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MEGARON, THE ATHENS CONCERT HALL

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Greece as a Reliable Pillar of Development in Southeastern Europe

AGENDA

Organizers

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9:00 Conference Opening

Short greetings from the Organizers

SPEECHES

9:10 - 9:20 **Edward Carrer**, President and CEO, VERTICAL SOLUTIONS SA

9:20 - 9:30 **George Stasinou**, President, TECHNICAL CHAMBER OF GREECE

PRESENTED BY

Katia Makri, Journalist

9:30 - 10:00 Opening Speeches

"Greece as a Reliable Pillar of Development in Southeastern Europe"

SPEECHES

9:30 - 9:40 **Takis Theorikakos**, Minister, MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT

9:40 - 9:50 **Fokion Ch. Karavias**, CEO, EURO BANK

10:00 - 11:15 SECTION A: GROWTH & INVESTMENTS

"Positioning Greece as a key growth hub in Southeastern Europe"

- Strategic growth hubs and their impact on local, national, and regional economies.
- The pivotal role of ports in Greece's national economy and global trade.
- Greece's emergence as a global logistics hub.
- Legal frameworks and innovative financial products for green investments.

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Nikos Papathanasis, Alternate Minister, MINISTRY OF NATIONAL ECONOMY AND FINANCE

DISCUSSION PANEL

Vasilis Katsos, Chairman – CO Founder, VNK Capital

Maria Ioannidou, CEO & Country Manager, HELLENIC DUTY FREE

Errikos Arones, CEO, HELLENIC PROPERTIES

Andreas Athanasopoulos, Executive Member and CEO, OLYMPIA GROUP

Alexander Zinell, CEO, FRAPORT GREECE

Theodore Tzouros, Chief of Corporate & Investment Banking, PIRAEUS BANK

11:15 - 11:30 In dialogue with:

Constantinos Bitros, Founder & MD Inventio, CEO, OB STREAM

MODERATOR

George Dimitromanolakis, Journalist

11:30 - 12:45 SECTION B: INFRASTRUCTURE & CONSTRUCTION

"The outlook for Greece's construction and infrastructure sectors: 2024 as a turning point"

- Contemporary trends in infrastructure and construction: Digitalization and energy efficiency.
- Key infrastructure projects: Alexandroupolis as the new Souda, Evros - Northern Aegean as the new Maritime Egnatia.
- Development dynamics in Greece and across Europe.

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Christos Staikouras, Minister, MINISTRY OF INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORT

DISCUSSION PANEL

Alexandros Michailidis, Deputy CEO & General Technical Director, TERNA S.A.

Dimosthenis Katsigiannis, Head of CEO's Office, AVAX

Nikos Kouretas, CEO, ELLINIKO METRO S.A.

Manolis Sigalas, Senior Vice President & Managing Director, Europe, HILL INTERNATIONAL

Dimitris Nektarios, Partner Infrastructure & Capital Projects Leader, DELOITTE

Argyro Banila, Assistant General Manager, Structured Financing & Investment Banking, NATIONAL BANK OF GREECE

SECTION B: continued

12:45 - 13:00 In dialogue with:

Panagiotis Doumas, Member of EXCO, Head of Energy, HOWDEN HELLAS

MODERATOR

Nikos Filippidis, Journalist

13:00 - 14:15

SECTION C1: ENERGY - ENERGY TRANSITION

"Greece's leadership role in the energy market and the green transition"

- Bilateral cooperation in the energy sector as a pillar of stability and cooperation.
- Greece's alignment with the Paris Agreement and its path toward a green transition.
- Reducing the carbon footprint through green investments.
- The roadmap for transitioning to a greener energy mix.

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Theodoros Skylakakis, Minister, MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT & ENERGY

DISCUSSION PANEL

Konstantinos Mavros, CEO, PPC RENEWABLES

Costas Baslis, Energy Management Director, HERON ENERGY S.A.

