demand companies to (re-)act faster to pressing requests and to flexibly adapt to challenges ahead. New technologies provide flexible opportunities for workers as they suggest that they can work at any time, from anywhere. What are the (legal) solutions to reconcile flexibility demands of both companies and (healthy, engaging) workers? How can we shape the new world of work?

**Antlanger-Winter, Christine;** Country Director; Google Austria; Speaker  
**Lacic, Selma;** Board Member, Initiative Group Alpbach Sarajevo; Moderator  
**Ott, Thomas;** CEO; Mondi FLEXIBLE PACKAGING; Speaker  
**Pöllauer, Sven;** Head of PR & Market Communication; ÖBB-Personenverkehr AG; Speaker  
**Potz, Andrea;** Partner; CMS Reich-Rohrwig Hainz; Speaker

24 August 2022 18:00 - 20:00 | Work

### **Inclusion Revolution**

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Salzburg, IG Wien, Club Alpbach Tirol, myAbility & Frauendomäne*

Contents and focus points of the five workshop groups:

- Accessibility (myAbility)
- Ethnicity (Club Alpbach Salzburg)
- Gender equity (Frauendomäne)
- Sexual identity and orientation (IG Vienna)
- Socio-economic background (Club Alpbach Tirol)

**Maierhofer, Andreas;** Dipl. Ing.; Moderator  
**Raffel, Fides;** Moderator

24 August 2022 18:00 - 20:00 | Chat

### **The War in Ukraine and a World Humanitarian Crisis**

*Hosted by: Kyiv Initiative Group Alpbach, Africa Alpbach Network & Club Alpbach Iraq*

The Russian war in Ukraine has threatened global food security and might lead to a new wave of the migration crisis. Russia is using food and hunger as a weapon. Countries in the African continent, Middle East and Asia are at risk as they depend on Ukrainian grain. Additionally, climate change, poor agricultural policy, and dependence on Russian gas make the crisis worse. How can we eliminate the consequences of war and the risk of the global food (humanitarian) crisis?

**Adu-Gyamfi, Richard;** Speaker  
**Bodnya, Ievgeniia;** Speaker  
**Frick, Martin;** Director; WFP Global Office Germany; Speaker  
**Kure, Blessing;** Speaker  
**Mathernová, Katarína;** Deputy Director-General for Neighbourhood Policy and Enlargement Negotiations; European Commission; Speaker  
**Seifert, Thomas;** Dept. Editor in Chief; Wiener Zeitung GmbH; Moderator  
**Trofimtseva, Olga;** Dr.; Speaker  
**Weigerstorfer, Lucas;** Speaker  
**Zhigger Abozaid;** Speaker

24 August 2022 19:30 - 23:30 | Social

### **ERSTE European Night**

*Supported by: ERSTE Group Bank AG*

After a lively exchange of ideas, it is essential to celebrate. Join us for an evening of exquisite food paired with an extraordinary spectacle for the eye and ear. Let ERSTE European Night be the highlight on your agenda.

**Cernko, Willibald;** CEO; Erste Group Bank AG; Moderator

**Holzinger-Burgstaller, Gerda;** CEO and Chief Retail Officer; Erste Bank der oesterreichischen Sparkassen AG; Moderator

25 August 2022 07:00 - 08:00 | Ritual

### **Morning Sport**

*Supported by: Federal Ministry of Defence*

Enlist to get fit!

So you can be your best self we prepared some special workouts guided by professionals from the Austrian Armed Forces to relieve stress, prevent burnout and start the day with an energy boost.

Whether it's military CrossTraining or fascia training, be prepared to break a sweat. And don't worry: all fitness levels are welcome!

25 August 2022 08:00 - 08:45 | Network

### **EFA Morning Briefing**

*Hosted by: Politico*

Start your Alpbach day well-informed: our Morning Briefings give you a daily overview of of EFA22's most important news and insights. Listen to exciting interviews and meet with inspirational speakers and panelists!

**Hirsch, Cornelius;** Journalist; POLITICO Europe; Moderator

25 August 2022 09:00 - 10:00 | Stage

### **Cross-sectoral Perspectives on Migration**

Recently, we have reached the sad threshold of 100 million displaced people worldwide. Migration and flight are driven by different kinds of crises – i.e. economic, security and climate –, and it increases polarisation in our democracies. We want to discuss future challenges in the area of migration from the perspectives of our four thematic tracks and how Europe should effectively address them.

**Frey, Eric;** Senior Editor; Der Standard; Moderator

**Maunganidze, Ottilia Anna;** Head of Special Projects; Institute for Security Studies (ISS); Speaker

**Münz, Rainer;** Visiting Professor; Central European University (CEU) and the Diplomatic Academy Vienna; Speaker

**Nash, Sarah Louise;** Postdoctoral Researcher; University for Continuing Education Krems (Danube University); Speaker

25 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### **The Energy Transition Opportunity: Climate Protection and Job Creation**

*Supported by: Climate and Energy Fund*

Austria's labour market is under pressure: With baby boomers retiring, a Covid-19-induced job dissatisfaction and ambitious climate goals, well-trained workers are desperately sought after, particularly in green industries. The current upheavals could boost the national economy – but how can young professionals, especially Gen Y & Z, be inspired to pursue careers in the energy transition?

**Felbermayr, Gabriel;** Director; Austrian institute of economic research; Speaker  
**Glaser, Lena Marie;** Founder; Basically Innovative; Moderator  
**Immitzer, Vera;** Managing Director; Bundesverband Photovoltaic Austria; Speaker  
**Kainz, Martina;** Coordinator; BerufsInfoZentren Wien AMS; Speaker  
**Pfarrwaller, J. Robert;** Managing director; Rexel Group; Speaker

25 August 2022 10:30 - 12:30 | Work

### **What Holds Us Together**

*Supported by: Political Academy of the Austrian People's Party*

Nowadays, there is more and more talk about a division in our society. The manifold crises of the present have led to polarisation. Trust in established politics has been shaken, and identity politics excludes parts of society from the discourse. In this session, the Political Academy wants to explore the question of how to strengthen social cohesion again.

**Goodhart, David;** Journalist and author; Speaker  
**Randeria, Shalini;** President and Rector; Central European University; Speaker  
**Rausch, Bettina;** President of Political Academy of People's Party and Member of the Parliament; Speaker

25 August 2022 12:30 - 13:45 | Social

### **Patente Cocktail: More Than a Liquid Lunch**

*Supported by: Ministry of Climate Action and Austrian Patent Office*

Patents can take you everywhere, even to outer space. Minister of Climate Action Leonore Gewessler and President of the Patent Office Mariana Karepova cordially invite you to a lunch with extraterrestrial ideas and a great inventor Sebastian Vogler, founder of Beetle ForTech. Delicious cocktails – also non-alcoholic if you insist. No astronaut food though, but a tasty buffet.

**Gewessler, Leonore;** Federal Minister for Climate Action, Environment, Energy, Mobility, Innovation and Technology; Bundesministerium für Klimaschutz, Umwelt, Energie, Mobilität, Innovation und Technologie; Speaker  
**Karepova, Mariana;** President of the Austrian Patent Office; Austrian Patent Office; Speaker  
**Nguyen, Anh;** CMO; Beetle ForTech; Speaker  
**Vogler, Sebastian;** Co-Founder & CEO; Beetle ForTech GmbH; Speaker

25 August 2022 12:40 - 13:25 | Network

### **Brown Bag Lunch: Greening the Food System: A sustainable diet for all?**

*Hosted by: Der Standard*

By the end of the century, almost 11 billion people will live on the planet. Each of them must eat. At the same time, however, the available land for agriculture is decreasing due to climate change. How can the transition towards a sustainable food system succeed?

//INFO: In case of bad weather, the session will take place at Feuerwehrhaus.

**Godfray, Charles;** Director, Oxford Martin School; Oxford University; Speaker  
**Pramer, Philip;** Moderator

25 August 2022 14:00 - 15:15 | Stage

### **Welcome: TEC Opening and RTI Talk**

At the opening session of the Tec focus at this year's Forum Alpbach, the summit of the Austrian research, technology and innovation community as well as leading representatives from ministries and business will discuss how to make Austria fit for a challenging future – and how to emerge stronger from the various crises (Corona, inflation, energy, Ukraine, climate).

**Ertl, Cornelia;** Moderator & Communications Specialist; Vienna; Moderator  
**Gewessler, Leonore;** Federal Minister for Climate Action, Environment, Energy, Mobility, Innovation and Technology; Bundesministerium für Klimaschutz, Umwelt, Energie, Mobilität, Innovation und Technologie; Speaker  
**Gross, Gerald;** Founder and Director; gross:medie e.U.; Moderator  
**Knoll, Wolfgang;** Managing Director; AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH; Speaker  
**Kocher, Martin;** Austrian Federal Minister for Labour and Economy; Austrian Federal Ministry for Labour and Economy; Speaker  
**Neumayer, Christoph;** General Secretary; Federation of Austrian Industries; Speaker  
**Polaschek, Martin;** Austrian Federal Minister for Education, Science and Research; Austrian Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Research; Speaker  
**Treichl, Andreas;** President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker  
**Tursky, Florian;** State Secretary for Digitalisation,; Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance; Speaker

25 August 2022 15:45 - 17:45 | Stage

### **Energy Transition: How to Reduce Energy Dependency**

The global crisis of the energy sector as well as advancing global warming make clear that we have to completely rethink our energy system. A top-class panel from research and industry will discuss fundamental requirements for the future energy system and outline ways to achieve a more resilient, sustainable and safe way to deal with one of the basic needs of mankind: energy.

**Dalheimer, Birgit;** Scientific Editor; OE1, Austrian Broadcasting Corporation; Moderator  
**Herlitschka, Sabine;** CEO; Infineon Technologies Austria AG; Speaker  
**Rech, Bernd;** Scientific Managing Director; Helmholtz-Zentrum Berlin; Speaker  
**Schwab, Peter;** Member of the Board of voestalpine AG; Head of Metal Forming Division; Speaker  
**Seidel, Carla;** Senior Vice President Material Physics, Analytics & Formulation; BASF; Speaker



25 August 2022 16:00 - 22:00 | Chat

### **AIL Café Exchange**

*Supported by: Die Angewandte*

The AIL (Angewandte Interdisciplinary Lab) invites you in the satellite of Café Exchange to heated discussions over cooled drinks. Subject: What does the future look like? What do we want it to look like? /// Hosted by ARTTEC - the AIT Art Programme 4pm: Discussion: Higher education policy in the field of art with Paula Netzl (IG Wien) und Gerald Bast (Principal, Angewandte) 6pm: AIL Happy Hour 8pm: Personal Playlist of Meaningful Music.

