

## BUSINESS PROGRAMME

of the 4th International Forum *Eurasian Week*

<b>25 September (WEDNESDAY)</b>	
<p>11:00-13:00 Plenary Hall</p>	<p>Opening ceremony, plenary meeting:  <b>«Business in the EAEU: Challenges and Prospects»</b></p> <p>The year 2019 marks the 25th anniversary of the Eurasian project and five years since the EAEU Agreement was signed. The Union continues to prove its status of a stable integration mechanism in the Eurasian region and a key player in the global market. Modern-day challenges within global and regional contexts are calling for a revision of the Union’s current economic policy and its role in the interaction with major global players. Participants in the plenary discussion – representatives of major businesses making substantial contribution to the economies of the EAEU countries – will discuss challenges and perspectives related to sustainable development of the Union, options to mitigate negative external effects on business in the Union and its role in the global trade architecture.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Which aspects of the Union’s activity have failed to produce expected results over the five years?</li> <li>• What should the Union’s new economic policy be like?</li> <li>• What are the best forms of cooperation with foreign partners within the current global context?</li> <li>• What is the best way to increase the competitiveness of the Union’s industry and to negated external negative factors?</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Tigran Sargsyan</b>, Chairman of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Muhammedkalyi Abylgaziev</b>, Prime Minister of the Republic of Kyrgyzstan  <b>Zhenish Razakov</b>, Vice Prime Minister of the Republic of Kyrgyzstan</p>

	<p><b>Erkin Asrandiev</b>, Chairman of the Board of the Russian-Kyrgyz Development Fund</p> <p><b>Sergey Gromov</b>, Vice-President Rusatom International Network for Central Asia, General Director Rusatom Central Asia</p> <p><b>Pavel Isaev</b>, Deputy General Director for Relations with Business Associations, Unions and Associations, Severstal PJSC</p> <p><b>Evgeny Kazakov</b>, Deputy General Director for Local and Distributed Generation Hevel</p> <p><b>Danil Ibraev</b>, President of the Kyrgyz Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs</p> <p><b>Alexey Kedrin</b>, Vice President, Government and Corporate Affairs, Eastern Europe, Baltic</p> <p><b>Evgeny Bolgert</b>, Deputy Chairman of the Board of the National Chamber of Entrepreneurs of the Republic of Kazakhstan «Atameken», Member of the Board</p> <p><b>German Zverev</b>, President of the All-Russian Association of Fisheries Enterprises, Entrepreneurs and Exporters (WARPE)</p> <p><b>Sergey Glushkov</b>, VP Corporate Relations, PepsiCo Russia and Eastern Europe</p> <p><b>Dastan Omuraliev</b>, General Director, EcoProduct Asia LLC</p> <p><b>Andrey Bodin</b>, Chairman of the Board of the Union of Sugar Producers of Russia</p> <p><b>Evgeny Kazakov</b>, Deputy General Director for Local and Distributed Generation Hevel</p>
<p>13:30-15:00 Plenary Hall</p>	<p>Panel Session:  <b>«Business, money, people: approaches to deepening integration within the EAEU»</b></p> <p>Improving business conditions, adopting systemic measures, and providing the infrastructure necessary for the creation of comfortable business environments in the EAEU countries are the important factors of sustainable internal development and functioning of the EAEU, as well as its attractiveness for foreign trade partners and foreign investors.</p> <p>Special attention should be paid to ensuring the efficiency of the EAEU single market of services, improving the quality of supranational and domestic regulation of business activities, ensuring the implementation and enforcement of the Union’s law, harmonizing the legislation of the EAEU member states, and intensifying the administrative cooperation of national regulators.</p> <p>Among the high-priority goals of the EAEU are the formation of a well-coordinated tax policy, creation of a barrier-free tax</p>

environment and non-discriminative tax policies. Business should take a pro-active approach in making regulators more aware of how tax standards are applied and what barriers still exist in the EAEU with regards to taxes.

Issues to be discussed:

- Institutional basis for the effective functioning of the EAEU: the rule of Union's law, implementation, administrative cooperation, automatic recognition of permits and qualifications of personnel employed by business entities
- Liberalization of domestic regulation as a tool to prevent and remove obstacles to the free movement of services and business operations.
- Expanding the sectoral coverage of the single market of services and increasing the level of involvement of business entities based in the Union's member states.
- Implementing the potential of competition between jurisdictions and mutual cross-border "flows" of business entities, services, and investors within the Union.
- Conceptual approaches to taxation of electronic trade in goods and services within the EAEU, given the global experience, taxation in the context of the EAEU digital agenda.
- Improving the system of VAT collection within the EAEU, VAT refunds, the possibility of adopting the system of electronic supporting documents, interfacing information systems of tax authorities of the EAEU member states.

Moderator:

**Timur Zhaksylykov**, Member of the Board (Minister) for Economics and Financial Policy of the Eurasian Economic Commission

Invitees:

**Zhanel Kushukova**, Vice Minister of Trade and Integration, Republic of Kazakhstan

**Marat Kusainov**, Deputy Chairman of the Management Board Eurasian Development Bank

**Yelena Perminova**, Deputy Minister of Economy, Republic of Belarus

**Stanislav Naumov**, Head of the Secretariat, EAEU Business Council

**Evgeny Bolgert**, Deputy Chairman of the Board of the National Chamber of Entrepreneurs of the Republic of Kazakhstan «Atameken», Member of the Board

