

# Invitation

In the framework of the State Visit of their Royal Highnesses the Grand Duke and the Grand Duchess of Luxembourg to Finland, the Chamber of Commerce of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, the Ministry of the Economy, Luxembourg for Business and Luxembourg for Finance in close cooperation with Finpro and Finland Chamber of Commerce, have the pleasure of inviting you to the:

## **Finland-Luxembourg Business Forum**

**Growth in a fast changing business environment;  
Innovation in Finance, ICT and Cleantech**

Wednesday, 11th of May 2016,  
at 8:45

Finlandia Hall (Congress Hall B)  
Mannerheimintie 13 e,  
00100 Helsinki - Finland  
(Please use the congress wing entrance M1/K1)

If you would like to take part in this event, kindly register by using the following link:

[Register](#)

Please reply by Friday 6th of May 2016.

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*The event is free of charge but registration is compulsory.*

# Programme

## Finland-Luxembourg Business Forum

### 08:45-09:15 **Registration and welcome coffee**

For organisational and protocol purposes, everyone has to be seated in the conference room by 9:15 at the latest. Thank you for respecting the timing. After the arrival of the official delegation, nobody will be allowed to enter into the room.

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### 09:30-12:30 **Business Forum**

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#### 09:30 **Official Openings**

HE Sauli Niinistö, President of the Republic of Finland  
His Royal Highness, the Grand Duke of Luxembourg

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#### 09:40 **Keynote speech**

HE Étienne Schneider, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of the Economy of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

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#### 09:50 **Luxembourg : fly me to the moon**

Carlo Thelen, Director General, Luxembourg Chamber of Commerce

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#### 10:00 **Panel discussion: Luxembourg, a modern financial centre**

Moderator: Tom Théobald, Deputy CEO, Luxembourg for Finance

Experts: Maurice Bauer, Secretary General, Luxembourg Stock Exchange  
Marc Hengen, CEO, Luxembourg Insurance and Reinsurance Association (ACA)  
Tom Lillandt, Country Manager Finland, Foyer International  
Yves Maas, Chairman, Luxembourg Bankers' Association (ABBL)  
Denise Voss, Chairman, Association of the Luxembourg Fund Industry (ALFI)

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#### 10:45 **A new way of innovation: a way out of the slump of the Finnish economy**

Matti Alahuhta, Chairman, Confederation of Finnish Industries EK

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#### 11:00 **Panel discussion: Innovation, Start-ups, ICT and Cleantech**

Moderators: Christian Tock, Director Sustainable Technologies, Ministry of the Economy  
Ilkka Lakaniemi, Vice President, Digitalization & Renewal, Finland Chamber of Commerce

Experts: Nicolas Buck, President, Fedil-Business Federation, Chairman, nyuko  
Pascal Steichen, CEO, Securitymadein.lu  
David Foy, Head of Corporate Sales, Teralink Solutions  
Jan Grimbrandt, CEO & Chairman of the Board, Boson Energy  
Dirk Martin, Chief Sales Officer, Apateq  
Pertti Korhonen, President & CEO, Outotec Corporation  
Pekka Sivonen, Director, Digitalization, Tekes – the Finnish Funding Agency for Innovation

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### 12:30-14:00 **Networking lunch**

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#### 14:00 **End of the seminar**

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### 14:00-17:00 **Pre-arranged individual business meetings**

#### 18:30 **Cultural Programme - Concert**

#### 20:00 **Gala reception**

# Business meetings

The forum will be followed by pre-arranged individual business meetings between Luxembourgish and Finnish companies for those who requested it.

Following please find the list of Luxembourgish companies that are interested in having meetings:

**Apateg**

**Brainengineering Technologies**

**BWM Mediasoft**

**Caves Bernard Massard**

**Compellio**

**Deloitte Luxembourg**

**ITTM (Information Technology for Translational Medicine) S.A.**

**Jan de Nul**

**Luxembourg Centre for Systems Biomedicine**

**Nomoko Luxembourg S.à r.l.**

**Peak Rock & Sport S.à r.l.**

**Red Dog Communications S.A.**

**Teralink Solutions**

**Tuomi S.A.**

For further information about these business meetings, please contact:

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