25 August 2022 20:00 - 21:00 | Stage

### **International Talk: Technology as a Geopolitical Force**

The current multiple crises threaten our concepts of freedom, prosperity, and security. Apart from geopolitical efforts we need new technological responses to solve them. However, innovations are increasingly becoming an important instrument of power politics. Between the USA and East Asia, the New Europe needs to catch up – with research & development, education, and a spirit of innovation.

**Andersson, Bertil**; Professor of Biochemistry; Speaker

**Androsch, Hannes**; Industrialist, Androsch International Management Consulting; Speaker

**Veit, Hannelore**; Journalist, Moderator and Author; Moderator

26 August 2022 04:00 - 08:00 | Hike

### **Sunrise Hike: Gratlspitz**

Rise and shine! Get up early and enjoy the first rays of sunshine on the top of Alpbach. Experience the special atmosphere and start your day energized!

//INFO: Shoes with proper sole (hiking shoes or solid sports shoes) recommended. Bring some water!

**Rabanser, Theresia**; Speaker

26 August 2022 08:00 - 08:45 | Network

### **EFA Morning Briefing**

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**Hirsch, Cornelius**; Journalist; POLITICO Europe; Moderator



26 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **Artificial Intelligence – Key Technology: Europe, Quo Vadis?**

*Supported by: VFFI*

AI will be a decisive key technology for successful business models and added value. Although Europe has strong companies and top-level research, it runs the risk of being left behind globally. How can we manage to support innovative frontrunners, launch interdisciplinary lighthouses, ensure technology sovereignty, and specifically utilise AI applications for Europe's competitiveness?

**Androsch, Franz Michael;** Head of R&D and Innovation, voestalpine AG; Speaker

**Claus, Isabell;** Managing Director, thinkers.ai; Speaker

**Hochreiter, Sepp;** Head of the Institute for Machine Learning, Johannes Kepler University Linz; Speaker

**Ilic, Alexander;** Executive Director and Co-Founder, ETH AI Center; Speaker

**List, Georg;** Vice President Corporate Strategy, AVL List GmbH; Speaker

**Meran-Waldstein, Isabella;** Director for Research, Technology & Innovation, Federation of Austrian Industries; Moderator

**Reisch, Rebecca;** Managing Director, Cyber Valley GmbH; Speaker

**Rosenberger, Florian;** Expert for Digitalization, Federation of Austrian Industries; Moderator

**Tursky, Florian;** State Secretary for Digitalisation, Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance; Speaker

26 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **Heavy Industry: Innovations for Net Zero Emissions**

*Supported by: Climate and Energy Fund*

To get the energy-intensive industry, which is responsible for around a quarter of global greenhouse gas emissions, onto the ambitious zero emissions path, we need commercially available climate protection technologies by 2030. The session of the Climate and Energy Fund will discuss success factors for climate neutrality in industry and the role of innovation.

**Holzleitner, Christian;** Head of Unit for Land Economy and Carbon Removals, DG for Climate Action, European Commission; Speaker

**Kunz, Andreas;** Chief Technology Officer, Innio Jenbacher GmbH & Co KG; Speaker

**Schmid, Eva;** Team Leader H2 Synthetic Energy Sources, Deutsche Energie-Agentur GmbH; Speaker

**Spyra, Henriette;** Director General Innovation & Technology, Austrian Federal Ministry for Climate Action; Speaker

**Stanzl, Eva;** Science Editor, Wiener Zeitung; Moderator

**Vogel, Theresia;** Managing Director, Climate and Energy Fund; Speaker

**Watt, Robert;** Communications Director and Head of Strategic Policy Engagement, Stockholm Environment Institute; Speaker

26 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **The (R)evolution of Socio-Technical Hybrids**

*Supported by: TU Austria*

The goal of this multi-disciplinary breakout session is to foster a critical dialogue on the increasing fusion of people and technologies. In the field of tension between society and technology, we will discuss approaches to solutions for humanistic technology development. As a result, strategies for shaping the inevitable (r)evolution of socio-technical hybrids will be developed.

**Franzkowiak, Anna;** Head of Department CTS and Organizational Director, Center for Technology & Society, TU Wien; Moderator

**Frauenberger, Christopher;** Professor for Human-Computer Interaction, University of Salzburg; Speaker

**Schaper-Rinkel, Petra;** Vice Rector for Digitalisation, University of Graz; Speaker

**Schöggel, Astrid;** Expert for Digital Affairs, Austrian Federal Chamber of Labour; Speaker

**Sommer, Roland;** Managing Director, Austrian Platform Industry 4.0; Speaker

**Spyra, Henriette;** Director General Innovation & Technology, Austrian Federal Ministry for Climate Action; Speaker

**Tellioglu, Hilda;** Associate Professor and Scientific Director, Center for Technology & Society, TU Wien; Speaker

**Wagner, Ben;** Assistant Professor and Director of the AI Futures Lab, TU Delft; Speaker

26 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **Whom to Trust? The Challenge of Being Excellent, Relevant, and Trustworthy**

*Supported by: Austrian Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Research*

Science and research are in full swing, with great strides being made. But excellent output alone does not create trust. Science as a guarantee of expertise and integrity is increasingly turning into one voice among many. This BMBWF and FWF session will address ways out of this crisis of trust and how to renew the relationship between science and society in the 21st century.

**Chai, Sabine;** Managing Director, Austrian Agency for Research Integrity; Speaker

**Gattringer, Christof;** President of the Austrian Science Fund; Moderator

**Merz, Martina;** Professor of Science Studies & Vice-Rector for Research, University of Klagenfurt; Speaker

**Polaschek, Martin;** Austrian Federal Minister for Education, Science and Research; Austrian Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Research; Speaker

**Schernhammer, Eva;** Professor and Chair, Department of Epidemiology, Medical University of Vienna; Speaker

**Svensson-Jajko, Patrick;** Research Policy Coordinator, Austrian Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Research; Moderator

**Thomas, Tobias;** Director General, Statistics Austria; Speaker

**Weisskopf, Markus;** Executive Director, Wissenschaft im Dialog; Speaker

26 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **Circular and Climate-Neutral Mobility - The Case of Vehicles**

*Supported by: Joanneum Research*

In the future sustainable development will only be possible with climate-neutral products and services that fulfil criteria on circularity. The session will highlight issues of climate neutrality and the circular economy of vehicles. Mobility is a major contributor to greenhouse gas emissions and the demand for raw materials continues to rise with new propulsion systems like electric vehicles.

**Arnberger, Astrid**; Head of Research & Development, Saubermacher Dienstleistungs AG;  
Speaker

**Buchner, Hanno**; Head of Strategy and Business Innovation, Magna Steyr Fahrzeugtechnik;  
Speaker

**Damyantov, Aleksandar**; Technical Manager, Green NCAP; Speaker

**Hartmann, Peter**; R&D Funding Manager, ZKW Group GmbH; Speaker

**Jungmeier, Gerfried**; Key Researcher on Life Cycle Assessment, Joanneum Research, Institute for Climate, Energy & Society; Speaker

**Mayer, Heinz**; CEO, Joanneum Research Forschungsgesellschaft mbH; Moderator

**Reinbrech, Reiner**; Expert, Department Mobility Transformation, Austrian Federal Ministry for Climate Action; Speaker

**Wiedenbauer, Martin**; Commercial Lawyer and Partner of Act, WMWP Rechtsanwälte; Speaker

26 August 2022 12:40 - 13:25

### **Brown Bag Lunch: Live Podcast**

*Hosted by: Die Presse*

Be there when the Alpbach Podcast of the "Presse" will be recorded live from "Schulhäusl". Anna Maria Wallner interviews exciting guests from European Forum Alpbach and gives you interesting insights behind the scenes of the event.

**Wallner, Anna-Maria**; Moderator

26 August 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Stage

### **RNA-Based Medicine of the Future**

*Supported by: Helmholtz-Gemeinschaft Deutscher Forschungszentren*

**Cichutek, Klaus**; President; Paul-Ehrlich-Institut; Speaker

**Huber, Christoph**; Former Chairman, Department Hematology-Oncology, Johannes Gutenberg Universität Mainz; Co-Founder, Scientific Advisor and Member of the Board, Biontech SE;  
Speaker

**Nowotny, Helga**; Member; Austrian Council for Research and Technology Development;  
Moderator

**Protzer, Ulrike**; Director, Institute of Virology; Helmholtz Zentrum München; Speaker

**Vogel, Joerg**; Director; Helmholtz Institute for RNA-Based Infection Research; Speaker

**Wiestler, Otmar D.**; President; Helmholtz-Gemeinschaft Deutscher Forschungszentren e.V.;  
Moderator

26 August 2022 15:00 - 18:00 | Work

### **Manufacturing – a Driver for Sustainability and Innovative Growth**

*Supported by: EIT Manufacturing*

Manufacturing is a key industry for prosperity and growth in Europe. Sustainability goals, supply bottlenecks and increasing digitalisation; many factors impact industrial value chains and offer opportunities for technological innovation, new products and services. In two roundtables, top international speakers discuss the roles of industrial corporations and start-ups towards green manufacturing.

**Betz, Klaus;** Chief Executive Officer, EIT Manufacturing; Speaker

**Egg, Laura;** Managing Director, Austrian Angel Investors Association; Speaker

**Frauscher, Florian;** Director General for; Ministry of Economic Affairs, Innovation and International Policy; Speaker

**Hegny, Ingo;** Senior Programme Manager for Industrial Technologies, Austrian Federal Ministry for Climate Action; Speaker

**Hunschovsky, Johannes;** Managing Director, EIT Manufacturing East GmbH; Moderator

**Janeczko, Jordan;** Global Client Innovation - CTO, Atos; Speaker

**Warrol, Cecilia;** Director Industrial R&I and Manufacturing; Programme Director, Produktion2030; Speaker

**Wölfer, Rudolf;** Head of Innovation PMO and CES Innovation, Borealis; Speaker

26 August 2022 15:00 - 18:00 | Work

### **Microelectronic Hotspot EU – Strategy for the Chips Act**

*Supported by: AT&S*

To ensure that Europe can play an important role on the global stage again, a concerted overall strategy to promote the production of microelectronics in the EU will be necessary. Europe must reduce its dependency on the USA and Southeast Asia in semiconductors. To achieve this goal, we must promote essential parts of the value chain to build the necessary technologies and capacities in key areas.

**Bischof, Horst;** Vice Rector for Research, Graz University of Technology; Speaker

**De Boeck, Jo;** Executive Vice President & CSO, imec; Speaker

**Eisenschmid, Christian;** Managing Director, Intel Germany, Vice President Ecosystem Strategy; Speaker

**Reger, Lars;** Executive Vice President and Chief Technology Officer, NXP Semiconductors; Speaker

26 August 2022 15:00 - 18:00 | Work

### **Fact or Fake: The Role of Research in a Post-Truth Era**

*Supported by: Forschung Austria*

In our societies, development processes used to be based on facts and our acts grounded in knowledge. In the past few years, “alternative” facts have taken hold in many areas, like climate change or the current pandemic. We will discuss how science in general and applied research in particular can again focus on facts instead of emotions. How to communicate science, what about the Third Mission?

