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Open Event
Languages: RUS-ENG

30 September 2021
16:30 – 22:30

LOFT HALL #7
Hall Thon, Hall Monciel
Arsenalnaya naberezhnaya,
bld. 1,
St. Petersburg

AEB 25+ ANNIVERSARY EVENT IN ST. PETERSBURG

**“FROM WINDOW TO BRIDGE. STRENGTHENING
COOPERATION BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE EU IN
THE NORTH-WEST”**

PROGRAM

16:00 – 16:30 REGISTRATION AND WELCOME DRINK

16:30 – 16:40 OPENING AND WELCOME

Philippe PEGORIER, Member of the AEB Board, Partner, Kesarev
Laurent BARDON, Head of Trade and Economic Section, Delegation of the European Union to Russia

16:40 – 17:10 OPENING THE WINDOW OR WHERE IT ALL STARTED: THE GRAND EMBASSY OF PETER THE GREAT

Invited panelists (in alphabetical order):

Janet HARTLEY, Emeritus Professor, Department of International History, London School of Economics and Political Science

Markku KANGASPURO, Director/Professor, Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki
Egor YAKOVLEV, Founder/Director, “Digital History” Research Foundation

Moderator: Anton RASSADIN, Chairman, AEB North-Western Regional Committee, Head of GR, BSH Russia

17:10 – 17:50 RUSSIA-EU BRIDGE: LEADING THE 4TH INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION TOGETHER

Invited panelists (in alphabetical order):

Evgeniya DONSHAKOVA, CEO, OOO SAUERESSIG

Dmitry KAPISHNIKOV, CEO, Kuka Robotics Russia

Ilya KASHIN, COO, BSH Bytowyje Pribory

Anastasiya MIKHALCHENKO, Director, Agency for Economic Development of the Leningrad Region

Nico PAETZOLD, CEO, Siemens Gas Turbine Technologies

Edgars PUZO, CEO, Atos IT Solutions and Services Russia

Alexander USTAVSCHIKOV, Executive Director, Nokian Tyres

Moderator: Philippe PEGORIER, Member of the AEB Board, Partner, Kesarev



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17:50 – 18:30 FUTURE MOBILITY: CONNECTING SAFER AND SMARTER

Invited panelists (in alphabetical order):

Elena ANANYEVA, Head of Business Development, TomTom

Tatiana GOROVAYA, Director for Government Relations, Nissan Manufacturing RUS LLC

Natalia KAPKAEVA, Head of Russian branch, Port Hamburg Marketing

Anastasiya MIKHALCHENKO, Director, Agency for Economic Development of the Leningrad Region

Vyacheslav PETRENKO, Deputy General Director, Novotrans

Pavel SOLOVIEV, Head of the Oktyabrskiy Territorial Center for Corporate Transport Services, Oktyabrskaya Railway

Tatu TUOMINEN, Senior Vice President for Corporate Communications, VR Group/Finnish Railway

Moderator:

Tadzio SCHILLING, CEO, Association of European Businesses

18:30 – 18:55 INVESTORS TALK: EXPORT-ORIENTED LOCALIZATION

Invited panelists (in alphabetical order):

Denis EFIMOV, Head of the Region North, PMI

Anatoly IVANOV, Deputy Director, Center for Industrial Development of the Leningrad Region

Kseniya SOLOVIEVA, Executive Director, Cross-border Support Directorate, Contracts Banking Support Department, Gazprombank JSC

Alexander USTAVSCHIKOV, Executive Director, Nokian Tyres

Co-Moderators:

Igor PAVLOVSKIY, Chief Editor, Delovoy Peterburg

Tadzio SCHILLING, CEO, Association of European Businesses

18:55 – 19:00 CLOSING REMARKS

19:00 – 22:30 GALA RECEPTION

Languages: **Russian & English**; interpretation will be provided

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* Invited speakers



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