	<p><b>Aleksander Murychev</b>, Executive Vice President of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs  <b>Sergey Semenov</b>, Head of Value Added Tax Department, Legal Entity Taxation Department  <b>Liliya Schur-Trukhanovich</b>, Director of the Department of Development and Regulation of Foreign Economic Affairs of the Ministry of Economic Development of the Russian Federation  <b>Almaz Sazbakov</b>, Special Representative of the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic for Affairs in the EAEU</p>
<p>13:30-15:00 Hall 1</p>	<p><b>EAEU Young Leaders School: opening and Meeting of Tigran Sarkisyn, Chairman of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission, with EAEU School’s participants</b></p> <p>Over the five years of the EAEU existence, the Union has proved its worth and has become an association serving the interests of member state economies. At the same time, the younger generation is not deeply aware of the integration development and the processes unfolding within the Eurasian space.</p> <p>The EAEU Young Leaders School is a programme of events aimed at strengthening international relations between young people within the EAEU, improving the educational level of young adults, as well as finding new opportunities for the implementation of youth initiatives, discussing the prospects of training and employment in the EAEU member states.</p> <p>The EAEU School’s participants will be able to address their questions directly to the Chairman of the EEC Board, as well as to present their ideas and thoughts on the prospects and future development of the Union. This is a unique opportunity for the young people to get answers to their questions about the Union’s development from the primary sources.</p>
<p>13:30-15:00 Hall 2</p>	<p>Panel Session:  <b>«The EAEU: integration into the global market and opportunities in the Asia Pacific region»</b></p> <p>The Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) has been pursuing an open foreign trade policy since its foundation; this policy pays a special attention to countries of the Asia-Pacific region (APR). There are good reasons for this: the number of trade contracts between the EEC member states and the APR countries is constantly growing. Their cost in 2018 exceeded USD 294 billion, which is almost 40% of the total foreign</p>

trade turnover of the EAEU. In addition, today the Asia-Pacific region is the heartland for global integration trends, for example, the Comprehensive Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership signed in March 2018, whose signatories account for more than 13 % of the global GDP.

In October 2016, the EAEU established a regime of free trading with Vietnam. Active work is underway to develop free trade treaties with a number of other APR countries – Singapore, India. In the near future, a treaty on trade and economic cooperation with China is going to enter into force; memorandums of cooperation have been signed with Bangladesh, Cambodia, Korea, Peru, Thailand, Chile, Ecuador.

Given the huge potential of the region, it is necessary to determine the vectors of further strengthening of cooperation, to identify the drivers of further growth of collaboration and trade.

Issues to be discussed:

- Which commodity and service markets have the most pronounced growth potential?

- What economies are going to be the leaders of economic growth in the APR and Eurasia in the next 10 years and what is the best way for the EAEU to set its agenda around cooperation with them?

- How to provide effective opportunities for expanding the export of goods manufactured in the EAEU to the APR?

- In what way do APR countries figure see the EAEU market? What are its appeals? What are the risks?

- What is the best way for the countries of the extended region to jointly solve the problem of overproduction to prevent trade conflicts and risks hampering economic integration?

Moderator:

**Timofey Bordachev**, Director of the Center for Complex European and International Studies, Faculty of the World Economy and International Affairs, NRU – HSE, programming director of the Valdai Club

Invitees:

**Veronika Nikishina**, member of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Committee (Minister) for Trade

**Sanzhar Mukanbetov**, Minister of Economy, Kyrgyz Republic

	<p><b>Danil Ibraev</b>, President of the Kyrgyz Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs</p> <p><b>Maxim Vorobyev</b>, Director of Analytics Research Center International Trade and Integration</p> <p><b>Sergey Nabeshko</b>, Deputy Chairman of the BelCCI</p> <p><b>Pavel Kadochnikov</b>, President of the Center for Strategic Research</p> <p><b>Maxim Vorobyev</b>, Director of Analytics Research Center International Trade and Integration</p> <p><b>Temirlan Zhantasov</b>, Director of the Department of Economic Integration</p> <p><b>Jorge Hernando Pedraza</b>, Secretary General of the Andean Community</p> <p><b>Nikita Gusakov</b>, General Director of EXIAR JSC</p> <p><b>Sergey Krasilnikov</b>, Vice President – Managing Director of the Department for International Cooperation and Integration of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs</p> <p><b>Ivan Polyakov</b>, Chairman of the ASEAN-Russia Business Council, General Director of Interstate Development Corporation OJSC</p> <p><b>Alexey Kechko</b>, Chief strategist VEB.RF</p>
<p>13:30-15:00 Hall 3</p>	<p><b>Finals of the <i>Eurasian Digital Platforms International Innovation Project Contest</i></b></p> <p>The annual <i>Eurasian Digital Platforms International Innovation Project Contest</i> is an interstate project that has been successfully implemented by the Eurasian Economic Commission since 2018. It aims at identifying companies and projects in the member states of the Eurasian Economic Union that can make a significant contribution to the implementation of the Union’s digital agenda. 15 projects, winners of the semifinals held in five member states of the Union, participate in the finals. In the finals, 3 winners will be selected and two projects will be awarded a special prize of the Eurasian Economic Commission. The winners will have the opportunity to present their projects at industry events of the business programme.</p>
<p>16:00-17:30 Plenary Hall</p>	<p>Panel Session:  <b>«The EAEU common markets for energy resources: the energy safety factor and new business opportunities»</b></p> <p>One of the EAEU’s essential tasks is to create common markets for energy resources to support free transportation of electric power, oil and gas supplies throughout the Union.</p>