**Ambros, Gabriele;** President of Forschung Austria; Moderator

**Gattringer, Christof;** President of the Austrian Science Fund; Speaker

**Krainer, Larissa;** Professor, Dept. of Media and Communications and Chair of the Senate, University of Klagenfurt; Speaker

**Ladstätter, Sabine;** Executive Director, Austrian Archaeological Institute, Austrian Academy of Sciences; Speaker

**Mertl, Elisabeth;** Senior Researcher, OFI Independent Research and Testing Institute; Speaker

**Pseiner, Klaus;** Managing Director, Austrian Research Promotion Agency; Speaker

**Reich, Siegfried;** Managing Director and Head of Research, Salzburg Research Forschungsgesellschaft; Moderator

**Stanzl, Eva;** Science Editor, Wiener Zeitung; Speaker

26 August 2022 15:00 - 16:20 | Work

### **Bioeconomy Austria – Game-Changer for Austria's Economy**

*Supported by: Innovation Salzburg GmbH | Bioeconomy Austria*

Bioeconomy Austria brings together regional clusters, companies, research, politics and society in order to use this booster for Austria and to enable sustainable innovations along the value chains of a bio-based circular economy. The first focus is on wood as a raw material. The entire spectrum of the Austrian bioeconomy will be covered by 2024 – how this can succeed, will be presented in the session.

**Bach, Brigitte;** Chief Operating Officer, Salzburg AG für Energie, Verkehr und Telekommunikation; Speaker

**Balika, Werner;** Technology Transfer Manager, Innovation Salzburg GmbH; Moderator

**Eibinger-Miedl, Barbara;** Member of the Provincial Government of Styria; Speaker

**Geier, Sonja;** Deputy Head, Competence Center Typology & Planning in Architecture; Speaker

**Greimel, Martin;** Head, Center for Bioeconomy, University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences Vienna; Speaker

**Klambauer, Andrea;** Member of the Provincial Government of Salzburg; Speaker

**Kunz, Michael;** Managing Director, Metadynea Austria GmbH; Speaker

**Lienbacher, Bernhard;** Founder and CEO, Barkinsulation GmbH; Speaker

**Petutschnigg, Alexander;** Head of Department for Green Engineering and Circular Design, Salzburg University of Applied Science; Speaker

**Totschnig, Norbert;** Federal Minister; Federal Ministry for Agriculture, Forestry, Regions and Water Management; Speaker

26 August 2022 15:00 - 18:00 | Work

### **Digital Sovereignty for a Sustainable, Competitive Society**

*Supported by: Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance*

As global digitalisation is expanding in all areas of society, our data sovereignty is becoming a core aspect to ensure economic growth and social justice in Europe and to manage climate change. This workshop will explore the societal and economic aspects of data-driven value creation and the EU's key initiative Gaia-X.

**Borenich, Jochen;** Member of Board; K-Businesscom AG; Speaker

**Drobics, Mario;** Head of Competence Unit for Cooperative Digital Technologies, AIT Austrian Institute of Technology; Speaker

**Fadrany, Roland;** Chief Operating Officer, Gaia-X European Association for Data and Cloud AISBL; Speaker

**Hahn, Thomas;** Chief Expert Software, Siemens AG; Speaker

**Höllwarth, Tobias;** Board Member, Gaia-X Hub Austria; Speaker

**Leopold, Helmut;** Head of Center for Digital Safety and Security, AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH; Moderator

**Sommer, Roland;** Managing Director, Austrian Platform Industry 4.0; Speaker

**Spyra, Henriette;** Director General Innovation & Technology, Austrian Federal Ministry for Climate Action; Speaker

**Tauber, Christian;** Head of Platform Services, K-Businesscom AG; Speaker

**Tschohl, Christof;** Research Director and Senior Consultant, Research Institute AG & Co KG; Speaker

**Tursky, Florian;** State Secretary for Digitalisation,; Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance; Speaker

26 August 2022 16:00 - 22:00 | Chat

### **AIL Café Exchange**

*Supported by: Die Angewandte*

The AIL (Angewandte Interdisciplinary Lab) invites you in the satellite of Café Exchange to heated discussions over cooled drinks. Subject: What does the future look like? What do we want it to look like? /// Hosted by ARTTEC - the AIT Art Programme 6pm: Film Screening: Mother Arkah by Andreas Palfinger 7pm: Film Screening: Mother Arkah by Andreas Palfinger 9pm: Personal Playlist of Meaningful Music

26 August 2022 16:40 - 18:00 | Work

### **Ecological Lightweight Materials: Performance and Sustainability**

*Supported by: Innovation Salzburg GmbH / Bioeconomy Austria*

This session highlights the topic of mobility in the context of bioeconomy. Together with users from industry and representatives from research, the current status of lightweight wood construction in the field of mobility, opportunities through digitalisation, new developments as well as future visions in the acceptance of wood in new fields of application will be presented.

**Balika, Werner;** Technology Transfer Manager, Innovation Salzburg GmbH; Moderator  
**Bischof, Horst;** Vice Rector for Research, Graz University of Technology; Speaker  
**Geier, Sonja;** Deputy Head, Competence Center Typology & Planning in Architecture; Speaker  
**Karner, Martin;** CEO, Weitzer Woodsolutions; Speaker  
**Klambauer, Andrea;** Member of the Provincial Government of Salzburg; Speaker  
**Könsgen, Stefan;** Projekt Leader Interieur, BMW Group; Speaker  
**Krenke, Thomas;** Key Researcher, W.E.I.Z. Forschungs- & Entwicklungs gGmbH; Speaker  
**Petutschnigg, Alexander;** Head of Department for Green Engineering and Circular Design, Salzburg University of Applied Science; Speaker  
**Prix, Alexander;** R&D Manager, Siemens Mobility Graz; Speaker  
**Tippelreither, Christian;** Managing Director, Holzcluster Steiermark GmbH; Speaker

26 August 2022 17:45 - 18:15 | Ritual

### **Into the Silence**

A union of Peace: Spiritual impulses from different religious and philosophical traditions invite participants to reflect and contemplate. Inspirational impulse givers will tell their stories, invite you on a journey of thought and initiate moments of real stillness.

**Giner-Reichl, Irene;** Former Austrian Diplomat; Republic of Austria; Speaker  
**Kirchner, Irmgard;** Speaker  
**Klavzar, Veronica;** Harpist | Arts Education Student; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist

26 August 2022 19:00 - 20:00 | Stage

### **FWL Austria & Summer School on Entrepreneurship**

Young scientists and entrepreneurs have precisely three minutes to convince the Alpbach audience of their innovative ideas, research, and business projects. There are two tickets to be won for the renowned Falling Walls Conference in Berlin in November. Falling Walls promotes visionary ideas and connects creative minds.

**Brandmayr, Georg;** PhD Candidate; Center for Health & Bioresources, AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH; Speaker  
**Hauser, Hermann;** Co-founder and Venture Partner; Amadeus Capital Partners; Moderator  
**Herderich, Alina;** PhD Candidate; TU Graz; Speaker  
**Knoll, Wolfgang;** Managing Director; AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH; Moderator  
**Netzer, Julian;** Chief Ececutive Officer; Kula; Speaker  
**Rajamani, Imke;** Managing Director; Falling Walls Foundation gGmbH; Moderator  
**Stangl, Johannes;** Junior Researcher & PhD Candidate; Complexity Science Hub Vienna; Speaker



26 August 2022 19:30 - 20:30 | Stage

### **How Can We Go Forward into Something We're Not Sure of?**

Climate change, radical technologies, the pandemic, and the war in Ukraine are causing crises in Europe. Work, economy, and politics: people's lives are in a state of upheaval. Now. Intensifying and speeding up. Turning back? Impossible. Close your eyes and hope for the best? Predetermined doom. Live, work, coexist in a changed environment - can we make it? How?

**Bast, Gerald;** Rector, University of Applied Arts Vienna; Moderator

**Edelbauer, Raphaela;** Author, Vienna; Speaker

**Schaper-Rinkel, Petra;** Vice Rector for Digitalisation, University of Graz; Speaker

26 August 2022 20:00 - 23:00 | Social

### **Forschung Austria Social**

26 August 2022 20:30 - 22:00 | Network

### **Career Lounge for Students and Young Professionals**

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Südtirol Alto Adige*

Networking for (aspiring) young talents with top-level representatives from research, politics, economics, tech and other fields in an interactive World Cafe format.

Info: Prior to the event, Food and Drinks will be served.

**Ogou Corbi, Viviane;** Founder & President; Puerta de África; Speaker

**Raberger, Marie Theres;** Head of Recruiting & HR Development; Speaker

**Rajamani, Imke;** Managing Director; Falling Walls Foundation gGmbH; Speaker

**Selmayr, Martin;** Head of the European Commission Representation in Austria; European Commission; Speaker

**Stangl, Johannes;** Junior Researcher & PhD Candidate; Complexity Science Hub Vienna; Speaker

27 August 2022 08:15 - 08:45 | Ritual

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**Mitterer, Josef;** Professor; Institute of Philosophy, Alpen-Adria University Klagenfurt; Speaker

**Vogler, Margarethe;** Cellist; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist



27 August 2022 09:00 - 11:00 | Stage

### **Battleground Internet: Between Cyberwar and Infowar**

On social media, videos of fighting, fleeing people, and bombed buildings accompany the action. A mouse click away, hacktivists are engaged in an exchange of blows, using all digital means to harm the other side. In the battle for narratives, heroic stories are seamlessly joined by disinformation, while state-affiliated hacker groups try to cripple infrastructures from the shadows of the Internet.

**Kettemann, Matthias C.;** University Professor of Innovation, Theory and Philosophy of Law; University of Innsbruck; Speaker

**Kozok, Volker;** Cyber Security Specialist and First Chairman; Network for Cyber Intelligence; Speaker

**Kriesche, Sarah;** Journalist and Digital Editor Ö1; ORF; Moderator

**Reisner, Markus;** Colonel; Austrian Federal Ministry of Defence; Speaker

**Spahn, Susanne;** Journalist, Political Scientist and Historian; Speaker

27 August 2022 11:30 - 12:00 | Stage

### **TU Austria Innovation Marathon: Ideas Made to Order**

*Supported by: TU Austria*

24 hours of product development: 8 tasks, 8 student teams and 24 hours of time. This is the recipe that the "TU Austria Innovation Marathon" applies to find solutions for real assignments from enterprises. In this plenary session, the teams will present the solutions they have come up with in 24 hours in Alpbach.

