

**ECONOMIC COOPERATION IN THE EURASIAN SPACE
IN THE CONTEXT OF THE NEW GLOBAL REALITY**

THE ART OF INNOVATION

27 October

SESSION: Forum opening

Ministers, high-ranking officials and organizers of the Forum will address the audience.

SPECIAL SESSION: Azerbaijan – a major hub for Eurasian economic cooperation and its prospects for relations with the EU and EAEU

Azerbaijan's capital will host the Eurasian Economic Forum in 2022, with the aim of contributing to the business dialogue in Greater Eurasia. Baku's choice is no accident. By doing so, the country reaffirms its essential and meaningful international presence, amplified by its own great trade and economic potential. Participants in the session will elaborate on their vision of the prospects and opportunities for Azerbaijan and its growing economy in a dynamically changing world.

SPECIAL SESSION (with the support of Rosneft): The new reality of commodity and energy markets

Global commodities and energy markets clearly mirror the rapid geopolitical changes taking place around the world. What used to take years and even decades is happening before our eyes, literally in real-time. What is the new reality emerging from these processes? What will these markets look like in the long term? The speakers will offer answers to these and other pressing questions.

SESSION 1: From a monopoly crisis to a multipolar world order

There are profound changes taking place in the world order. There are many different assessments of what is happening. What are the main trends of these processes and their possible outcomes? Is it only a crisis of a monopolar world order that may return in a renewed form, or is multipolarity inevitable?

SESSION 2: New logistics and transport routes

Transport and logistics have proven to be the most vulnerable areas of international trade and economic cooperation under both pandemic and other constraints. They are particularly stressed by the breakdown of established links and chains of collaboration. How are new transport routes emerging, which ones will become more in demand, and how is the overall logistics structure changing globally?

SESSION 3: Natural gas – a key resource for the economy of the future

In today's environment, natural gas has become the fuel of the future. It has several combined advantages. In a changing environment, what are the prospects for the development of the natural gas industry and the use of methane in power generation, industry and utilities? What are the investment and logistics prospects for the industry?

SESSION: Summing up the first day of the Forum

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SESSION: Opening of the second day of the Forum

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SESSION 4: Modern cooperation in industrial and commercial cooperation

Increasing geopolitical tensions and pandemic-induced restrictions on cross-border activities are radically changing international cooperation chains that have been built up over the decades. The new reality shows both the deep interdependence of markets and regions and the need to reorganize cooperation systems and their geography. What is the outlook for industry in the emerging new context?

SESSION 5: Financing and payment models in a changing global context

The international financial system is under increased strain in a changing operating environment. Deteriorating macroeconomic indicators and record inflation are presenting banks and financial institutions with new challenges. How do market leaders see this key sector evolving in the short and medium term?

SESSION 6: The role of the technological revolution and green economy in global economic and security development

Technology or the underlying economic sectors? What is the equilibrium point between these two branches of development? Developments in recent years and months show both the importance of new technologies and their fragility and dependence on resource industries. They can both stabilize and destabilize global security. How do we maintain cooperation and the exchange of technology and scientific developments, against the urge to control and monopolize technological advances?

SESSION 7: New threats to food security and opportunities for agro-industrial development

The issue of global food security, the prevention of hunger and the effective development of the agro-industry has become a central theme in recent months. What needs to be done to prevent such threats? How serious are they? What do industry leaders think about this global issue?

Business dialogues

Business lunches

B2B meetings

SESSION: Forum summary