	<p>Certain steps in this direction have already been taken. Shaping common markets for energy resources using pricing market mechanisms and genuine competition in the supply of energy resources, as well as high-quality and reliable power supply will enable member states of the Union to reach a stable growth of their economies and to increase energy safety.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is the current state of the EAEU markets for energy resources? What are the leading trends in the formation of these markets?</li> <li>• What are the positive results of the cooperation among the EAEU countries in power generation? What are the prospects for their future cooperation?</li> <li>• In what way can business benefit from common markets for energy resources?</li> <li>• What measures should the EEC and governments of the member states take to promote energy safety and efficiency?</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Emil Kaikiev</b>, Member of the Board (Minister) in charge of Energy and Infrastructure of the Eurasian Economic Commission</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Emil Osmonbetov</b>, Chairman of the State Committee for Industry, Energy, and Mineral Management, Kyrgyz Republic  <b>Vadim Zakrevskiy</b>, Deputy Minister of Energy, Republic of Belarus  <b>Sergey Trofimenko</b>, Managing Director for the Gas and Electricity Market, AO SPbMTSB  <b>Alaybek Obozov</b>, Director NIIIEE at GCPEN, Kyrgyz Republic  <b>Alexander Chen</b>, Representative of the Global Energy Interconnection Development and Cooperation Organization (GEIDCO)  <b>Kanat Botbaev</b>, Seconded Expert of the Energy Charter Secretariat  <b>Natalia Nevmerzhitskaya</b>, Chairman of the Association of Guaranteed Suppliers and Power Sales Companies  <b>Evgeniy Kazakov</b>, Deputy General Director for Local and Distributed Generation, Hevel Group of Companies  <b>Leonid Shenets</b>, Director of the Department of Energy, Eurasian Economic Commission</p>
16:00-17:30	<b>EAEU Young Leaders School: expert briefing</b>

Hall 1	<p>Established experts in the global economy, international relations and law will tell the School participants about the Eurasian Economic Union. Besides, mentors will provide insight into the main aspects of the business game topic for the School participants – setting up an Eurasian company.</p> <p>Moderator:  <b>Denis Soskovets</b>, Assistant to the Chairman of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Alexandr Subbotin</b>, member of the Board (Minister) for Industry and Agricultural Complex of the Eurasian Economic Commission  <b>Kubatbek Rakhimov</b>, Advisor to the Prime Minister of the Kyrgyz Republic  <b>Sofia Rekord</b>, Head of International Economy and International Economic Relations Department, Saint Petersburg State University of Economics  <b>Timofey Bordachev</b>, Director of the Center for Complex European and International Studies, Faculty of World Economy and World Politics, National Research University - Higher School of Economics, Valdai Club Programme Director  <b>Konstantin Kolpakov</b>, Chairman of the Council of Young Diplomats  <b>Arman Akhunbaev</b>, Leading Analyst, Center for Integration Studies, EDB</p>
16:00-17:30 Hall 2	<p><b>Contacts exchange between EAEU mining industry players</b></p> <p>The format provides for presenting and discussing the production capabilities of EAEU-based companies involved in the mining sector, exchanging contacts between equipment manufacturers and potential buyers working in this field. Leaders of the mining industry will find out about new developments offered by manufacturers of mineral mining, processing, and handling equipment, and learn about new effective programmes of logistics transport companies, as well as voice their requests to suppliers of the equipment they need. Thus, producers will be able to receive industry feedback on the quality and requirements for the facilities purchased, and mining companies — expand their pool of suppliers and enter into mutually beneficial agreements.</p>



	<p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are the most relevant demands of the mining industry that require a prompt solution in terms of the equipment and machinery used?</li> <li>• What functional advantages do EAEU-based manufacturers have over their foreign analogues?</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Danil Ibraev</b>, President of the Kyrgyz Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs</p> <p>Invitees representing mining companies:  Kichi Chaarat CJSC  CJSC Zet Explorer  LLC «GIK Kaidi»  LLC «Minerals Bozymchak»  LLC Alliance Altyn  LLC «These Bakir Tereksai»  LLC Vertex Gold Company  LLC «YurAsia in Kyrgyzstan»  Kyzyl Kiya Komur JSC  Company «Swayway Solar»</p> <p>Invitees representing producers:  Eurasian Machinery LLP Hitachi Construction Machinery (HCM) distributor in Kazakhstan and Central Asia  LLC Stone Processing Plant «Prostoun»  LLC «Stone Processing Plant in Central Asia»  National Alliance of Business Associations  Association of Subsoil Users of the Kyrgyz Republic  Mining and Metallurgical Union of the Kyrgyz Republic</p>
16:00-17:30 Hall 3	<p><b>Finals of the <i>Eurasian Digital Platforms</i> International Innovation Project Contest</b></p> <p>The annual <i>Eurasian Digital Platforms</i> International Innovation Project Contest is an interstate project that has been successfully implemented by the Eurasian Economic Commission since 2018. It aims at identifying companies and projects in the member states of the Eurasian Economic Union that can make a significant contribution to the implementation of the Union’s digital agenda. 15 projects, winners of the semifinals held in five member states of the Union, participate in the finals. In the finals, 3 winners will be selected and two projects will be awarded a special prize of the Eurasian</p>