**Fallast, Mario;** Project Leader TU Austria Innovation Marathon; Graz University of Technology; Moderator

27 August 2022 12:30 - 14:00 | Stage

### **Complexity of Supply Chains: Ways to a More Resilient Future**

*Supported by: Complexity Science Hub Vienna*

The pandemic, climate change, and the war in Ukraine have enormous global implications; think of food and energy supplies. These seemingly unrelated developments are interconnected. What paths might lead to a more resilient future? Is local production desirable, to what extent is global production inevitable? Can transparency in supply networks become a game changer? What should policymakers do?

**Felbermayr, Gabriel;** Director and Senior Economist, Austrian Institute of Economic Research.; Moderator

**Gerstenmayer, Andreas;** Chairman of the Management Board; AT&S Austria Technologie und Systemtechnik AG; Speaker

**Godfray, Charles;** Director, Oxford Martin School; Oxford University; Speaker

**Götze, Elisabeth;** Member of the Austrian Parliament; Speaker

**Thurner, Stefan;** President; CSH Vienna & Medical University of Vienna; Speaker

**Villani, Cédric;** Mathematician; Fields Medalist 2010; Speaker

27 August 2022 16:30 - 18:00 | Work

### **Kick-Off Alpbach IDEAS**

“Alpbach IDEAS” is a new procedure to collect urgent questions and transformative answers bridging the thematic tracks of the European Forum Alpbach 2022. All forum participants are invited to take part in this intergenerational journey of discovery – from seminars to conference panels and retreats. During the kick-off different formats of engagement will be presented.

27 August 2022 18:00 - 20:00 | Stage

### **International Evening**

*Hosted by: Forum Alpbach Network Committee (FANC)*

The International Evening is an integral part of the Alpbach experience for the scholarship holders. Under the theme “From Diversity to Dialogue”, the evening will be split up in three interactive parts focusing on the demography and the different spoken languages of the diverse pool of scholarship holders. The last part will be funnier and revealed at a later stage. Communication as an instrument for solutions is the focus of the FANC 2022.

27 August 2022 20:00 - 23:00 | Social

### **FAN Social: Meet the Network**

*Hosted by: Forum Alpbach Network Board (FANB)*

The Forum Alpbach Network Board (FANB) invites everyone for its annual FAN reception. Get to know the youth network of the European Forum Alpbach in casual atmosphere. Come as you are and bring your friends,

27 August 2022 20:00 - 22:00 | Social

### **Welcome Drinks: EFA Lab Week**

Let's Lab! Join us in celebrating the beginning of the EFA Lab Week. Meet old friends and make new ones in the relaxed atmosphere of our EFA Congress Centrum. Grab a glass, start a conversation – we can't wait to meet you!

28 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **The Future of Security and Technology**

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**Rizzo, Gabriele;** Director of Research; Swiss Center for Positive Futures; Speaker

28 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

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**Boschert, Friedhelm;** Co-Founder and Managing Director; Mindful Finance Institute; Facilitator

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28 August 2022 13:00 - 14:00 | Stage

### **Street-Level Challenges to Authoritarian Rule**

We are facing a global crisis of rising authoritarianism. Yet, as numerous grass-roots movements have proven, citizens substantively challenge autocratic government structures from below. This session offers an exchange of first-hand accounts between pro-democratic organisers and asks what is needed to become more effective in addressing authoritarianism globally.

**Büyükgöze, Selime;** Associate Professor and Feminist Activist; Topkapı University and Women Against Violence Europe Network; Speaker

**Lee, Timothy;** Hong Kong pro-democracy activist, former district councillor; Speaker

**Niadbaj, Taciana;** President of PEN Belarus, Poet, Author and Human Rights Activist; PEN Belarus; Speaker

**Stagno Ugarte, Bruno;** Chief Advocacy Officer; Human Rights Watch; Moderator

28 August 2022 14:10 - 15:40 | Hike

### **Afghanistan – Groundhog Day for Human/Women’s Rights?**

While all eyes are currently on Ukraine, crises and conflicts in other parts of the world have unfortunately not stopped. This hike will be dedicated to a country that has been in turmoil for 40 years – Afghanistan. We will discuss the current situation, especially with regards to human and women’s rights, as well as the future of Afghanistan.

//INFO: Bring suitable shoes for hiking, water and outdoor clothing.

The circular hiking trail will lead around Böglwiese and Hausberg. The meeting point is in front of the primary school.

In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at Liechtenstein-Saal.

**Gaub, Florence;** Foresight Advisor; Council of the European Union; Moderator

**Hassanzai, Nargis;** Women’s Rights Activist; Speaker

28 August 2022 14:30 - 16:00 | Chat

### **AI, Chips, Data: How to Strengthen the Backbone of Our Economy?**

The backbone of the information economy of the 21st century is based on digital assets such as AI and data as well as on crucial hardware such as semiconductors. What actions are required by the EU to secure a competitive and resilient European market in the future? What issues might be lying ahead in terms of procurement and data privacy, to only name a few?

**Clüver Ashbrook, Cathryn**; Executive Vice President; Bertelsmann Stiftung; Moderator  
**Fanni, Rosanna**; Associate Researcher and Digital Forum Coordinator; Centre for European Policy Studies; Speaker  
**Kuziemski, Maciej**; policy entrepreneur and strategist; Speaker  
**Maydell, Eva**; Member of Parliament; European Parliament; Speaker

28 August 2022 14:30 - 16:00 | Chat

### **Securing Africa's future in a Volatile Uncertain Complex Ambiguous (VUCA) world**

*Hosted by: Africa Alpbach Network*

We live in a constantly changing world, which is becoming more unstable each day, where changes big and small are becoming more unpredictable – climate change, food insecurity, and pandemics such as Ebola and covid-19 to name but a few. How can Africa tap into its strengths to become more resilient and deal with these shocks proactively rather than in a reactive manner? What lessons can be learned from the current and most recent global shocks?

//INFO: In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at Feuerwehrhaus.

**Acquah, Isaac Newton**; National Project Coordinator NTF V Ghana; Speaker  
**Hoffmann, Leena Koni**; Associate Fellow, Africa Programme; Chatham House; Speaker  
**Kisakye, Winnie**; Board Member Africa Alpbach Network; Moderator  
**Muniru, Alhassan Baba**; Board Member Africa Alpbach Network; Speaker

28 August 2022 14:30 - 16:00 | Chat

### **The Next Generation as Actors of Change**

The strong involvement of youth in social, ecological and pro-democratic movements demonstrates the importance of young people as agents for societal change. This dialogue provides an exchange of perspectives on what a New Europe should look like and how youth participation can be strengthened in future.

**Bawa, Omar**; Co-founder; Goodwall; Speaker  
**Degrott, Jana**; Co-Founder & Campaign Manager; We Belong; Speaker  
**Kneip, Winfried**; Founder & Program Director Germany; Love Politics; Moderator  
**Yasko, Lisa**; Member of Parliament; Ukrainian Parliament; Speaker

28 August 2022 16:30 - 17:30 | Stage

### Crises: Failing to See the Long-Term Wood for the Short-Term Trees?

The limits of planetary growth and the possibility of a coronavirus pandemic are a known fact since decades. Yet, the much-needed transformation towards a sustainable future or preparation for an eventual pandemic slips off political agendas, as soon as more immediate crises occur. How do we ready ourselves for the complexity of dealing with different types of crises simultaneously, and how do we move from short-term response to systemic change?

**Borrell Fontelles, Josep;** High Representative and Vice-President; European Commission; Speaker

**Brzozowski, Alexandra;** Global Europe & Defence Editor; EURACTIV; Speaker

**Gaub, Florence;** Foresight Advisor; Council of the European Union; Moderator

**Ogou Corbi, Viviane;** Founder & President; Puerta de África; Speaker

**Polchar, Joshua;** Strategic Foresight Lead; OECD Observatory of Public Sector Innovation; Speaker

28 August 2022 17:30 - 20:00 | Celebrate

### Open Table: Bread & Butter

Bread & butter are culinary basics: simple, good, popular and diverse. The EFA invites you to a long table full of different curated bread & butter combinations that form the heart of the installation - right in the centre of Alpbach village. The installation also includes music highlights: Three local Alpbach choirs will perform the piece "The World in the Village", composed especially for EFA22 (composition: Maria Craffonara). Mario Batkovic (CH) will close the evening with a concert - he plays the accordion and creates diversity with a single instrument.

/// INFO: In case of bad weather, the long table will take place in the Congress Centrum and the concert in the Alpbach Church.

**Batkovic, Mario;** Artist

**Craffonara, Maria;** Musician; Artist

28 August 2022 18:00 - 19:00 | Work

### Alpbach IDEAS Camp

The "IDEAS Camp" provides a place where interdisciplinary dialogue is facilitated and trans-European ideas will be created. The workshops are open to anybody who dares to think across systems, without having to attend every day. Support is provided on various levels from "Problems & Questions" to "Ideation & Approaches" as well as "Teambuilding & Cooperation".

29 August 2022 08:00 - 08:45 | Network

### EFA Morning Briefing

*Hosted by: Politico*

Start your Alpbach day well-informed: our Morning Briefings give you a daily overview of of EFA22's most important news and insights. Listen to exciting interviews and meet with inspirational speakers and panelists!

**Eder, Florian;** Executive Editor, Germany; POLITICO; Moderator

29 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

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**Rizzo, Gabriele;** Director of Research; Swiss Center for Positive Futures; Speaker

29 August 2022 12:10 - 12:55

### **Brown Bag Lunch: #growrespect**

*Hosted by: brutkasten*

Sexual harassment and crossing boundaries happen way too often in the male dominated startup world. The consequences resulting from this: the percentage of female-founded startups has been in stagnation for years. While these results can be captured in statistics, others remain invisible and lead to discouragement for women wanting to join the entrepreneurial world. To address this issue, we want to discuss women's experiences with discrimination in their everyday working lives.

**Elikci, Cigdem;** Moderator

**Rainer, Carolin;** Moderator

29 August 2022 12:30 - 15:00 | Hike

### **Cybersecurity by Innovation: Strengthening Democracy and Digital Resilience in Disruptive Times**

*Supported by: Google Austria*

With an ever-growing number and complexity of cyberattacks and threats, there is a need for digital resilience: cybersecurity awareness, readiness and new level of cooperation between private and public sector stakeholders and across borders. In this session, we want to discuss the role of cybersecurity in securing democracy and society, what processes and security requirements need to be in place, and how collaboration needs to be set up to effectively respond to cyber threats.

//INFO: Hike to Gasthof Rossmoos.

We start at 12.30 at Congress Centrum Alpbach/ Terrace (hike around 50 minutes). In case of heavy rain, a shuttle will take you to Gasthof Rossmoos.