Stylios A. Kyriakou, Elefsis Refinery Manager, HELLENIC PETROLEUM R.S.S.O.P.P. S.A.,
HELLENiQ ENERGY

Fabrizio Mattana, CEO, IGI POSEIDON

Nikolas Rigas, Head of Carbon Storage, ENERGIAN

Thomas Achimastos, Group Vice Chairman, COPELOUZOS GROUP

14:15 - 14:30 In dialogue with:

Konstantinos Xifaras, CEO, DEPA COMMERCIAL S.A.

MODERATOR

Nikos Chatzinikolaou, Journalist

14:30 - 15:45

SECTION C2: ENERGY - INFRASTRUCTURE

"A key pillar for growth and sustainable industrialization"

- Northern Greece connecting Europe as an energy bridge.
- Environment, safety and energy infrastructure.
- Interconnection of energy infrastructure and unification of the energy system.
- The electricity market: Environmental licensing and connections to the transmission system.
- Strategic importance of electricity networks: Infrastructure resilience and hybrid threats

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Alexandra Sdoukou, Deputy Minister, MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY

DISCUSSION PANEL

Tasos Manos, CEO, HELLENIC ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION NETWORK OPERATOR S.A. (HEDNO)

Ioannis Chomatias, Chief Asset Development Officer, DESFA

Konstantinos Sifnaios, Vice President and CEO, GASTRADE

Nasos Plainos, Key Accounts Sales Manager Greece & Cyprus, LONGi SOLAR

Christos Petrocheilos, General Manager, KIEFER

Ioannis Stefanou, Partner, Head of Energy Sector, GRANT THORNTON

15:45 - 16:00 In dialogue with:

Manos Manousakis, Chairman & CEO, IPTO

MODERATOR

Thodoris Panagoulis, Journalist

16:00 - 17:15

SECTION D: HEALTH SECTOR

"The health of the Greek economy and the economics of healthcare.

Dynamic investments and future prospects."

- Quality of care and healthcare services in Greece, with a focus on primary healthcare.
- The Greek pharmaceutical industry as a growth engine: Innovative reforms in Greece and the EU.
- Accelerating the Greek pharmaceutical sector: R&D as a potential boost for GDP.
- Health crises and the pharmaceutical market: Ensuring autonomy, protection, and access to treatments.

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Adonis Georgiadis, Minister of Health

DISCUSSION PANEL

Theano Karpodini, Head and Chairman of the Board of Directors, National Organization for Health Care Services (EOPYY)

Michalis Himonas, General Manager, Hellenic Association of Pharmaceutical Companies (SFEE)

Theodore E. Tryfon, President, Panhellenic Union Of Pharmaceutical Industries

Michalis Zervos, CEO, IKnowHealth

17:15 - 17:30 In dialogue with:

Dr. Vassilis G. Apostolopoulos, CEO, ATHENS MEDICAL GROUP

MODERATOR

Konstantinos Rompotis, Journalist

17:30 - 18:45

SECTION E: DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

"Opportunities and challenges for Greece's digital transition. The country's new growth model"

- Digital transformation as a strategic lever for investment and growth.
- Innovation and global outreach as critical drivers of success.
- Key sectors for digital transformation investment and their significance for Greece's position in Southeastern Europe.

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Dimitris Papastergiou, Minister, MINISTRY OF DIGITAL GOVERNANCE

DISCUSSION PANEL

Alexandros Stergiou, Chief Information Officer, NATURAL GAS GREECE

Grigoris Christopoulos, Chief Commercial Officer Business Segment, OTE GROUP

Giorgos Moraitinis, CEO, MORTEK

Gregory Kotsikaris, Chairman of the Board of Directors, I KNOW HOW

Nikos Christodoulou, Partner, Technology & Transformation Leader, DELOITTE

Antonis Markopoulos, Founder & CEO, PROSPERTY SOLUTIONS

18:45 - 19:00 In dialogue with:

Konstantinos Kyranakis, Deputy Minister, MINISTRY OF DIGITAL GOVERNANCE

MODERATOR

Alexandros Kontis, Journalist

19:00 - 19:20

Closing / Speeches

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Vassilios Psaltis, CEO, ALPHA BANK

Kostis Hatzidakis, Minister, MINISTRY OF ECONOMY AND FINANCE

MODERATOR

Katia Makri, Journalist