

The current geopolitical tsunami

How can Luxembourg's and Europe's economies stay stable and secure?



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Agenda

17 April 2023

13:30 – 14:00 WELCOME COFFEE & REGISTRATION

14:00 – 14:05 **Opening address**

Carlo Thelen, *Director General, Chamber of Commerce*

14:05 – 14:15 **Welcome speech by the Minister of the Economy**

Franz Fayot, *Minister of the Economy*

14:15 – 14:30 **How are strategic and geopolitical changes transforming our economies?**

Pr. François Heisbourg, *Senior adviser at the International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS) and special advisor to the president of the Foundation for Strategic Research*

14:30 – 14:45 **From an economic perspective, what has really changed?**

Pr. André Sapir, *Professor of Economics at the Solvay Brussels School of Economics and Management and senior fellow at Bruegel*

14:45 – 15:00 **Are we willing to pay the price for our ethical preferences?**

Pr. Augustin Landier, *Economist, Professor at HEC Paris*

15:00 – 15:40 **Weathering the storms today and tomorrow: which actions, roles & responsibilities for governments & institutions?**

Moderated by **Serge Allegrezza**, *Director General, STATEC* and **François Mousel**, *Partner, Clients & Market Leader, PwC Luxembourg*, and with:

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15:40 – 16:05 COFFEE BREAK

16:05 – 16:25 **26th Annual Global CEO Survey - Luxembourg Findings**
“Winning today's race while running tomorrow's”

John Parkhouse, *CEO and Senior Partner, PwC Luxembourg*

16:25 – 17:25 **What is geopolitical instability imposing on companies' strategies?**
Which choices and decisions do they face in terms of investment, recruitment & diversification?

Moderated by **Gaston Trauffler**, *Head of Industrial Policy, FEDIL* and **Guy Brandenburger**, *Partner, Government and Public Sector Leader, PwC Luxembourg*, and with:

Béatrice Belorgey, *CEO, BGL BNP Paribas*

Pr. François Heisbourg, *Senior adviser at the International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS) and special advisor to the president of the Foundation for Strategic Research*

Pr. Augustin Landier, *Economist, Professor at HEC Paris*

Patrick Muller, *CEO, Panelux S.a*

Pr. André Sapir, *Professor of Economics at the Solvay Brussels School of Economics and Management and senior fellow at Bruegel*

Maxim Straus, *Executive Vice President and CFO, Cargolux Airlines International SA*

Thierry Wolter, *Member of Executive Board, Ceratizit*

17:25 – 17:30 **Closing**

Serge Allegrezza, *Director General, STATEC*

François Mousel, *Partner, Clients & Market Leader, PwC Luxembourg*

17:30 – 19:00 NETWORKING COCKTAIL