**Georgieva, Dr. Ludmila**; Head of Government Affairs & Public Policy; Google Austria; Moderator

**Mayrhofer, René**; Head of the Institute of Networks and Security; Johannes Kepler Universität; Speaker

**Tursky, Florian**; State Secretary for Digitalisation,; Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance; Speaker

29 August 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Chat

### **Effectiveness and Limits of International Criminal Law in Ukraine**

Will perpetrators of international war crimes in the Russian war of aggression against Ukraine be brought to justice? Since the start of investigations into alleged war crimes and crimes against humanity in Bucha and other war zones in Ukraine, it has become more urgent than ever to discuss the effectiveness but also the limitations of international criminal law.

**Gilmore, Eamon**; Special Representative for Human Rights; European Union; Speaker

**Giner-Reichl, Irene**; Former Austrian Diplomat; Republic of Austria; Moderator

**Pechonchyk, Tetiana**; Head of Board; Human Rights Center ZMINA (Member of the Ukraine 5AM Coalition); Speaker

**von und zu Liechtenstein, Alois**; Hereditary Prince of Liechtenstein; Principality of Liechtenstein; Speaker

**Wallström, Margot**; Former Swedish Minister for Foreign Affairs; Kingdom of Sweden; Speaker

**Wenaweser, Christian**; Ambassador; Permanent Mission of the Principality of Liechtenstein to the United Nations in New York; Speaker



29 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Hike

### What Military Capabilities Does Europe Need?

The chaotic withdrawal from Afghanistan is only the latest example of Europe's lack of essential military capabilities and its dependence on the USA. As a consequence of the Russian war of aggression, European countries are now increasing their military spending. But will that be enough after decades of neglect, and which capacity gaps should be addressed in the short and long run?

//INFO: Bring suitable shoes for hiking, water and outdoor clothing.

Circular hiking trail Alpbacher Heimatweg.

In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at Feuerwehrhaus.

**Hofbauer, Bruno Günter;** Head of the Directorate for Capability and Long-term Planning; Austrian Federal Ministry of Defence; Speaker

**Kofman, Michael;** Research Program Director; Center for Naval Analyses (CNA); Speaker

**Rizzo, Gabriele;** Director of Research; Swiss Center for Positive Futures; Speaker

**Selmayr, Martin;** Head of the European Commission Representation in Austria; European Commission; Moderator

**Soare, Simona;** Research Fellow for Defence and Military Analysis; International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS); Speaker

29 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Work

### How to Finance the Green Energy Disruption?

The twin challenges of accelerating the ecological transition and building up alternative sources of energy require enormous investments. Only a small part will be financed from public sources, while the majority will need to be financed through financial systems, largely capital markets. Given the increasing uncoupling of western democracies from Russian energy sources, can this work?

**Bolena, Alexandra;** Managing Director; Bolena Impact-Investments; Speaker

**Delen, Angelika;** Europe (ex UK) Strategic Research Director & Europe Impact Investment Leader; Mercer; Moderator

**Sachs, Daniel;** Founder and CEO; P Capital Partners; Speaker

**Ségur-Cabanac, Eva-Maria;** Partner; Baker McKenzie; Speaker

**Shirvani, Tara;** Lead Associate; Climate Crisis Advisory Group; Speaker

29 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Chat

### Global, Autonomous, Sustainable: The Impossible Triangle of Agri-Food Value Chains?

*Curated by: Europe Jacques Delors*

Value chains represent the essence of how we do business and how we understand our economic system. How do we design value chains in the agri-food industry between the poles of global interconnectedness, the growing desire for more strategic autonomy and the need for a sustainable, circular, and regional economy on the other hand?

**Fischler, Franz;** Former President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker

**Lamy, Pascal;** President; Paris Peace Forum; Speaker

**Molterer, Wilhelm;** Chairman of the Board of Directors; GLOBSEC; Speaker

**Pons, Geneviève;** Director General and Vice-President; Europe Jacques Delors; Speaker

**Trieb, Johanna;** Facilitator

**Villani, Cédric;** Mathematician; Fields Medalist 2010; Speaker



29 August 2022 15:30 - 16:30 | Stage

### Fighting for the Truth: Ways to Stop Dis- and Misinformation

The scale of dis- and misinformation is unprecedented and threatens democracies across the globe. What can we learn from present dealings in the context of Russia's war against Ukraine? What does it take for us to gain the upper hand in the fight against disinformation? What is the role of different media and the digital revolution? What conditions are needed for democratic deliberation?

**Fleming, Melissa;** Under-Secretary-General for Global Communications; United Nations; Speaker

**Postma, Foeke;** Investigator and Trainer; Bellingcat; Speaker

**Schiffrin, Anya;** Director of Technology and Media at Columbia University's School of International and Public Affairs; Columbia University; Moderator

**York, Jillian;** Director for International Freedom of Expression; Electronic Frontier Foundation; Speaker

**Zeiler, Gerhard;** President; Warner Bros. Discovery International; Speaker

29 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Chat

### The Future of Russia

The Russian war of aggression against Ukraine and the related sanctions will have serious consequences for Russia and its people. Where is the Russian state, economy and society heading? Is there another Russia besides Putin and if yes, how can we support it? How should Europe deal with Russia after the end of the war?

**Kofman, Michael;** Research Program Director; Center for Naval Analyses (CNA); Speaker

**Krastev, Ivan;** Chair of the Board; Centre for Liberal Strategies; Speaker

**Pisarska, Katarzyna;** Founder & Director; European Academy of Diplomacy; Chair

**Rogov, Kirill;** Fellow; Institute for Human Sciences; Speaker

29 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Network

### Automating politics and politics of automation

With governments pressured to deliver services in more modern and cost-efficient ways, GovTech becomes a beacon of better public-private collaboration. Basing policy decisions on data and automating complex processes brings a promise of more innovation, transparency, and removal of bias. Yet, at the same time, recent examples from healthcare and law enforcement sectors, prove that lack of human in the loop may have devastating consequences. In this discussion we will consider what benefits further automation can bring to the world of politics, what are some of the red lines and how a more 'agile' approach to government can benefit democracy.

**Kuziemski, Maciej;** policy entrepreneur and strategist; Speaker

**Schuster, Clemens Maria;** President; politik.ch; Speaker

**Witter, Lisa;** CEO; Apolitical Foundation; Speaker

29 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Work

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29 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Network

### Farm, Fork & Fighting Carbon

Regenerative agriculture is a powerful tool: It has the capacity to rebuild soil matter and restore its biodiversity. It thereby not only produces high-nutrient food but also, to a significant extent, captures CO<sub>2</sub> in the ground.

If we take nature as an ally, multiple benefits for humanity and the planet are in reach.

**Degn, Ivo;** Co-Founder & CEO; Climate Farmers; Speaker

**Villani, Cédric;** Mathematician; Fields Medalist 2010; Speaker

29 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Chat

### Can We Endorse Human Rights, Growth, AND Protect Nature?

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Südtirol Alto Adige*

In this discussion, we will talk about whether human rights and rights of nature are compatible. We will also discuss whether economic growth is still a viable goal in a climate emergency. Does it have to be either one or the other or can we create a society where both humans and nature can thrive? If so, what do strategies for creating this world look like?

//INFO: In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at the primary school.

**Putzer, Alex;** UN Harmony with Nature Expert | Rights of Nature Scholar at SSSA Pisa and MIT LCAU; Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies, Pisa; Speaker

**Schechtner, Katja;** Urban Scientist | Research Affiliate MIT Senseable City Lab and MIT LCAU; Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Moderator

29 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Network

### Making the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty work – What can Europe do?

After a two-year postponement, the 10th NPT Review Conference will take place from 1-26 August. The stakes for making progress and restoring faith in the Treaty are high. However, Russia's invasion of Ukraine and threats to use nuclear weapons promise to be major obstacles to achieving consensus. Young experts from the Austrian Grassroots Think Tank Ponto will outline current challenges and discuss how the EU and its Member States can help to resolve them.

**González Laya, Arancha;** Dean of Paris School of International Affairs; Sciences Po; Speaker

**Reitmann, Louis;** Research Associate; Vienna Center for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation (VCDNP); Speaker

**Schraik, Elke;** President; Ponto; Speaker

29 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Network

### **Helping Others, Oneself, and the Company.**

Sindbad is a social business, founded in 2016, with the purpose of promoting equal opportunity for people from different walks of life. Since then, more than 2,500 mentees and mentors have participated in their innovative 1:1-mentoring program. How did they succeed in becoming a pioneer in sustainable entrepreneurship? How can social sustainability change from being a cost factor to becoming a value driver?

**Kuschert, Janet;** Managing Director; Sindbad - Social Business; Speaker

**Lovrek, Matthias;** Founding Partner; Sindbad - Social Business; Speaker

**Strolz, Matthias;** Impact-Entrepreneur, Author and Speaker; Speaker

29 August 2022 17:45 - 18:15 | Ritual

### **Into the Silence**

A union of Peace: Spiritual impulses from different religious and philosophical traditions invite participants to reflect and contemplate. Inspirational impulse givers will tell their stories, invite you on a journey of thought and initiate moments of real stillness.

**Binder, Marius;** Artist | Composition Student; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist

**Höppner, Klemens;** Co-Founder and Managing Director; Mindful Finance Institute; Speaker

29 August 2022 18:30 - 19:30 | Stage

### **Too little Too Late? A Much-needed Vision for a Capital Markets Union**

Many suggestions have been made on how to create a Capital Markets Union in the EU. Yet, it seems progress is slow. Why? What are the obstacles to implement such a Union and what framework does politics need to provide? Who are the partners and allies in this endeavour who can put these suggestions into practice?

**Dörfler, Stefan;** CFO; Erste Group Bank AG; Speaker

**Mascher, Nicoletta;** Head of Financial Sector and Market Analysis Division; European Stability Mechanism (ESM); Speaker

**Niessner, Birgit;** Director of Economic Analysis and Research Department; Oesterreichische Nationalbank; Speaker

**Ruusalepp, Kaidi;** Founder and CEO; President; Funderbeam; Estonian Startup Founders Society; Speaker

**Wieser, Thomas;** Non-resident Fellow; Bruegel; Chair

29 August 2022 19:30 - 20:30 | Ritual

### **Radial Waves: War in a Calm Pond**

*Hosted by: Initiative Group Alpbach Kyiv*

Circles on the water are known in physics as radial gravity waves. Wars destroy the calm ponds of being, ripples go all over the surface. However, in certain bays of the pond they are barely heard – only a lazy yawn of a disturbed sleepy mallard. The performance – specially created for Alpbach as a fluid combination of music, voice and poetry – is a delicate account of these echoes of wars: emotional mirrors, casual conversations, rhythms and sounds of the secondary experiences.