	<p>Economic Commission. The winners will have the opportunity to present their projects at industry events of the business programme.</p>
<p>13:30-14:15 Exhibition area</p> <p>14:00-18:00 Hall 4</p> <p>15:00-17:00 Small Hall, State Duma «Issyk-Kul»</p>	<p><b><i>Events on the margins:</i></b></p> <p><i>The presentation Development, Not Stagnation - Problems and Prospects of Regulation of Cryptocurrencies and Blockchains in the EAEU. What are the correct accents?</i></p> <p><i>Ministerial meeting on antimonopoly regulation of the EAEU member states (admission according to the lists of participants)</i></p> <p><i>Expert session «Main Areas of the EAEU Trade Policy Development in 2020-2024»</i></p> <p><i>One of the most important tasks of the Eurasian Economic Commission (EEC) is to make foreign markets accessible to exporters from the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU). The most effective and efficient tool to achieve the purpose is to conclude international agreements at various levels. The EAEU has concluded preferential trade agreements with Vietnam and Iran, and agreements with Serbia and Singapore will soon be signed. At the same time, most of non-raw materials and non-energy exports from the EAEU member states are still exported in the MFN mode. At the expert session (seminar) experts and representatives of business communities will discuss possible approaches to prioritizing provision of preferential access to foreign markets, talk about existing trade barriers and identify the most promising export-oriented products.</i></p> <p><i>Issues to be discussed:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Which countries appear to be the most promising in terms of their export potential?</li> <li>• Which markets are the most interesting to EAEU companies? Why?</li> <li>• What trade barriers do exporters currently face most often?</li> <li>• Which developing countries have the greatest potential for FTZ agreements?</li> <li>• Companies from which countries are our main competitors in the promising product markets?</li> </ul>

- What cooperation projects could attract companies from EAEU countries and their partners in promising markets?

*Moderators:*

**Veronika Nikishina**, Member of the Board (Minister) for Trade of the EEC

**Alexander Daniltsev**, Director of the Institute for Trade Policy, National Research University Higher School of Economics

*Invitees:*

**Nikita Gusakov**, General Director of EXIAR JSC

**Pavel Kadochnikov**, Vice-Rector for Research, All-Russian Academy of Foreign Trade

**Sergey Krasilnikov**, Vice President - Managing Director of the Department for International Cooperation and Integration of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs

**Alexander Murychev**, Executive Vice President of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs

**Natalya Kozhina**, Legal Expert, Technical Regulation and WTO, Non-Profit Partnership SOYUZTSEMENT, Member of the RSPP Integration Council for Cooperation with the Eurasian Economic Commission

**Pavel Isaev**, Deputy General Director for Relations with Business Associations, Unions and Associations, PJSC Severstal, Executive Secretary of the RSPP Committee for Integration, Trade and Customs Policy and WTO, member of the RSPP Integration Council

**Sergey Glushkov**, Vice President Corporate Affairs PepsiCo Eastern Europe

**Marat Kusainov**, Deputy Chairman of the Board of the Eurasian Development Bank

**Ruben Sardaryan**, Director General of the M4-Don Agricultural Innovation Park

**Alexander Nazarov**, Deputy General Director of Rostec State Corporation

**Evgeny Naumov**, Deputy Head of CIS Sales Department, PhosAgro - Region LLC

**Asylbek Asanbekov**, Commercial Director of LLC Amangrinfood

**Eldar Alisherov**, Deputy Minister of Economy of the Kyrgyz Republic

**German Zverev**, President of the All-Russian Association of Fisheries Enterprises, Entrepreneurs and Exporters (WARPE)

	<p><i>Alexey Kedrin, Vice President, Government and Corporate Affairs, Eastern Europe, Baltic</i>  <i>Sergey Gromov, Vice President of ChU RMS for Central Asia, Director General of Rosatom Central Asia</i></p>
<p><b>26 September (THURSDAY)</b></p>	
<p>10:00-11:30 Plenary Hall</p> <p>10:00-11:00</p> <p>11:00-11:45</p>	<p><b>Purchasing session for small and medium-sized agricultural producers</b></p> <p>The format of the session provides for a dialog of producers of food and agriculture products and representatives of regional retail chains. The session is educational in nature and is intended for EAEU-based small and medium-sized businesses: requirements for the quality, packaging, and volumes of delivered products. The format will enable retailers to find new suppliers, and product manufacturers will be able to find points of sale.  Manufacturers shall register to meet the declared representatives of retail chains, and vice versa. A meeting schedule is formed to follow when holding the session.</p> <p><i>During the session Sergey Ilukha, an expert in category management, commercial procurement, organization of suppliers' cooperation with various chains, and tough negotiations will hold a master class</i></p> <p><i>«Increasing Efficiency of Express Negotiations with Buyers»</i></p> <p><i>Negotiations</i></p> <p>Invitees representing retail chains:  LLC Trading House Narodny (Kyrgyz Republic)  Supermarket chain Globus (Kyrgyz Republic)  Universam Begemag LLC (Russian Federation) Union of Independent Networks SPAR Kaliningrad (Russian Federation)  METRO AG (Russian Federation)  LLC «Prod Impex» (TM «SONUN») (Kyrgyz Republic)</p> <p>Invitees representing agricultural producers:  LLC «At Bashi Sut» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Ak-Jalga OJSC (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC «Kyrgyzcentrproduct» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Association of Farmers-Yapovoda of the Kyrgyz Republic  «Kyrgyz Topozu» (Kyrgyz Republic)</p>

