



G20 multi-chamber virtual forum, Thursday, 18th November 2021

G20 & B20: An Australia perspective **the voice of industries' major representatives**

A moment to pause and understand where the major economies of the planet are heading.

A collective of International Chambers of Commerce will be holding a summit that leverages international exchange and common, sustainable goals to highlight the state of the art of international businesses and how industries perform in Australia.

This year Italy is the host country for the G20 with the focus of the Summit being the three pillars of the G20: People, Planet, Prosperity.

Industries' representatives will be involved in high profile panel discussions, express the vision of the several countries they embody within the Australian market and share projects pipelines, challenges and opportunities they see locally.

The B20 group totals US\$3.5 trillion turnover worldwide and specifically, FDI in Australia has risen on average by 8% per year since 2000, reaching A\$1 trillion in 2020. This record is an international vote of confidence in the Australia economy setting trends and interacting with local communities and governments at all levels.



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PROGRAM

9.00am: Official introduction

Confirmed participation:

H.E. Francesca Tardioli, Ambassador of Italy to Australia

9.30am-10.00am: Business Digitalisation

As the global economy's GDP is predicted to double by 2050 thanks in large part to technological developments. This panel will discuss and analysis digitalisation as a driver of efficiency and prosperity. The international community, spurred by the G20, needs to make digitalisation an opportunity for all.

Confirmed participation

Senator the Hon Jane Hume MP, Minister for Superannuation, Financial Services and the Digital Economy

10.15am-11.30am: Economic Architecture

This panel will discuss international trade and long-term investment including infrastructure bringing about positive economic impact. It will also be debating global growth and international monetary and financial systems.

Confirmed participation:

Emma McDonald- Head of Investment - Europe, the Middle East and Africa, Austrade

Kevin Salerno- General Manager, Intesa Sanpaolo

Dr. Kar Mei Tang- Chief Circular Economist, NSW Circular



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12.15pm-1.30pm: Inclusive Business

Inclusive businesses provide goods, services, and livelihoods on a commercially viable basis. In addition to these commercially inclusive activities, businesses may also pursue broader socially inclusive goals and aims at turning businesses not only into profit driven entities but also as bastions of social and environmental responsibility. Inclusive business should promote sustainable development in all its dimensions – economic, social, and environmental.

Confirmed participation:

Pino Migliorino- Managing Director, Cultural Perspectives Group
Kylie Porter- United Nations Global Compact, Australia
Polyglot Group

2.15pm-3.30pm: COP 26 and Environmental Sustainability supported by the Consulate of Italy, Adelaide

The COP26 summit, organised by The UK and Italy, will bring parties together to accelerate action towards the goals of the Paris Agreement and the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change. As countries begin to recover from the Coronavirus pandemic, this panel will discuss how countries and corporates are taking this historic opportunity to tackle climate change at the same time focusing on building back their economies stronger and greener.

Confirmed participation:

Adriano Stendardo: Consul of Italy in South Australia
Werther Esposito- Country Manager, ENEL Green Power
Lisa McLean- CEO, NSW Circular
Dr. Nadia Boschi- Head of Sustainability Italy & Continental Europe, Lendlease

5pm-6.30pm: G20 Networking Social

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