**Falkinger, Johanna Rosa;** Singer; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist  
**Prosser, Robert;** Writer | Performance Artist; Artist  
**Vogler, Margarethe;** Cellist; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist

29 August 2022 19:30 - 20:30 | Chat

### **Great Moments with Erhard Busek**

Erhard Busek was a great thinker, a giant of inspiration and a versatile man of action. He had been connected with Alpbach since his youth and was President of the EFA for ten years. He was a tireless supporter of the Forum Alpbach Network, which grew to over 30 clubs under his presidency. The "Spirit of Alpbach" is cultivated from London to Armenia all year round. Matthias Strolz (co-editor) together with Pres. Andreas Treichl (co-author) and other companions present the book "Denken, Aufrütteln, Gestalten. Erinnerungen an Erhard Busek" (Thinking, Shacking up, Forming. Memories of Erhard Busek"). A shared in-memoriam. Stories to think about, smile and be amazed.

**Strolz, Matthias;** Impact-Entrepreneur, Author and Speaker; Speaker  
**Treichl, Andreas;** President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker

29 August 2022 20:30 - 22:00 | Stage

### **Speakers Night**

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Steiermark*

The Speakers Night is a popular and renowned speech contest, hosted by Club Alpbach Steiermark. Scholarship holders have the opportunity to speak up LIVE at the EFA 2022. The topic will be announced, and application opened about two weeks prior to the event. An international jury, as well as the audience, will elect the winner. For questions, do not hesitate and get in touch with [iggraz@castmk.at](mailto:iggraz@castmk.at).

**Kogler, Angela;** Head of Organising Committee Speakers Night | Club Alpbach Styria; Moderator  
**Williamson, Howard;** Professor of European Youth Policy; Contributor

30 August 2022 04:00 - 08:00 | Hike

### **Sunrise Hike - United with Ukraine**

*Hosted by: Initiative Group Kyiv*

This Sunrise Hike to Gratlspitz is dedicated to show solidarity and unity with Ukraine.

//INFO: Bring good walking shoes and water. In case of bad weather, the hike will be canceled.

**Rabanser, Theresia;** Speaker

30 August 2022 08:00 - 08:45 | Network

### **EFA Morning Briefing**

*Hosted by: Politico*

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**Eder, Florian;** Executive Editor, Germany; POLITICO; Moderator

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**Strolz, Matthias;** Impact-Entrepreneur, Author and Speaker; Speaker

**Vogler, Margarethe;** Cellist; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist

30 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **The Future of Security and Technology**

This 3-day workshop explores the future of security, especially through the technology lens, and how it will affect our daily lives. The world is getting more and more complicated, but is technology making it more or less complex? To understand the nature of technological change, we need to understand what technology is and how it affects space and time, as well as our perceptions, cognition and choice.

**Rizzo, Gabriele;** Director of Research; Swiss Center for Positive Futures; Speaker

30 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **Climate Action Game: Co-Creating the Future**

How do we initiate effective climate action? What are the systemic levers and how can they be used for transformative solutions?

This climate action game opens up an experiential space using a cutting-edge science-based climate scenario tool co-developed by MIT Sloan. In a role-playing simulation we will explore possible climate policy measures and test their effectiveness for sustainable action.

Please note: We strongly recommend to attend this workshop during all three consecutive mornings, starting on August 28. In case you arrive to Alpbach later, please feel free to join nonetheless.

**Bolena, Alexandra;** Managing Director; Bolena Impact-Investments; Facilitator

**Bolena, Alexandra;** Managing Director; Bolena Impact-Investments; Speaker

**Boschert, Friedhelm;** Co-Founder and Managing Director; Mindful Finance Institute; Facilitator

**Boschert, Friedhelm;** Co-Founder and Managing Director; Mindful Finance Institute; Speaker

**Höppner, Klemens;** Co-Founder and Managing Director; Mindful Finance Institute; Facilitator

**Höppner, Klemens;** Co-Founder and Managing Director; Mindful Finance Institute; Speaker

30 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Celebrate

**Alpbach Pride***Hosted by: IG Wien & Forum Alpbach Network (FAN)*

Against the backdrop of anti-LGBTIQA+ policies within the EU and member states declaring themselves as partially “LGBT-free” Initiativgruppe Alpbach Wien and the Forum Alpbach Network call for a #QueeropeanForumAlpbach. We want to celebrate the diverse crowd in Alpbach and shed light on the backlashing tendencies in Europe and abroad. Everyone is welcome to join us! We are gathering at 1 pm in front of the CCA and march through Alpbach after a few speeches.

**Boschek, Florian;** Speaker**Thierry, Feri;** Secretary General & Managing Director; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker

30 August 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Chat

**Are Financial Policies Socially Inclusive?**

High inflation and low interest rates are regarded as costly because they erode people’s savings. In addition, current increases in energy and food prices lead to a loss of income and wealth for many. What are the consequences for wealth distribution? How can financial regulators advance financial inclusion under these conditions? How can we ensure decent living standards in an aging society?

**Barkawi, Alexander;** Founder and Director; Council on Economic Policies; Speaker**Gentinetta, Katja;** Political Philosopher; Moderator**Nyman, Johanna;** Head of Inclusive Green Finance; Alliance for Financial Inclusion (AFI); Speaker**Stiglitz, Joseph E.;** Economist, Public Policy Analyst and Professor; Columbia University; Speaker

30 August 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Chat

**Bridging the Energy Gap: Let’s prioritise!**

Renewable energy is the gold standard of energy production. But how can we bridge the gap until we reach the desired goal of carbon-neutral energy sourcing? What role should nuclear energy take in a low-emission future? Is LNG the solution to diversification or is it only enhancing our dependency on fossil fuels? We will tackle the most burning questions of the current energy dilemma.

**Duregger, Jasmin;** Climate and Energy Campaigner; Greenpeace Central and Eastern Europe; Speaker**Giner-Reichl, Irene;** Former Austrian Diplomat; Republic of Austria; Chair**Riahi, Keywan;** Program Director Energy, Climate, and Environment; IIASA - International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis; Speaker**Sikela, Jozef;** Minister of Industry and Trade | President of the EU Energy Council; Czech Republic; Speaker

30 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Work

### How to Improve Cyber Resilience? Lessons Learned from Ukraine

Through several concrete case studies, this workshop will illustrate the potential impact of cyber incidents on our economies and democracies. Subsequently, the participants will jointly draw conclusions on how to improve cyber resilience.

**Baranovskyi, Oleksii**; Senior Lecturer; Blekinge Institute of Technology; Speaker

**Ciglic, Kaja**; Senior Director, Digital Diplomacy; Microsoft; Speaker

**Dubynskyi, Georgii**; Deputy Minister; Ministry of Digital Transformation of Ukraine; Speaker

**Weber, Valentin**; Research Fellow; German Council on Foreign Relations (DGAP); Speaker

30 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Hike

### History as a Weapon

This hike unpacks the political instrumentalisation of historical narratives, remembrance culture and collective memory, especially in times of conflict. Building on the case study of Russia, we will analyse selected examples of how authoritarian regimes make use of history to legitimise their internal and external policies.

//INFO: Bring suitable shoes for hiking, water and outdoor clothing.

Circular hiking trail Alpbacher Heimatweg.

In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at Otto-Molden-Foyer.

**Bechev, Dimitar**; Adjunct Professor; University of Sofia; Speaker

**Benard, Cheryl**; President; ARCH International; Speaker

**Rogov, Kirill**; Fellow; Institute for Human Sciences; Speaker

30 August 2022 15:00 - 15:00

### 24 Hour Reading

*Hosted by: Forum Alpbach Network Committee (FANC)*

The 24 hours reading is an integral part of the FANC programme and will take place also in 2022.

The announcement of the book, we are going to read, will happen asap. Stay tuned.

30 August 2022 15:00 - 17:00 | Work

### How to Stop the Brain Drain of European Entrepreneurs?

Our future will be designed by builders. In a digital, highly mobile society, Europe needs to provide a home for entrepreneurs of tomorrow. How can we strengthen the ecosystem and enhance the frameworks of Europe? How can we strengthen the role of entrepreneurs and investors? How can we encourage the next generation of builders? Can they help find Europe's role in the green transition?

**Hauser, Hermann**; Co-founder and Venture Partner; Amadeus Capital Partners; Speaker

**Hüske, Anne-Karen**; Postdoc in Social Entrepreneurship Education; Copenhagen Business School (CBS); Speaker

**Kleissner, Charly**; Impact Investor; ImpactAssets; Speaker



30 August 2022 15:30 - 17:00 | Chat

### Europe's Pivot to Asia: Dead on Arrival?

The Indo-Pacific, which accounts for about 60% of global GDP, has emerged as the world's new economic and strategic centre of gravity. What role can and should Europe play in the region? How should Europe position itself between the USA and China? And how will Russia's war in Ukraine impact the EU's attempt to play a more prominent role in the region?

**Chellaney, Brahma;** Professor of Strategic Studies; Center for Policy Research, New Delhi; Speaker

**Clüver Ashbrook, Cathryn;** Executive Vice President; Bertelsmann Stiftung; Speaker

**Giner-Reichl, Irene;** Former Austrian Diplomat; Republic of Austria; Moderator

**Jie, Yu;** Senior Research Fellow on China, Asia-Pacific Programme; Chatham House; Speaker

**Leonard, Mark;** Director; European Council on Foreign Relations; Speaker

**Reiterer, Michael;** Distinguished Professor; Centre for Security, Diplomacy and Strategy (CSDS); Speaker

**Sachs, Jeffrey D.;** Director of the Center for Sustainable Development; Columbia University; Speaker

30 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Work

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30 August 2022 18:00 - 19:30 | Stage

### Inflation: Can Central Banks Cope?

When inflation reaches new heights, monetary policy faces a range of challenges. First, how to assess the duration of the rise, and when and how to react? Second, how to consider in all decisions the new post-pandemic environment as well as the geopolitical situation due to the war in Ukraine? Third, how to support the green transition, which will have an impact on future inflation and monetary policy?

Four young female professionals and scholarships holders will join the Governors on stage (names tbc).

**Four Female Scholarship Holder;** Speaker

**Holzmann, Robert;** Governor; Oesterreichische Nationalbank – OeNB; Chair

**Ingves, Stefan;** Governor; Sveriges Riksbank; Speaker

**Müller, Madis;** Governor; Eesti Pank; Speaker

**Stournaras, Yannis;** Governor; Bank of Greece; Speaker

**Wunsch, Pierre;** Governor; Banque Nationale de Belgique; Speaker



30 August 2022 20:30 - 23:00 | Social

### **Liechtenstein Reception**

*Hosted by: Club Alpbach Liechtenstein*

Take the opportunity to get to know the Principality of Liechtenstein better and enjoy your evening with interesting people and good drinks.