	<p>         LLC «Toyboss» (Kyrgyz Republic)          Talas Dyikan LLC (Kyrgyz Republic)          LLC «BIG» (Kyrgyz Republic)          Alysh organic (Kyrgyz Republic)          Atalyk Group CJSC (Kyrgyz Republic)          LLC «Dan Agro Products» (Kyrgyz Republic)          LLC MOLODETS (Russian Federation)          Sordis LLC (Russian Federation)          Multidisciplinary agricultural commercial cooperative          «Toluk» (Kyrgyz Republic)          Alma KG (Kyrgyz Republic)          LLC Eftar Agrocomplex (Kyrgyz Republic)          Aksy Bio Commodity and Service Cooperative (Kyrgyz          Republic)          JSC CHELNY-KHLEB (Republic of Tatarstan)          LLC Alayku Organix (Kyrgyz Republic)          LLC EcoProduct Asia (Kyrgyz Republic)          Ataman (Kyrgyz Republic)          Greenlife (Kyrgyz Republic)          LLC GLOBAL AGRO (Russian Federation)          Osoo Roy FM          Atalyk Group CJSC (Kyrgyz Republic)          Cooperative «Narsu» (Kyrgyz Republic)          OJSC Bobruisk Meat Processing Plant (Republic of Belarus)          Slutsk Meat Processing Plant OJSC (Republic of Belarus)          Alysh-Dan Organic          Beekeeper Union «Ketman Tobo Valley» (Kyrgyz Republic)       </p>
<p>         10:00-11:30          Hall 1       </p>	<p> <b>IT Investment Show</b> </p> <p>         The event format provides for presentations of investment projects of small- and medium-sized IT businesses to potential investors in order to strengthen partnerships within the EAEU and to implement joint investment projects.       </p> <p>         The winners of the 2018, 2019 International Contest of Innovative Projects <i>Eurasian Digital Platforms</i>, as well as other young startup managers from the EAEU member states will present their projects. After the presentation, investors are expected to make an expert assessment of the projects, their pros and cons, and investment potential, to give advice on the most pressing issues and mistakes frequently made by young entrepreneurs.       </p> <p>         Moderator:  <b>Pavel Koktyshev</b>, Deputy Chairman of the Board of JSC National Infocommunication Holding Zerde       </p>

	<p>Invitees:</p> <p><b>Tariel Koshoev</b>, Head of Investment Department Central asia capital</p> <p><b>Aman Tentiev</b>, Founder and Managing Partner, Tech FARM</p> <p><b>Olzhas Altayev</b>, Director of Business Incubation and Acceleration Department, QazTech Ventures JSC</p> <p><b>Alexander Uglov</b>, Development Director of Altergate Singapore Investment Holding</p> <p><b>Yuri Melnichek</b>, Founder of the Bulba Ventures Foundation</p> <p>Invitees projects:</p> <p>HeartChain (Republic of Belarus)</p> <p>AgroStream (Republic of Kazakhstan)</p> <p>Universal payment aggregator for online trading of the EAEU (Republic of Belarus)</p> <p>SmartCheck (Republic of Armenia)</p> <p>E-Agro-Map (Kyrgyz Republic)</p>
<p>10:00-11:30 Hall 2</p>	<p>Panel Session:</p> <p><b>«The EAEU Internal Market – Myths and Realities»</b></p> <p>The EAEU internal market unites the markets of the member states and should function without barriers, exceptions, and restrictions on the free movement of goods, workforce, services, and money.</p> <p>All the EAEU countries take various measures at the national level, obstructing the “four freedoms.” In many cases, the EAEU member states take restrictive measures directly on their internal borders, which expressly contradicts the basic principles and provisions of the Eurasian Economic Union Treaty.</p> <p>These processes raise concerns in the member states and generally disavow the idea of Eurasian integration, as well as obscure unification prospects for the majority of EAEU people.</p> <p>To what extent have the expectations for the EAEU internal market come to be in line with current realities? To what extent has the idea of an internal market in which goods move freely without the use of multiple forms of state control proved its value? Will future digitalization within the Union be able to eliminate the causes of restrictive measures? The future of the EAEU internal market may lie in the digitization of goods and services, development of digital trade channels, and encouragement of the technology development in the Union. Or, rather, does the solution to the problem center around</p>

increasing trust in each other, shifting control from internal borders to consumer markets, and introducing the good faith presumption for an economic entity and a worker throughout the Union?

Issues to be discussed:

- The freedom of goods and workforce movement, is it a conditional or unconditional thing? Obstacles in the internal market or state control?
- Mutual trust between the EAEU countries is a condition precedent for the effective functioning of the internal market
- Current opportunities of the Eurasian Economic Commission to remove obstacles in the internal market
- Will digitalization affect the free movement of goods, services, capital, and workforce within the Union? “A panacea or Pandora’s box”?
- Ways of digital control – reducing the burden on businesses or incurring additional costs?

Moderators:

**Ilya Cherny**, Director of the Domestic Markets Operation Department

**Aleksei Matsevilov**, Head of the Main Department of Economic Integration of the Ministry of Economy of the Republic of Belarus

Invitees:

**Karine Minasyan**, Member of the Board (Minister) in charge of Internal Markets, Information Support, Information and Communication Technology

**Varos Simonyan**, Deputy Minister of Economy of the Republic of Armenia

**Kubatbek Rakhimov**, Advisor to the Prime Minister of the Kyrgyz Republic

**Oleg Pankratov**, Adviser to the President of the Kyrgyz Republic

**Evgeny Bolgert**, Deputy Chairman of the Board of the National Chamber of Entrepreneurs of the Republic of Kazakhstan «Atameken», Member of the Board

