



MONDAY 24TH JULY TO THURSDAY 27TH JULY 2023

DRAFT PROGRAMME

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“FIREPROOFING THE EU-US RELATIONSHIP: LOOKING TO 2030 AND BEYOND”

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MONDAY 24TH JULY

SESSION 1

4.00 – 5.30 pm

EU US Trade and Technology Council: Stocktake

Location: tbc

Moderator: Marjorie Chorlins, Senior Vice President for European Affairs,
US Chamber of Commerce

Speakers: Thibaut Kleiner, Director Policy Strategy and Outreach, DG CNECT,
European Commission
USTR/US Department of Commerce
The Honorable Nathan Moran, Member of Congress
Member of the European Parliament

SESSION 2

6.00 – 8.00 pm

Welcome Reception

Location: Oracle Town House, 27 D Street SE, Washington, DC 20003

Moderator: tbc

Welcome: **Allison O'Brien**, Managing Director Government Affairs, Oracle

Speakers: **Danuta Hubner MEP**, European Parliament
The Honorable Jim Costa, Member of the United States Congress

TUESDAY 25TH JULY

SESSION 3

FIREPROOFING THE EU US RELATIONSHIP: THE COMPASS PROJECT

9.15 – 10.15 am

Transatlantic Partnership Priorities to 2024

Location: **Gold Room, 2168 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: **Lisa Schroeter**, Global Director of Trade & Investment Policy,
Dow Chemical Company

Speakers: The Honorable Wendy Sherman, US Under-Secretary of State

Comments: Michael Curtis, Deputy Head of Delegation,
European Union Delegation to the United States
Michael DiPaula-Coyle, Head of International Trade Policy, IBM
The Honorable Darrell Issa, Member of the United States Congress
Member of the European Parliament

10.15 – 10.30 am

Coffee Break

SESSION 4

10.30 – 11.45 am

The Geopolitical Shift: The long-lasting impact of Russia's invasion of Ukraine

Location: **Gold Room, 2168 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: Max Bergmann, Director Europe Program,
Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)

Speakers: **Kira Rudyk**, MP for Holos and ALDE VP, Ukraine
Marta Poslad, Director, Public Policy Central and Eastern Europe &
Transatlantic, Google
The Honorable Mike Waltz, Member of the United States Congress
Marek Belka MEP Member of the European Parliament

SESSION 5

11.45 – 12.45 pm

Sustainability and Agriculture – Combatting Global Food Shortages

Location: **Gold Room, 2168 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: **Mark Titterington**, Director, Forum for Agriculture

Speakers: **Gary Martin**, President and CEO, North American Export Grain Association
The Honorable Jim Costa, Member of the United States Congress
Member of the European Parliament
World Food Program/ Food and Agriculture Organisation/ World Bank

12.45 – 1.30 pm

Lunch

Location: **Gold Room, 2168 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

SESSION 6

1.30-2.15 pm

Globalisation 2.00: Should the US and the EU be 'Friend shoring'?

Location: **Gold Room, 2168 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: Thomas Spiller, Vice President, Global Public Policy, The Walt Disney Co

Speakers: **Stacey Kennedy**, President and CEO, PMi America
Holger Krahmer, Head of EU Affairs, Mercedes Benz Group
The Honorable Joe Wilson, Member of the United States of Congress
Bernd Lange MEP, Chairman, Trade Committee, European Parliament

SESSION 7

2.30 – 3.00 pm

Digital Transformation: Main features of the Digital World towards 2040

Location: **2075 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Part 1

Moderator: **Maria Rosa Gibellini**, Director-General, EIF

Presentation: **Ajit Jaokar**, Visiting Fellow, University of Oxford and EIF Rapporteur

Comments: **Matt Brown**, Head of European Government Affairs and Global Insights, Apple

3.00-4.00 pm

Part 2

Digital transformation: Can transatlantic partnership seize the AI opportunity now?

Moderator: **Fran Burwell**, Distinguished Fellow, Atlantic Council

Speakers **Karan Bhatia**, Vice-President, Government Affairs and Public Policy, Google
Thibaut Kleiner, Director Policy Strategy and Outreach, DG CNECT,
European Commission
The Honorable Suzan Delbene, Member of the United States Congress
Bernd Lange MEP, Chairman, Trade Committee, European Parliament
Ondrej Kovarik MEP, European Parliament

SESSION 8

4.00 – 5.00 pm

Digital Transformation: Priorities for action e.g. A Transatlantic Digital Single Market

Location: **2075 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: **Jim Kohlenberger**, Chairman, Trusted Future

Speakers: **Andrew Reinsdorf**, Senior Vice President,
International External & Regulatory Affairs, AT&T
Lise Fuhr, Director General, ETNO
Anne Marie Engtoft Larsen, Danish Ambassador on Tech,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Denmark or
The Honorable Darin LaHood, Member of the United States Congress
Lina Gálvez Muñoz MEP, Member of the European Parliament

SESSION 9

6.00 – 8.00 pm

Reception hosted by Google on Next Generation

Location: **tbc**

WEDNESDAY 26TH JULY

SESSION 10

9.30 – 12.30 pm

Fireproofing the EU US Relationship – Strengthening the Transatlantic Partnership

