



# ALLIANCE ASSEMBLY

26 June 2019

## Programme

*"The Egg" - Congress & meeting center, Bara Street 175, 1070, Brussels, Belgium*

**8:15**

**Opening of Registration**

**9:15**

**Opening address by Commissioner Mariya Gabriel  
Presentation of the AI HLEG Policy and Investment  
Recommendations by Pekka Ala-Pietilä**

**9:45**

**1st panel  
Launching a Piloting Process for Trustworthy AI**

*Andrea Renda (AI HLEG – Centre for European Policy Studies)  
Thomas Hahn (AI Alliance - BDVA)  
Peggy Valcke (AI Alliance – KU Leuven)  
Richard Benjamins (AI Alliance - Telefonica)  
Juraj Podroužek (AI Alliance – Pygmalios)*

**11:00**

**Coffee Break**

**11:30**

**2nd panel  
Policy and Investment Recommendations: Quo vadis Europa?**

*Barry O’Sullivan (Vice-Chair of the AI HLEG)  
Thiébaut Weber (AI HLEG – European Trade Union Confederation)  
Loubna Bouarfa (AI HLEG - OKRA)  
Elijus Civilis (Vice-Minister of the Economy and Innovation - Lithuania)  
Lorena Jaume-Palasi (AI Alliance - The Ethical Tech Society)*

**12:45**

**Lunch**

**14:00**

**3rd panel  
Partners in an AI world: International governance**

*Charlotte Altenhoener (Council of Europe)  
Moez Chakchouck (UNESCO)  
Dirk Pilat (OECD)  
Raja Chatila (AI HLEG - IEEE)  
Khalil Rouhana (European Commission)*

**15:00**

**Coffee Break**



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## Parallel Workshops

### AI – an opportunity for Europe: Workshop on competitiveness

*Pekka Ala-Pietilä (Chair of the AI HLEG)*

*Cécile Wendling (AI HLEG - AXA)*

*Celestino Alvarez (AI Alliance - Adele Robots)*

*Robert Kroplewski (AI HLEG - Advisor to Polish Government)*

### Inventing the Future: Workshop on AI Skills and Research

*Sabine Köszegi (AI HLEG - TU Wien)*

*Fredrik Heintz (AI HLEG - Linköping University)*

*Jan Klesla (Czech Ministry of Industry and Trade)*

*Francesca Ternullo (AI Alliance - University of Bologna)*

### 50 shades of (self?)-regulation: Workshop on legal framework for AI

*Andrea Renda (AI HLEG - Centre for European Policy Studies)*

*Iris Plöger (AI HLEG - Federation of German industries)*

*Ursula Pacht (AI HLEG - The European Consumer Organisation)*

*Ramak Molavi (AI Alliance - iRights Lab, The Law Technologist)*

### Sustainable AI: Workshop on AI's Social and Environmental Impact

*Barry O'Sullivan (Vice-Chair of the AI HLEG)*

*Stefano Quintarelli (AI HLEG - Garden Ventures)*

*Mona Sloane (AI Alliance - Sociologist)*

*Timo Tossavainen (Zen Robotics)*

**16:45**

Wrap-up and conclusions  
by Deputy Director-General of DG Connect Khalil Rouhana

**17:45**

Cocktail