**Igor Golubev**, Deputy Chairman of the Independent Trade Union of Truckers of Kyrgyzstan

**Anton Moskalenkov**, Director, Office of International Relations, Agency for Strategic Initiatives

**Georgy Petrov**, Advisor to the President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation

	<p><b>Alexander Murychev</b>, Executive Vice President of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs, Member of the National Council for Professional Qualifications under the President of the Russian Federation, Chairman of the Council for Professional Qualifications of the Financial Market</p>
<p>10:00-11:30 Hall 3</p>	<p>Panel Session:  <b>«New edges of the EAEU: A Development Strategy in the Interests of People»</b></p> <p>Being aware of the current external environments and striving to shape a progressive Eurasian space and ensure positive changes in the lives of citizens, the heads of the EAEU member states have determined the vector of the Union’s further development by adopting the Declaration on the Further Development of Integration Processes within the EAEU on December 6, 2018. Revealing the potential of integration to people, improving their well-being and quality of life through expanding the economic aspects of humanitarian cooperation is one of the key focuses of the Declaration. In order to provide citizens of the EAEU member states with access to modern achievements in the field of education and science, health, tourism, and sports, these areas are added to the integration agenda.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are the real demand of the EAEU citizens for the development of integration cooperation in the fields of education, science, health, tourism, and sports?</li> <li>• What kind of projects have the potential of becoming promising and sought-after?</li> <li>• What are the prospects and problems in terms of developing cooperation in these areas?</li> <li>• What else needs to be implemented in order to meet the citizens’ expectations from integration within the EAEU, to increase their interest in the integration processes?</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Sergey Shukhno</b>, Director of the Integration Development Department of the Eurasian Economic Commission</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Yelena Perminova</b>, Deputy Minister of Economy, Republic of Belarus</p>



	<p><b>Damir Maksat</b>, Deputy Minister, Director of the Tourism Department under the Ministry of Culture, Information, and Tourism, Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p><b>Sergey Krasilnikov</b>, Vice President - Managing Director of the Department for International Cooperation and Integration of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs</p> <p><b>Askar Nursha</b>, Dean, Department of Public policy and Law of AlmaU, Almaty Management University, Republic of Kazakhstan</p> <p><b>Eldar Alisherov</b>, Deputy Minister of Economy of the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p><b>Erkin Chechybaev</b>, Deputy Minister of Health of the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p><b>Fedor Chernitsyn</b>, Assistant Member of the Board (Minister) for Integration and Macroeconomics</p> <p><b>Moisey Furschik</b>, Managing Partner, Financial and Organizational Consulting LLC</p> <p><b>George G. Gogoberidze</b>, Head, Foundation Information and Analysis Centre «Arctic-US» (US – Union State)</p>
<p>12:00-13:30 Plenary Hall</p> <p>12:00-12:45</p> <p>12:45-13:45</p>	<p><b>Purchasing session for small and medium-sized agricultural producers</b></p> <p>The format of the session provides for a dialog of producers of food and agriculture products and representatives of regional retail chains. The session is educational in nature and is intended for EAEU-based small and medium-sized businesses: requirements for the quality, packaging, and volumes of delivered products. The format will enable retailers to find new suppliers, and product manufacturers will be able to find points of sale.</p> <p>Manufacturers shall register to meet the declared representatives of retail chains, and vice versa. A meeting schedule is formed to follow when holding the session.</p> <p><i>During the session Sergey Ilukha, an expert in category management, commercial procurement, organization of suppliers' cooperation with various chains, and tough negotiations will hold a master class</i></p> <p><i>«Arithmetic of category management. New assortment management technologies»</i></p> <p><i>Negotiations</i></p> <p>Invitees representing retail chains:</p>

	<p>LLC Trading House Narodny (Kyrgyz Republic)  Supermarket chain Globus (Kyrgyz Republic)  Universam Begemag LLC (Russian Federation) Union of Independent Networks SPAR Kaliningrad (Russian Federation)  METRO AG (Russian Federation)  LLC «Prod Impex» (TM «SONUN») (Kyrgyz Republic)</p> <p>Invitees representing agricultural producers:  LLC «At Bashi Sut» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Ak-Jalga OJSC (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC «Kyrgyzcentrproduct» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Association of Farmers-Yapovoda of the Kyrgyz Republic «Kyrgyz Topozu» (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC «Toyboss» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Talas Dyikan LLC (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC «BIG» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Alysh organic (Kyrgyz Republic)  Atalyk Group CJSC (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC «Dan Agro Products» (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC MOLODETS (Russian Federation)  Sordis LLC (Russian Federation)  Multidisciplinary agricultural commercial cooperative «Toluk» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Alma KG (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC Eftar Agrocomplex (Kyrgyz Republic)  Aksy Bio Commodity and Service Cooperative (Kyrgyz Republic)  JSC CHELNY-KHLEB (Republic of Tatarstan)  LLC Alayku Organix (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC EcoProduct Asia (Kyrgyz Republic)  Ataman (Kyrgyz Republic)  Greenlife (Kyrgyz Republic)  LLC GLOBAL AGRO (Russian Federation)  Osoo Roy FM  Atalyk Group CJSC (Kyrgyz Republic)  Cooperative «Narsu» (Kyrgyz Republic)  Slutsk Meat Processing Plant OJSC (Republic of Belarus)  Alysh-Dan Organic  Beekeeper Union «Ketman Tobo Valley» (Kyrgyz Republic)</p>
<p>12:00-13:30  Hall 1</p>	<p><b>EAEU Young Leaders School:  presentation of education programmes by EAEU Universities</b></p> <p>At the session, the EAEU universities will share their advanced educational solutions and products, talk about</p>

	<p>education issues and research concerning Eurasian integration. Young leaders will learn about the best educational practices in the EAEU member states, discuss their growth opportunities, both educational and scientific, in the Eurasia-related disciplines.</p> <p>Moderator: <b>Valery Smirnov</b>, Deputy Director, RANEPА</p> <p>Greeting: <b>Batyrkul Bayetov</b>, Deputy Minister of Education and Science of the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p>Educational programmes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master's degree programme in Digital Jurisprudence (Academy of Public Administration under the President of the Kyrgyz Republic)</li> <li>• Master's degree programme in Comprehensive Studies of European and Eurasian Integration Processes (Moscow State Institute of International Relations (University) of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation)</li> <li>• Master's degree programme in Eurasian Business Practices (St. Petersburg State University of Economics)</li> <li>• Master's degree programme in Eurasian Integration: Politics, Law, Trade and Economic Interaction (National Research Tomsk University)</li> <li>• Bachelor's degree programme in Global Integration Law (Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration)</li> </ul>
<p>12:00-13:30 Hall 2</p>	<p>Panel Session: <b>«Joint programmes and projects in the industrial production and agribusiness industry in EAEU member states as a modern trend in Eurasian integration»</b></p> <p>Shaping the “territory of innovations” and encouraging scientific and technical breakthroughs in the Eurasian Economic Union is possible through the creation and implementation of innovative technology. One of the effective mechanisms of technological breakthrough in industry and agriculture is the implementation of joint programmes and projects by the EAEU member states.</p> <p>To this effect, the EAEU member states should revise industrial standards and develop a coordinated policy of implementing innovations and exchanging technology. Integration, on the other hand, should serve as a weighty</p>

advantage of the member states on their way to a breakthrough in industrial development.