Location: **Room 2044, Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

9.30 – 9.35 am

Moderator: **James Elles**, Chairman, Transatlantic Policy Network (TPN)

9.30-10.00 am

CONTEXT AND INTRODUCTION

Global Overview

Keynote: **Stuart Eizenstat**, Former US Ambassador to the EU,
Partner, Covington & Burlington

Towards a more robust platform – A renewed Transatlantic Declaration

Comments: **Bruce Stokes**, Senior Fellow, German Marshall Fund of the United States
and TPN Project Director

10.00-11:00 am

VIEWPOINTS: GOVERNMENT, LEGISLATORS AND BUSINESS

Views of EU and US Administrations

Comments: Amanda Sloat, Special Assistant to the President and
Senior Director for Europe, National Security Council
European Commission
Tomas Baert, Cabinet of President von der Leyen, European Commission

View of Legislators

Comments: The Honorable Brendan Boyle, Member of the United States Congress
Member of the European Parliament

View of Business

Comments: **Benedikt Kutteneuler**, Head of Government Affairs EU, Siemens
Steve Biegun, Senior Vice President of Global Public Policy, The Boeing Co

11.00 – 12.00 pm

Question and Answer session

12.00 – 12.15 pm

NATO US EU dimension

Comments: Max Bergmann, Director Europe Program,
Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)

12.15 – 12.30 pm

Conclusions

SESSION 11

9.30 – 10.30 am

China and Russia – Where will the Frenemies be by 2030 and beyond?

Location: **Room 2045 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: tbc

Speakers: Elbridge Colby, Co-Founder and Principal, Marathon Initiative or
Evan Feigenbaum, Vice President for Studies,
Carnegie Endowment for International Peace
The Honorable Dina Titus, Member of the United States Congress
Marek Belka MEP, Member of the European Parliament

10:30-11.00 am

Coffee Break

SESSION 12

12.00 – 2.00 pm

Buffet lunch Networking

Location: **Room 2045 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

SESSION 13

2.00 – 3.15 pm

Cybersecurity and Resilience – Connecting the Regulatory and Technical agendas

Location: **Room 2060 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: **Alberto Zilio**, Director, Public Affairs Europe, AT&T

Speakers: **Lise Fuhr**, Director General, ETNO
Irene Braam, Executive Director, Bertelsmann Foundation
Lina Gálvez Muñoz MEP, Member of the European Parliament
Ondrej Kovarik MEP, European Parliament
The Honorable Brian Fitzpatrick, Member of the United States Congress

3.15-3.45 pm

Coffee Break

SESSION 14

3.45 – 5.00 pm

Artificial Intelligence – Priorities for TA Joint Action to 2030

Location: **Room 2060 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC 20515

Moderator: **James Lamond**, Deputy Executive Director, Trusted Future

Speakers: **Ajit Jaokar**, Visiting Fellow, University of Oxford and EIF Rapporteur
Ryan Hagemann, Co-Director, IBM Policy Lab
Thibaut Kleiner, Director Policy Strategy and Outreach, DG CNECT,
European Commission
The Honorable Ted Lieu, Member of the United States Congress
Member of the European Parliament

SESSION 15

2.00 – 3.15 pm

Fortifying the Global Economy: Subsidies, Supply Chains and Critical Raw Materials

Location: **Room 2075 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC

Moderator: tbc

Speakers: Joern Fleck, Senior Director, Atlantic Council
Arvin Ganesan, Global Head of Environmental and Energy Policy, Apple
and Board Member, Energy Foundation, Aligned Climate Capital
Migle Niauraite, Senior Director, Siemens
Member of the United States Congress
Marek Belka MEP Member of the European Parliament

3:15-3:45 pm

Coffee Break

SESSION 16

3.45 – 4.30 pm

Next Generation Leadership (Part 1)

Transatlantic Perspectives towards 2030 and beyond

Location: **Room 2075 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC

Moderator: **Amélie Coulet**, Senior Manager, Government and Regulatory Affairs, IBM

Speakers: The Honorable Josh Gottheimer, Member of the United States Congress
Victor Negrescu MEP, European Parliament

SESSION 17

4.30 – 5.00 pm

Next Generation Leadership (Part 2)

Launch of TPN Staffers Network

Location: **Room 2075 Rayburn House Office Building**
45 Independence Ave, SW. Washington, DC

Moderator: **Sarah Lenti**, Director, TPN

Speakers: **Lenard Koschwitz**, Trade Policy Manager, Google
Migle Niauraite, Senior Director, Siemens
Chloé Morice, APA to Professor Danuta Huebner MEP
Stephanie Pendarvis, Legislative Director to Rep. Joe Wilson
Gianluca Nigro, Legislative Director to Rep. Brendan Boyle

SESSION 18

5.15 – 7.00 pm

Reception **TPN 30th Anniversary - European Parliamentary Office (EPLO) support**

Location: **tbc**

THURSDAY 27TH JULY:

SESSION 19

9.15 – 11.15 am

Plenary Final session – session summaries

Location: Library of Congress

11.15 – 11.30 am

Break

SESSION 20:

11.30 – 12 am

Concluding remarks by political leadership

Location: Library of Congress

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Speakers: **Danuta Huebner MEP**, European Parliament

The Honorable Jim Costa, Member of the United States Congress

The Honorable Darrell Issa, Member of the United States Congress