



Automotive Industry Forum 2019 Craiova – March 18

AGENDA

09:00-09:50

Opening and welcome
speeches

Viorica DĂNCILĂ - Prime-minister of Romania

Elżbieta BIENKOWSKA - European Commissioner
Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs

Grațiela GAVRILESCU - Deputy Prime-minister and
Minister of Environment

Nicolae BĂDĂLĂU - Minister of Economy

Ștefan - Radu OPREA - Minister for Business
Environment, Commerce and Entrepreneurship

Ion PRIOTEASA - President, Dolj County Council

Mihail GENOIU - Mayor of Craiova

Dan Narcis PURCĂRESCU - Prefect, Dolj County
Prefecture

09:50-10:25

Plenary Session

Andrew McCALL - Vice President, Government and
Community Relations FORD of Europe

Erik JONNAERT - Secretary General, European
Automobile Manufacturers Association (ACEA)

Gabriel SICOE - President, Romanian Association of
Automobile Manufacturers (ACAROM)

Ian PEARSON - Craiova Site Director, CEO FORD
Romania

Christophe DRIDI - CEO Renault Groupe Romania &
Automobile Dacia



10:25-10:35

Q&A

Moderator

Daniel ANGHEL - Tax and Legal Services Leader
Romania, Head of Indirect Taxes
PricewaterhouseCoopers and Vice President
Foreign Investors Council

10:35-10:50

Coffee break

10:50-12:05

PANEL I - CLEAN VEHICLES OF THE FUTURE

Joanna SZYCHOWSKA - Head of Unit, Automotive and
Mobility Industries, DG GROW, European Commission

Cornel BREZUICĂ - President, Environmental Fund
Administration, Romania (AFM)

Cristian NEVZOREANU - Board member, Romanian
Association of Automobile Manufacturers (ACAROM)

Mihai BOLDIJAR - Regional Vice-President Romania &
Bulgaria, MD Robert Bosch Romania

Attila SZABO - Managing Director, National Sales
Company Ford Romania

Pablo Mendoza VILLAFUERTE - EMEA & APAC
Institutional Relations, Road Vehicle Government Affairs,
CNH Industrial

Keynote speaker

Gwenole COZIGOU – Director, European
Commission, DG GROW - Internal Market,
Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs (tbc)

12:05-12:15

Q&A

Moderator

Daniel ANGHEL - Tax and Legal Services Leader
Romania, Head of Indirect Taxes PWC and Vice
President Foreign Investors Council

10:50-12:05

PANEL II - THE PATH TO AUTOMATED AND CONNECTED VEHICLES



Christian ROUSSEAU - Groupe Plan, Leader Expert
Mobility & Transportation Systems, Groupe Renault

Marius DAMACHI - Head of Homologation Department,
Romanian Automotive Register

Catalin STRATULAT - Delivery Head Europe, Industrial &
Engineering Services WIPRO

Maciej SUROWIEC - EU Government Affairs Manager
Microsoft

Pascal CLAUDEL - Chief Operating Officer-
European Global Navigation Satellite System
Navigation Agency

Keynote speaker

Christian von ALBRICHSFELD - CEO Continental
Romania

12:05-12:15

Q&A

Moderator

Mihai NEACȘU - President of Association for
promoting electric vehicles in Romania (AVER)

10:50-12:15

PANEL III - GLOBAL COMPETITIVENESS: HOW CAN EUROPE STAY COMPETITIVE?

Adrian SANDU - Secretary general, Romanian
Association of Automobile Manufacturers (ACAROM)

Wolfgang MEIER - CEO Pirelli Romania

Nicola WALKER - Director, Governmental Affairs, Ford of
Europe

Petr DOLEJSI - Mobility & Sustainable Transport
Director, European Automobile Manufacturers
Association (ACEA)

Bogdan UNGUREANU - CEO, GIC NOSAG METAL,
Romania



	Keynote Speaker	<i>Christophe DRIDI</i> - CEO Renault Groupe Romania & Automobile Dacia
12:05-12:15	Q&A	
	Moderator	<i>Ramona JURUBIȚĂ</i> - Country Manager Partner KPMG Romania and Coordinator, The Coalition for Romania's Development
12:15-12:50	Conclusions	Moderators reports
12:50-13:00	Q&A	
	Closing Remarks	<i>Daniel ANGHEL</i> - Tax and Legal Services Leader Romania, Head of Indirect Taxes PWC and Vice President Foreign Investors Council
13:00-14:45	Lunch	

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