Issues to be discussed:

- Supporting and developing the institute of Eurasian process platforms as a basis for the generation of interstate programmes and projects
- Interstate programmes and projects as a cooperation and import substitution tool
- How can cooperation in industry and agriculture help each of the Union member state to be a competition?
- What are the areas where joint projects can become a driver of economic growth in the EAEU?
- What mechanisms are necessary for the implementation of joint programmes and projects within the EAEU?
- What measures should be taken on the supranational level to activate the process of innovative development and implementation of joint programmes and projects?
- Established Eurasian interstate programmes in industry and agriculture. What hinders their implementation?

Moderator:

**Vadim Vinokurov**, Chairman of the editorial board of BUSINESS-DIALOGUE MEDIA LLC, Vice-President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Moscow Region

Invitees:

**Alexandr Subbotin**, member of the Board (Minister) for Industry and Agricultural Complex of the Eurasian Economic Commission

**Nikolay Kushnarev**, Director of the Department of Industrial Policy, Eurasian Economic Commission

**Stanislav Buben**, Director of the Department of Agri-Industrial Policy, Eurasian Economic Commission

**Emil Osmonbetov**, Chairman of the State Committee for Industry, Energy, and Mineral Management, Kyrgyz Republic

**Erkinbek Choduev**, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Food Industry and Land Reclamation, Kyrgyz Republic

**Amangeldi Isaev**, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Food Industry and Land Reclamation of the Kyrgyz Republic

**Andrey Danelyan**, Head of the Eurasian Technological Platform «Space and Geoinformation Technologies - Products of Global Competitiveness»

	<p><b>Dmitry Zaichenko</b>, Deputy Director General for Innovation, Production and Ideology, Scientific and Practical Center of the NAS of Belarus for Food</p> <p><b>Irina Nam</b>, Coordinator-Secretary of the Eurasian Agricultural Process Platform, Programme Director of the North-West Institute of Management, RANEPA</p> <p><b>Ruben Sardaryan</b>, Director General, M4-Don Agro-industrial Innovative Park</p> <p><b>Elena Dovlatova</b>, Executive Director of the Russian Association of Water Supply and Sanitation, Chairman of the Organizing Committee of the All-Russian Water Congress</p> <p><b>Roman Volkov</b>, Leading Expert, Non-Profit Partnership Center for Macroeconomic Analysis and Short-Term Forecasting</p> <p><b>Sergey Belousov</b>, Head of the Energy and Electrification Eurasian Technology Platform</p> <p><b>Nikolai Lukin</b>, Director of the All-Russian Scientific Research Institute of Starch Products - a branch of the Federal State Budget Scientific Institution "V.M. Federal Scientific Center for Food Systems Gorbatova, Russian Academy of Sciences</p>
<p>12:00-13:30 Hall 3</p>	<p>Round Table Discussion:  <b>«Reporting system for products non-compliant with the requirements of the Union’s technical regulations»</b></p> <p>The effectiveness of state control depends to a large extent on the application of uniform approaches and well-established mechanisms of interaction between the Union’s regulatory bodies responsible for compliance with technical regulations. The pilot project is of high importance for the Union member states and is aimed at testing information exchange using the means of the Union’s integrated information system and considering the results of its implementation in the creation of a reporting system for products non-compliant with the requirements of the EAEU technical regulations.</p> <p>During the round table meeting, the representatives of the EEC, governments of the Union member states, business community, and experts will discuss the effectiveness of employing public oversight tools, including those using IT systems designed to timely inform business entities and consumers about the identified cases of circulation of products non-compliant with the requirements of technical regulations.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating a full-fledged common market under the unified requirements that ensure both safety and high competitiveness of products in international markets is a priority integration mission of the EAEU member states. What decisions should be taken by the governments of the EAEU member states and the EEC to increase the importance of the IT system as a tool of public oversight (supervision)?</li> <li>• What should be done to ensure that the industry and business community are interested in developing a reporting system for dangerous products as a tool for reporting activities on unsafe product recalls?</li> <li>• What solutions should be considered by the EAEU member states when creating a supranational system of alerting about dangerous products?</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Timur Nurashev</b>, Director of the Department of Technical Regulation and Accreditation of the Eurasian Economic Commission</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Victor Nazarenko</b>, Member of the Eurasian Economic Commission Board (Minister) for Technical Regulation  <b>Dmitry Bartashevich</b>, Deputy Chairman of the State Committee for Standardization, Republic of Belarus  <b>Alexey Kuleshov</b>, Deputy Head of the Federal Agency for Technical Regulation and Metrology, Ministry of Industry and Trade, Russian Federation  <b>Baktybek Shabdanov</b>, Head of the Department of Technical Regulation and Metrology, Ministry of Economy, Kyrgyz Republic  <b>Andrey Lotsmanov</b>, First Deputy Chairman of the RSPP Committee for Technical Regulation, Standardization and Conformity Assessment  <b>Andrey Belousov</b>, Deputy Head of the Russian Quality System</p>
<p>14:30-16:00 Plenary Hall</p>	<p>Panel Session:  <b>«Prospects for the development of the construction materials industry as part of the Eurasian integration»</b></p> <p>The construction materials industry is a high-priority sector of economy in terms of industrial cooperation between the EAEU member states. Due to the cooperation within the EAEU, both the internal turnover of industrial goods and exports to third countries are increasing. The mutual turnover</p>

in the CMI within the EAEU has increased by 40 %. Given the absence of borders within the Union and the free movement of goods, each EAEU member is a guarantor of the common market protection.

