

Macedonia2025 Summit

Agenda



18 November 2021

Skopje Marriott Hotel - Hybrid Event

13:00 – 13:45 **Registration for in-person participants**

13:45 - 14:05 **Opening Remarks**

Michael Cklamovski, Chair of the Board of Directors,
Macedonia2025

Nikica M. Blazhevski, CEO at Macedonia2025

14:05 – 14:20 **Opening Address**

H.E. Stevo Pendarovski, President of North Macedonia

14:20 - 15:05 **Keynote Address**

Marcelo Claire, Chief Executive Officer, SoftBank Group
International

Interview with **Mike Zafirovski**, Co-founder of Macedonia2025

15:05 – 15:10 **Break**

15:10 - 16:00 **Digital Transformation: Necessary Disruption or Competitive Advantage**

Moderator: **Vasko Kronevski**, CEO at Nextsense, Board of Directors
member, Macedonia2025

Fatmir Bytyqi, Deputy Prime Minister for European Affairs
Coordination of Economic Sectors and Investment

H.E. Rachel Galloway, British Ambassador to North Macedonia

Andrew Wrobel, Founding Partner at Emerging Europe

16:00 - 16:30 **Coffee Break**

16:30 - 17:15 **Technologies for Combating Climate Change: Lifestyles for a Greener Future**

Moderator: **Mihail Mateski**, Member of the Advisory Board,
Macedonia2025

Naser Nuredini, Minister of Environment and Physical Planning

Nikola Ljushev, CEO at Makedonski Telekom

Gorjan Jovanovski, Founder of AirCare - IT Consultant, Eco Activist

Aleksandra Anić Vučinić, Head of Department for Environmental
Engineering, Geotechnical Faculty, University of Zagreb



- 17:15 – 18:00** **Winning the Future: Countries and Businesses**
Moderator: **Ivana Stankovic**, Strategic Advisor at FITD
Isabella Wang, Social Entrepreneur, COO, Speaker, Author of the Digital Mind of Tomorrow, Digital Transformation
Ville Korpela, Futurist and Impact Strategist, Fellow at Dubai Future Academy
Kosta Petrov, Managing Director at FITD
- 18:00 – 18:10** **Coffee Break**
- 18:10 – 18:50** **Top Economists - Hot Economics**
Moderator: **Aleksandar Stojkov**, Professor of Economics at Iustinianus Primus Faculty of Law
Vassilis Monastiriotis, Associate Professor of Political Economy at the European Institute, Director of LSE Research on South East Europe
Peter Sanfey, Deputy Director for Country Economics and Policy within the Department of Economics, Policy and Governance at the EBRD
Trajko Slaveski, Professor of Economics, UKIM
- 18:50 – 19:45** **Highlighting Regional Success Stories**
Moderator: **Monika Rizovska**, Co-founder at Ways2help, Women in Tech® Ambassador & Marketing Consultant
Stefan Ivanovic, CEO at ePlus
Nino Karas, Co-founder, Brummell
Dragan Mileski, Co-Founder & CTO at Climedo Health
Kostandina Zafirovska, General Manager at IT Labs
Jiří Čermák, Technology Evangelist at Neuron Soundware
- 19:45 - 19:50** **Closing remarks**
- 19:50 - 21:00** **Cocktail Reception at Skopje Marriott Hotel (Sponsored by Tikveš)**