

Provisional Programme

International Cooperation and Development Forum in ARMENIA 2017

(ICDF 2017 ARMENIA)

Upcoming Business Opportunities

Monday, 20 November 2017

DoubleTree by Hilton Yerevan City Centre

Yerevan, Armenia

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| 08:00 – 09:00 | Registration & Welcoming Coffee |
| 09:00 – 10:00 | High-level Opening Remarks & Welcoming Session <i>Importance of International Cooperation for the Socio-Economic Development of the country and enabling of the business environment.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Republic of Armenia Representative TBC- Mr. Vache Gabrielyan, Deputy Prime Minister of International Economic Integration and Reforms Mr. Vardan Aramyan, Minister of Finance GOVERNMENT Representatives of Armenia TBC- Mr. Gregory TSOURIS, Deputy Head of Cooperation Section Mr. Stanislav TOSHKOV, International Aid and Cooperation Officer EU Delegation to Armenia TBC- Mr. Hovhannes Ghazaryan, Head of Resident Coordinator's Office, UN Armenia TBC- Ms. Yulia Ustyugova, Resident Representative, IMF TBC |
| 10:00 – 11:30 | Exploring Business Opportunities with the <u>Development Banks Representatives in Armenia.</u> <i>What differentiates each bank from other development banks? How to successfully Bid on MDB Contracts? What are the country's development needs and business opportunities for private sector companies?</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Sebastien HUSSON DE SAMPIGNY, Head of Regional Representations, European Investment Bank TBC- Ms. Angela Sax, Acting Head of Yerevan, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development- Ms. Armine Aydinyan, Procurement Specialist, World Bank- Shane Rosenthal, Country Director Office, Asian Development Bank- EIB TBC <i>Q&A Session</i> |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | Coffee Break |
| 12:00 – 13:30 | Exploring Efficient Approaches for Bilateral Cooperation with the <u>Development Agencies Representatives in Armenia</u> <i>What differentiates each programme from another? Each programme's specific priorities and sectors.</i> |

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| | <p><i>What are the country's development needs and business opportunities for private sector companies?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Barbara Weissenboeck, Head of Private Sector and Business Partnership Development, ADA (Armenia) - Lyla J. Andrews Bashan, Director of Sustainable Development, USAID (USA) - DFA (Armenia) <i>TBC</i> - SIDA (Sweden) <i>TBC</i> - SDC (Swiss) <i>TBC</i> <p><i>Q&A Session</i></p> |
| 13:30 - 13:45 | Report Presentation: Donor-funded assistance to Armenia |
| 13:45 - 14:15 | DevelopmentAid Presentation “Connecting you to the World of Business Opportunities” |
| 14:15 - 15:00 | <p>Innovation Pitch & Testimonials</p> <p><i>Private sector companies to showcase successful stories, innovation pitches, share best practices and challenges and endorse DevAid services.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - AMERIA GROUP |
| 15:00 - 17:00 | <p>Luncheon & Networking Session for Businesses and Organisations <i>hosted by DevelopmentAid</i></p> <p><i>Food and Beverages</i> <i>Stands availability (EXPO)</i></p> |
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