30 August 2022 20:30 - 22:00 | Social

### **Welcome Drinks: EFA Lab Week**

*Supported by: Politico*

Drink&think: Join us in the relaxed atmosphere of our Congress Centrum Alpbach, meet old friends, make new ones, grab a glass and start a conversation. We can't wait to meet you!

31 August 2022 07:00 - 08:00 | Ritual

### **Morning Sport**

*Supported by: Federal Ministry of Defence*

Enlist to get fit!

So you can be your best self we prepared some special workouts guided by professionals from the Austrian Armed Forces to relieve stress, prevent burnout and start the day with an energy boost. Whether it's military CrossTraining or fascia training, be prepared to break a sweat. And don't worry: all fitness levels are welcome!

31 August 2022 08:00 - 08:45 | Network

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31 August 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### European Finance in Times of Disruption

The aim of this 3-day workshop is to bring together a range of experts from various disciplines to discuss the future of the (European) financial system against the background of recent disruptions and major trends. On this basis we should emerge with a set of policy actions building on different scenarios, to ensure the future stability of the financial sector in 2035.

**Albuquerque, Maria Luís;** Independent consultant; Speaker

**Dík, Lukáš;** Finance Expert; Speaker

**Gnath, Katharina;** Senior Project Manager; Bertelsmann Stiftung; Speaker

**Strauch, Rolf;** Chief Economist and Management Board Member; European Stability Mechanism (ESM) and the European Financial Stability Facility (EFSF); Speaker

**Trieb, Johanna;** Facilitator

**Wieser, Thomas;** Non-resident Fellow; Bruegel; Speaker

31 August 2022 12:30 - 15:00 | Hike

### Voices on the Future of Europe: Foresight Exercise

*Supported by: Visegrad Insight*

In this strategic foresight and scenario-building exercise, we will generate foresight that maps out and empowers the voices of civil society influencers from Central Europe in the ongoing debate about the future of Europe. Challenging the image of recalcitrance and limited input associated with the CEE region, we will outline structured scenarios and actionable recommendations for the EU. The session is possible with the co-funding from EU Commission.

//INFO: Hike to Gasthof Rossmoos.

In case of heavy rain, a shuttle will take you to Gasthof Rossmoos.

**Jakubowska, Magdalena;** Vice President of the Board; Res Publica & Visegrad Insight; Facilitator

**Lajcak, Miroslav;** EUSR for the Belgrade-Pristina Dialogue and other Western Balkan regional issues; European External Action Service; Speaker

**Przybylski, Wojciech;** Political Analyst; Visegrad Insight; Speaker

31 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Work

### The New Social Contract – How to make it work

*Supported by: ERSTE Group Bank AG*

The social contract is an informal agreement between governments and their citizens to look out for each other. Due to recent events this agreement is facing new challenges. New challenges require new solutions – therefore: a new social contract. What has to be addressed in a new social contract? How can we overcome multiple challenges at once and make it work? What role do economic actors play in the concept of the social contract?

**Habeler-Drabek, Alexandra;** Chief Risk Officer; Erste Group Bank AG; Speaker

**Pressl, Damita;** Moderator

**Sutter-Rüdiger, Michèle;** Institute of Finance, Financial Law and Law and Economics; University of St. Gallen; Speaker

**Yueh, Linda;** Professor of Economics; London Business School; Speaker

31 August 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Chat

### Uneasy Partners? The EU's Dealings with Autocratisation at Home and Abroad

The session explores why the EU is presently struggling to address the problem of autocratisation in various member states and its neighbourhood. Does the EU first need to rebuild its own rule of law and civic space to be a credible advocate for democracy in its neighbourhood? How could a legal and political compass look like that minimises dangers of democratic backslides at home and abroad?

**Kövesi, Laura;** European Chief Prosecutor; European Public Prosecutor's Office; Speaker

**Krastev, Ivan;** Chair of the Board; Centre for Liberal Strategies; Speaker

**Kusari, Flutura;** Senior Legal Advisor; European Centre for Press and Media Freedom; Speaker

**O'Flaherty, Michael;** Director; European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights; Moderator

**Zadic, Alma;** Minister of Justice; Austrian Federal Ministry of Justice; Speaker

31 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Hike

### Solutions from Geo-Engineering: Just a Lot of Hot Air?

Cutting emissions alone does not seem to be enough to mitigate the climate crisis humankind has created through its (in)actions. While – for example – CO2 can well be captured by solutions provided by nature, scientific data indicates that we might also need to consider deliberate interventions into the environment. How should we think of these interventions?, Can they complement the current climate policy, and can they be done in harmony with ecological systems?

//INFO: Bring suitable shoes for hiking, water and outdoor clothing.

Circular hiking trail Alpbacher Heimatweg.

In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at Hayek-Saal.

**Haug, Gerald H.;** President; German Academy of Sciences Leopoldina; Speaker

**Shirvani, Tara;** Lead Associate; Climate Crisis Advisory Group; Speaker

**Wadsak, Marcus;** Meteorologist and Weather Presenter; ORF, Austrian Broadcasting Corporation; Moderator

31 August 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Chat

### (Central, Eastern and Southeastern) Europe's Role in the New World Order

*Supported by: Raiffeisen Bank International*

In a new world order of geoeconomics and geopolitics, what is Central, Eastern and Southeastern Europe's role? High-level speakers will discuss the future of the region in a global context, its economic opportunities and risks as well as the role of financial institutions. Moreover, the potential reorganisation of the European Union, the impact on security, stability and growth will be explored.

**Brunner, Magnus;** Federal Minister of Finance; Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance; Speaker

**Marovic, Jovana;** Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of European Affairs; Government of Montenegro; Speaker

**Pisarska, Katarzyna;** Founder & Director; European Academy of Diplomacy; Moderator

**Reuter, Wolf Heinrich;** Chief Economist / Director General for Economic and Fiscal Policy; German Federal Ministry of Finance; Speaker

**Strobl, Johann;** Chief Executive Officer; Raiffeisen Bank International; Speaker

31 August 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Chat

### Climate Finance – the Way to Climate Justice?

During COP26 in Glasgow, the climate justice movement gained huge momentum, pointing out the urgency of providing support to communities under threat of irreversible climate change effects. How can the Global North responsibly share the burden with the Global South? How can we generate the financial commitments in order to minimise climate change effects and maximise equitable development?

**Carazzone, Carola**; Vice President; Philea - Philanthropy Europe Association; Speaker

**Goyal, Shrey**; Founder & Director; Sustainable Growth Initiative; Speaker

**Sachs, Jeffrey D.**; Director of the Center for Sustainable Development; Columbia University; Speaker

**Szilvasi, Marek**; Senior Programme Manager for Climate Justice; Open Society Foundations; Speaker

31 August 2022 15:30 - 16:30 | Stage

### Mirror, Mirror on the Wall, How Is the EU Perceived by All?

The EU likes to portray itself as a “normative power” and a global champion of democracy, human rights and sustainable development. This stage event offers an opportunity to critically reflect on whether the EU’s self-image and policies match the perceptions and expectations of others globally and what this means for cooperation with key actors in the world.

**Chellaney, Brahma**; Professor of Strategic Studies; Center for Policy Research, New Delhi; Speaker

**González Laya, Arancha**; Dean of Paris School of International Affairs; Sciences Po; Moderator

**Hoffmann, Leena Koni**; Associate Fellow, Africa Programme; Chatham House; Speaker

**Jie, Yu**; Senior Research Fellow on China, Asia-Pacific Programme; Chatham House; Speaker

**Kaymakci, Faruk**; Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs and Director for EU Affairs; Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Turkey; Speaker

**Khalilzad, Zalmay Mamozy**; Former U.S. Ambassador to the UN and Special Representative for Afghanistan Reconciliation; United States Department of State; Speaker

31 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Work

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### **Empowered, Engaged, Electrified?**

In which ways can citizens organise themselves to set the pace for practical, innovative, and socially cohesive carbon neutral energy projects?

What frameworks does it need to facilitate this engagement? How can cooperative models of energy production look like?

**Molnar, Peter**; Co-Founder and Managing Director; OurPower Energy Community (Energiegenossenschaft SCE mbH); Speaker

**Röderer, Kathrin**; Environmental Psychologist; University of Graz; Speaker

**Steininger, Philipp**; Junior Project Manager; Nobilegroup; Speaker

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### **Using Big Data & AI to Project the Impact of Sanctions on Economy, Trade and Finance**

The Global Arena Research Institute leverages advanced technologies to understand and manage globalisation. Building a digital twin of the globalised world enables an unprecedented and complex understanding of the connections between industry, trade, government, environment, society, finance, and the flows that connect them. Dive into the impact of Russian sanctions on European and global economy, trade and finance.

**Koran, Michal**; Founder; Global Arena Research Institute (GARI); Speaker

**Primus, Odessa**; Executive Director; Global Arena Research Institute (GARI); Speaker

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### **Building a Viable Foreign and Security Policy Discourse in Austria**

Public as well as academic debates about foreign and security policy are very rare in Austria. This networking session explores mechanisms to enhance awareness and information among political decision-makers and the broader public, including civic education, networking and institution building (in particular the establishing of an Austrian Centre for Security and Defence Policy), and the strengthening of research.

**Eder, Franz**; Associate Professor for Foreign and Security Policy; University of Innsbruck; Speaker

**Plassnik, Ursula**; Former Austrian Foreign Minister and Diplomat; Austrian Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs; Speaker

**Senn, Martin**; Associate Professor of International Relations; University of Innsbruck; Speaker

31 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Network

### **Join Action! How to Stop the Erosion of Europe's Civic Space**

We have been witnessing threats to democracy within the EU, a shrinking civic space and the rule of law backsliding in some of its member states. This is a call-out to civic actors and unlikely allies active in the EU, who want to know more about how their daily work depends on the existence of operational civic space. RARE will present opportunities for future involvement in building civic space.

**Knoll-Tudor, Bernhard;** Director of Executive Education; Hertie School; Speaker  
**Pardavi, Marta;** Co-chair; Hungarian Helsinki Committee; Speaker

31 August 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Chat

### **What Does the War in Ukraine Mean for the EU's Enlargement Process?**

The membership applications of Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine in the wake of the Russian aggression have put the spotlight on the EU's stalled enlargement process. What are the implications of the war for EU enlargement and what do experts and politicians from long-standing candidate countries think of the various reform proposals that are currently being discussed?

**Dimitrov, Nikola;** Former Foreign and Deputy Prime Minister for European Affairs; Government of North Macedonia; Speaker  
**Eder, Florian;** Executive Editor, Germany; POLITICO; Moderator  
**Edtstadler, Karoline;** Federal Minister for the EU and Constitution; Federal Chancellery; Speaker  
**Marovic, Jovana;** Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of European Affairs; Government of Montenegro; Speaker

31 August 2022 17:45 - 18:15 | Ritual

### **Into the Silence**

A union of Peace: Spiritual impulses from different religious and philosophical traditions invite participants to reflect and contemplate. Inspirational impulse givers will tell their stories, invite you on a journey of thought and initiate moments of real stillness.

