

Investment Forum

Chisinau • Moldova | November 08th-09th, 2012
LeoGrand Hotel & Convention Center

AGENDA

Thursday, November 08, 2012

08:30 – 09:00	Registration & Welcome Coffee (Main Foyer)
09:00-11:00	Opening Plenary (Răut Room)

Opening & Moderation:

Ms. Cristina HAREA, President of the American Chamber of Commerce in Moldova

Keynote speeches by:

- **Mr. Vlad FILAT**, Prime-Minister of the Republic of Moldova
- **Mr. Valeriu LAZĂR**, Deputy Prime-Minister of the Republic of Moldova,
Minister of Economy of the Republic of Moldova
 - ✓ Providing a snapshot of Moldovan economy: short overview and forecasts
 - ✓ Investment climate. Instruments available for the Government to improve the investment climate
- **E.S. Mr. William MOSER**, Ambassador of the USA to the Republic of Moldova

Presentations by:

- **Mr. Denis JELIMALAI**, Executive Director, Moldovan Investment & Export Promotion Organization
 - ✓ Investment opportunities of the Republic of Moldova
- **Mr. Octavian CALMÎC**, Deputy Minister of Economy of the Republic of Moldova
 - ✓ DCFTA: Moldova's progress in the negotiation process
- **Ms. Angela SUSANU**, Deputy General Director, the Public Property Agency of Moldova
 - ✓ Public private partnership in investment attraction
- **Ms. Dona SCOLA**, Deputy Minister of Information Technology and Communication
 - ✓ Presentation of IT sector

Q and A Session , led by the Moderator

11:00-11:30	Coffee Break (Main Foyer)
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11:30-12:30	Investment Challenges & Opportunities in Doing Business in Moldova (Begonia Room)
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Moderator:

Ms. Mila MALAIRĂU, Executive Director of the American Chamber of Commerce in Moldova

Presentations:

- **Ms. Stela MOCANU**, Executive Director, E-Government Center
- **Mr. Sergiu DUMITRASCO**, Tax Manager, PwC Moldova
 - ✓ Moldovan tax and customs systems: short overview with focus on regional advantages of Moldova
- **Mr. Alexander SAVVA**, Attorney at Law, Turcan Cazac Law Firm
 - ✓ Investment alternatives of Moldovan market
- **Mr. George TEODORESCU**, Managing Attorney, Vernon David & Associates
 - ✓ Investment protection in the Republic of Moldova
- **Ms. Cristina HAREA**, Investment Director, Horizon Capital Advisors, LLC
 - ✓ Private equity investments in Moldova – Horizon Capital Experience

Q and A Session , led by the Moderator

12:30-13:30	Round tables: Key Investment Sectors of the Moldovan Economy (Răut Room)
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- Ministry of ITC of the Republic of Moldova
- **Ms. Ana CHIRITA**, Executive Director, ICT Association
 - ✓ Opportunities of the ICT Sector of the Republic of Moldova
- **Mr. Mihai STRATAN**, Director, Energy Efficiency Agency of Moldova

- **Mr. Vadim CEBAN**, Director of the Department for Energy Security and Efficiency, Ministry of Economy of the Republic of Moldova
 - ✓ Opportunities of the Energy Efficiency Sector of the Republic of Moldova
- **Ms. Angela SUSANU**, Deputy General Director, the Public Property Agency of Moldova
- Ministry of Economy
- Representatives of companies opened for privatization
 - ✓ Public private partnership in investment attraction

Q and A Session , led by the Moderator

13:30 – 14:30	Lunch Break & Networking (Main Foyer)
B2B Meetings upon the request (Răut Room)	
15:00 – 18:00	Tour to Cricova cellars/ by pre-arrangements
18:30 – 20:00	Networking Reception hosted by U.S. Ambassador (Ambassador`s Residence)/ by invitation

Friday, November 09, 2012

10:00 – 12:00	Site visit to TRACOM Factory/ by pre-arrangements
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