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## EUROPEAN VOCATIONAL SKILLS WEEK

### The 1<sup>st</sup> European Business-Education Summit

23 November 2017, 9:45 – 17:30

*Charlemagne building,  
Alcide de Gasperi conference room,  
Rue de la Loi 170,  
1000 Brussels*



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**EUROPEAN  
PACT 4 YOUTH**

Employment,  
Social Affairs  
and Inclusion

# Agenda

*Moderation by Tamsin Rose*

08:00– 09:45	Registration
09:45– 10:15	<p><b>Opening</b></p> <p><i>Pact for Youth co-chairs:</i></p> <p><b>Marianne Thyssen</b>, European Commission, Commissioner for Employment, Social Affairs, Skills and Labour Mobility, and</p> <p><b>Etienne Davignon</b>, President CSR Europe</p> <p><i>Opening address:</i></p> <p><b>Antonio Tajani</b>, President of the European Parliament, and</p> <p><b>Valdis Dombrovskis</b>, European Commission Vice-President for the Euro and Social Dialogue</p>
10:15– 10:45	<p><b>Key note speeches</b></p> <p><b>Jean-Pierre Clamadieu</b>, CEO, SOLVAY</p> <p><b>Diogo Parreira</b>, President, JADE</p> <p><b>Verena Greten</b>, Managing Director, IAWM Institute, Belgium</p>
10:45– 11:15	<p><b>Delivering on the Pact</b></p> <p><i>Presentation of the Pact for Youth results and National Action Plans</i></p> <p><b>Francesco Starace</b>, CEO, Enel</p> <p><b>Paolo Ferrari</b>, CEO and President, Bridgestone EMEA</p> <p><b>Maria Alexiou</b>, Chair of the Board of Directors, CSR Hellas</p> <p><b>Germaine Noonan</b>, Manager Schools' Business Partnership, BITC Ireland</p> <p><i>A personal story – by a young beneficiary of actions directly linked to the P4Y</i></p> <p><b>Kim Sangwoo</b>, President Public Affairs, Samsung Europe</p> <p><b>Amelia Yulheri</b>, Molengeek beneficiary</p>
11.15- 11.30	<p><b>Official hand-over of the results of the European Pact for Youth</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>European Council President Donald Tusk (TBC)</li> </ul>
11:30– 12:00	Coffee break
12:00– 13:00	<p><b>Session 1, First joint proposal: “Make business-education partnerships the new norm”</b></p> <p><i>Introductory video</i></p> <p><i>Introductory key-note</i></p> <p><b>Johan van Zyl</b>, CEO and President, Toyota Motor Europe and</p> <p><b>Valeria Fedeli</b>, Italian Minister for Education, Universities and Research (TBC)</p> <p><i>Panelists:</i></p> <p><b>Dimitrios Papalexopoulos</b>, CEO, TITAN Group</p> <p><b>George Konstantaras</b>, beneficiary of TITAN internship programme</p> <p><b>Stef Heylen</b>, Managing Director, Janssen Pharmaceutica N.V.</p> <p><b>Daniele Vacchi</b>, Secretary General, E.R.-Amiat</p>
13:00– 14:00	Lunch
14:00– 15:00	<p><b>Session 2, Second joint proposal: “Make VET/Apprenticeships an equal choice for youth”</b></p> <p><i>Introductory video</i></p> <p><i>Introductory key-note</i></p> <p><b>Jean Arthuis</b>, Member of the European Parliament</p> <p><i>Panelists:</i></p>

	<p><b>Peter Stračár</b>, CEO, GE Central and Eastern Europe  <b>Alain Dehaze</b>, CEO, Adecco Group and Chairman, Global Apprenticeship Network  <b>Gérard Mestrallet</b>, Chairman of the Board of Directors, ENGIE and President, FACE  <b>Ajmal Chaumoo</b>, beneficiary of ENGIE's 'Parcours Emploi Mobilite Sport'</p>
<b>15:00– 15:30</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>
15:30– 16:30	<p><b>Session 3, Third joint proposal: “Mainstream entrepreneurship and soft skills in learning”</b>  <i>Introductory video</i>  <i>Introductory key-note</i></p> <p><b>Tibor Navracsics</b>, European Commissioner</p> <p><b>Panelists:</b>  <b>Jacques van den Broek</b>, CEO and Chairman of the Executive Board, Randstad Global  <b>Jukka Jäämaa</b>, CEO, ISS Finland  <b>José Manuel González-Páramo</b>, Executive Board Member, BBVA  <b>Harry Goldman</b>, CEO, Swedish Jobs &amp; Society Foundation  <b>Mustafa Panshiri</b>, beneficiary of the Swedish Jobs &amp; Society Foundation</p>
16:30– 17:00	<p><b>The way forward: Better education, better business</b>  <b>Gaston Houry</b>, Vice President, Sales Western Europe, Huawei Technologies  Young beneficiaries from Huawei's “<i>Seeds for the Future</i>”</p> <p><b>Juan Antonio Zufiria</b>, General Manager, IBM Europe  <b>Stefan Crets</b>, Executive Director, CSR Europe</p>
17:00– 17:30	<p><b>Closing ceremony</b>  <b>Closing address</b></p> <p><b>Clyde Kull</b>, Ambassador, Deputy Permanent Representative of Estonia to the EU</p> <p><b>Video message from Jean-Claude Juncker</b>, President of the European Commission</p> <p><b>Pact for Youth co-chairs:</b></p> <p><b>Marianne Thyssen</b>, European Commission, Commissioner for Employment, Social Affairs, Skills and Labour  Mobility, and</p> <p><b>Etienne Davignon</b>, President CSR Europe</p>