**Binder, Marius;** Artist | Composition Student; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist  
**Williamson, Howard;** Professor of European Youth Policy; Speaker

31 August 2022 18:30 - 19:30 | Stage

### **Neutrality and Non-Alignment: Still Relevant in the New Europe?**

In the face of Russia's aggression against Ukraine, neutral or hitherto non-aligned European countries are confronted with the question whether these legal and strategic approaches are still relevant. This session will offer an opportunity to discuss ongoing and possible future developments and to compare policy responses in different countries.

**Bildt, Carl;** Co-Chair; European Council on Foreign Relations; Speaker

**Byrne, Thomas;** Minister of State for European Affairs; Minister of State at the Department of the Taoiseach and at the Department of Foreign Affairs; Speaker

**Mayr-Harting, Thomas;** Chair of the International Advisory Board; European Forum Alpbach; Moderator

**Plassnik, Ursula;** Former Austrian Foreign Minister and Diplomat; Austrian Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs; Speaker

**Thurnherr, Walter;** Chancellor of Switzerland; Swiss Confederation; Speaker

31 August 2022 20:30 - 22:00 | Celebrate

### **Concert Rina Kaçinari and Maria Craffonara**

Sounds interesting: Join us this evening for a special occasion in Alpbach's village centre and experience the two musicians, composers, lyricists and interpreters extraordinaire Rina Kaçinari (Cello, Vocals) and Maria Craffonara (Violin, Vocals) – both internationally successful in several ensembles – draw on the remarkable wealth of their musical worlds for their 1st Alpbach Concert, combining passion and humour.

//INFO: In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at the church.

**Craffonara, Maria;** Musician; Artist

**Kaçinari, Rina;** Musician; Artist

01 September 2022 07:00 - 08:00 | Ritual

### **Morning Sport**

*Supported by: Federal Ministry of Defence*

Enlist to get fit!

So you can be your best self we prepared some special workouts guided by professionals from the Austrian Armed Forces to relieve stress, prevent burnout and start the day with an energy boost. Whether it's military CrossTraining or fascia training, be prepared to break a sweat. And don't worry: all fitness levels are welcome!

01 September 2022 08:00 - 08:45 | Network

### **EFA Morning Briefing**

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**Craffonara, Maria;** Musician; Speaker

**Harasko, Fiorentina;** Cellist; Music and Arts University of the City of Vienna; Artist

01 September 2022 09:00 - 12:00 | Work

### **European Finance in Times of Disruption**

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**Albuquerque, Maria Luís;** Independent consultant; Speaker

**Dík, Lukáš;** Finance Expert; Speaker

**Gnath, Katharina;** Senior Project Manager; Bertelsmann Stiftung; Speaker

**Trieb, Johanna;** Facilitator

**Wieser, Thomas;** Non-resident Fellow; Bruegel; Speaker

01 September 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Chat

### **Coordinating Alignment for Systemic Change**

In a world where challenges are increasingly complex and require non-linear interventions, how could strategic alliances for a large-scale coordination of systems change activities look like? What sort of process models would it need to secure human survival and planetary health? This fireside invites a conversation about how to build socially-robust policies and strategies with a global perspective. Your experience and inspiration for good practice is welcome.

**Johar, Indy;** Founder; Dark Matter Labs; Speaker

**Muñoz, Gonzalo;** Chair of the Advisory Board; UNFCCC Climate Champions Team; Speaker

**Paulick-Thiel, Caroline;** Director; Politics for Tomorrow; Speaker



01 September 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Hike

### **A Role Model for Global Corporate Sustainability?**

The new EU Draft Directive on Corporate Sustainability aims to overcome detrimental climate behaviour and human right violations throughout global value chains. What is the proposal's innovative potential, and does it promote a novel understanding of the EU's responsibility in climate and human rights action? How should it be enforced in order to effectively promote change in corporate behaviour?

//INFO: Bring good walking shoes and water.

Circular hiking trail Alpbacher Heimatweg.

In case of heavy rain, the session takes place at Herz-Kremenak-Saal.

**Alemanno, Alberto**; Jean Monnet Professor of EU Law; HEC Paris; Speaker

**Etchebehere, Facundo**; VP Global Public Affairs; Danone; Speaker

**O'Brien, Claire Methven**; Senior Researcher; The Danish Institute for Human Rights; Speaker

01 September 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Work

### **Political Leaders: Where Do They Come From, What Makes Them Successful?**

This workshop focuses on the recruitment as well as delivery of political leadership in today's challenging times. It will discuss how good and successful leadership also depends on how we select and recruit, as well as on how we treat our political personnel and how we train them. Because: some of it can be learned.

**Römmele, Andrea**; Vice President of Hertie School and Professor for Communication in Politics and Civil Society; Hertie School; Speaker

01 September 2022 13:00 - 15:00 | Work

### **How to Use Critical Security Studies to Understand Conflicts?**

Critical approaches to international security differ from the classical views of conflicts, wars, and international politics often repeated in today's public discourse. They offer new perspectives and provide a fuller understanding. In the course of this workshop, different critical approaches will be presented and applied to concrete case studies such as the wars in Ukraine or Afghanistan.

**Senn, Martin**; Associate Professor of International Relations; University of Innsbruck; Speaker

01 September 2022 13:00 - 14:30 | Chat

### **The (Zero) Interest Rate Conundrum**

Due to the recent developments, the European Central Bank's Governing Council have raised interest rates for the first time in 11 years. Will the increase in interest rates solve the problem of rising prices and a declining economy? How can we boost economic growth on the one hand while ensuring stable prices and financial stability on the other hand?

**Blümel, Gernot**; CEO; Superfund Group; Speaker

**Brunner, Magnus**; Federal Minister of Finance; Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance; Speaker

**Eder, Florian**; Executive Editor, Germany; POLITICO; Moderator

**Gnath, Katharina**; Senior Project Manager; Bertelsmann Stiftung; Speaker

**Treichl, Andreas**; President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker

01 September 2022 15:30 - 16:30 | Stage

**EU 2025 – How Will the War in Ukraine Change Europe**

While the EU's immediate response to the Russian aggression in Ukraine was strong, the effects of the war are increasingly creating new challenges for Europe. Putin certainly hopes that internal divisions will increase and thereby weaken the EU. This session will explore possible scenarios of how the EU will develop over the next three years, especially with regard to questions of security, foreign policy, economic challenges and internal decision making.

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**Krastev, Ivan;** Chair of the Board; Centre for Liberal Strategies; Speaker

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**NFTs, DeFi, Metaverse: What Is Real and What Is Hype?**

In a rapidly changing digital environment, new, largely unregulated financial concepts seem to be conceptualised every week. NFTs seem to be revolutionising the art market – but are they really? How about the metaverse? Is this really the future – or is it a hype? How will Europe solve the paradox of regulating completely decentralised systems?

**Jilch, Niko;** Financial Journalist, Speaker and Moderator; Moderator

**Joseph, Regina;** Founder; Sibylink; Speaker

**Poletto, Maurizio;** Chief Platform Officer; Erste Group Bank AG; Speaker

**Valtingoer, Alexander;** CEO & Co-Founder; Coinpanion; Speaker

01 September 2022 17:00 - 18:00 | Network

**World in 30 Minutes Live!**

Mark Leonard, Director of the European Council on Foreign Relations, records a live session of his "World in 30 Minutes" podcast on the events, policies, and ideas that will shape the world.

**Leonard, Mark;** Director; European Council on Foreign Relations; Speaker

**Treichl, Andreas;** President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker

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### Compelling Ways to Communicate the Climate Crisis

Instead of instilling fear and worry when it comes to communicating future climate scenarios – how do we tell the stories of the future in which we would like to live? How do we win people’s hearts and minds by telling both emotional stories and scientific facts? How do we break down and visualise the complexity of the global climate crisis which touches upon so many facets of our lives?

**Heiling, Emma;** CEO & Co-Founder; ClimaTalk; Speaker

**Krista, Kami;** CEO & Co-Founder; Elio; Speaker

**Wadsak, Marcus;** Meteorologist and Weather Presenter; ORF, Austrian Broadcasting Corporation; Speaker

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### Changing the World with Impact Investments in Social Enterprises

To tackle climate change, migration or poverty, social and ecological innovations are needed. Social enterprises are a central driver of these innovations. By investing in early-stage social enterprises, impact investors make a significant contribution so that these innovations reach their full potential. Impact investments offer a financial return and a measurable positive impact for our society and environment.

**Freiburg, Markus;** Co-Founder; Financing Agency for Social Entrepreneurship (FASE) GmbH; Speaker

**Nitzlader, Alexandra;** Regional Manager Austria; Financing Agency for Social Entrepreneurship (FASE) GmbH; Speaker

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### European Capital of Democracy: Who Should Decide?

Starting in 2022, each year a different city will be designated the European Capital of Democracy by a Citizens’ Jury of 10,000 Europeans, providing a stage for celebrating democratic innovation. But how can we reach disengaged marginalised groups to join the Citizens’ Jury? Using innovative participatory methods, we will explore this question and find solutions to make democratic processes more resilient.

**Carl, Helfried;** Founder and Managing Partner; Innovation in Politics Institute; Speaker

**Fürutter, Martina;** Project Manager; Innovation in Politics Institute; Speaker

01 September 2022 18:30 - 19:30 | Stage

### 24/02: A New Dawn for Transatlantic Unity?

Russia’s war in Ukraine has led to the resurgence of NATO after it was declared “brain dead” by French President Macron. But how sustainable is this new transatlantic unity in view of different interests and threat perceptions? And what if Trump or someone with similar views is (re-)elected? What level of strategic autonomy and US commitment is needed to defend Europe?

**Balfour, Rosa;** Director; Carnegie Europe; Moderator

**Latici, Tania;** Policy Officer; European External Action Service; Speaker

**Rizzo, Rachel;** Nonresident Senior Fellow; Atlantic Council; Speaker

01 September 2022 19:30 - 20:15 | Chat

### **Alpbach IDEAS Celebration**

“Alpbach IDEAS” has been collecting urgent questions and inspiration on how to address them across the thematic tracks of the European Forum Alpbach 2022. During the closing celebration participants of the IDEAS Camp will share their findings and invite the EFA community to walk the talk by engaging in the development transition prototypes until EFA 2023.

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### **Closing EFA 22 - Recap & Outlook**

We reflect on two weeks of encounters, debates, common experiences and Alpbach moments. We share memories and stories and envision how to translate our ideas into actions. We take the learnings and insights from EFA22 as a foundation for our next steps in building the New Europe.

**Treichl, Andreas**; President; European Forum Alpbach; Speaker