The session will be a discussion platform for the EAEU-based construction materials producers to cover the opportunities for the industry development within the framework of interstate and inter-sectoral cooperation. Representatives of state bodies, specialized businesses, and expert community will discuss the current state of the construction materials industry, elimination of existing barriers to deepening industrial cooperation, exchange of experience, and increasing the level of interaction between stakeholders.

Issues to be discussed:

- Improving tools of technical regulation within the EAEU on the dynamically developing market
- The construction materials industry as a mechanism of addressing a number of environmental concerns through the use of waste products of other industries
  - Coordinating efforts of the EAEU member states in the field of import substitution of industrial products
  - Marking as an effective and evolving tool to counter the illegal circulation of goods
  - The Eurasian Process Platform *Industrial technologies for the construction industry* as a system tool for the innovative development of the construction industry
  - Consolidation of efforts of CMI representatives in addressing common issues. What measures should be taken at the supranational level?

Moderator:

**Natalya Kozhina**, expert of SoyuzTsement non-commercial organization for legal issues, issues of technical regulation and WTO, member of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs (RUIE) Integration Council for cooperation with the Eurasian Economic Commission

Invitees:

**Danil Ibraev**, President of the Kyrgyz Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs

**Andrey Lotsmanov**, First Deputy Chairman of the Committee of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs for technical regulation, standardization and compliance assessment

	<p><b>Pavel Isaev</b>, Deputy General Director for Relations with Business Associations, Unions and Associations, PJSC Severstal, Executive Secretary of the RSPP Committee for Integration, Trade and Customs Policy and WTO, member of the RSPP Integration Council</p> <p><b>Altimash Bekboyev</b>, Vice-rector of KSTU named after I. Razzakov</p> <p><b>Alexey Kuleshov</b>, Deputy Head of the Federal Agency for Technical Regulation and Metrology of the Ministry of Industry and Trade, Russian Federation</p> <p><b>Maxim Vorobyev</b>, Director of Analytics Research Center International Trade and Integration</p>
<p>14:30-16:00 Hall 1</p>	<p><b>EAEU Young Leaders School: business game</b></p> <p>Young leaders will be able to make their personal contribution to solving pressing issues of Eurasian integration. Participants teamed and instructed by mentors prepare and present a business solution to the task set by the organizers. The task can be deemed to have been successfully completed only providing that the team has visited the business programme events, where they can get ideas for solving the game task.</p>
<p>14:30-16:00 Hall 2</p>	<p>Round Table Discussion: <b>«Digital business space as a locomotive of strategic advantage»</b></p> <p>The development of digital technologies in the world has led to a shift in priorities in the possession of resources in the creation of new digital ecosystems, products and services. New resources are coming to the forefront of success: intellectual, computational, digital blanks, online production. Methods and methods of their use are no longer dependent on their territory and distances. Competition for resources has intensified. Software robotics is one of the most important factors of resource concentration.</p> <p>Intellectual resources are the Foundation of the digital economy. The rate of emergence of new knowledge and competencies, changes in their technological and other qualities require constant training. Mutual integration of education, production and research processes in a single space is at the same time a necessary condition for the viability of the national economy. Encyclopedic and fundamental knowledge is important for quick orientation in a changing world.</p>



During the round table, representatives of relevant ministries and organizations will discuss the results of the Program "Digital economy" of the Union countries, challenges and priorities of global dissemination of advanced technologies in the EAEU countries on systemic issues of digital transformation.

Issues to be discussed:

- What resources will allow the EAEU to achieve success in the global market?
- That will allow the EAEU to turn the competition into a tool of growth?
- What impact does science have on economic processes in the EAEU space in the age of digital economy?
- What areas of international cooperation are the most promising for the integration of the EAEU into the global market?
- What forms and directions of design are the most promising?
- What affects the speed and quality of the concentration of resources needed to create new values in the digital environment?
- What are the economic and technological solutions for universal digital education?

Moderator:

**Valery Draganov**, Chairman of the Board of ANO «Digital Country» and the Digital Economy Consortium, member of the Board of the Russian Union of Industrialists and Entrepreneurs

Invitees:

**Karine Minasyan**, Member of the Board (Minister) for Domestic Markets, Informatization, Information and Communication Technologies

**Evgeny Babayan**, Chief designer of the Digital Country ANO and the Digital Economy Consortium

**Vladimir Zernov**, Rector of ANO VO «Russian New University»

**Amangeldy Muraliev**, Director of the Center for digital economy development KRSU

**Sergey Valentey**, scientific adviser research association FSBEI HE «REU G.V. Plekhanov»

**Oksana Gordienko**, Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, Associate Professor, Director of the Institute for the

	<p>Development of Digital Education, Moscow State Pedagogical University</p> <p><b>Vladimir Nifadev</b>, Rector of KRSU, founder of the department of FPGP, academician of NAS KR, Doctor of Engineering, professor</p> <p><b>Salavat Usmanov</b>, Dean of FMO KRSU, Doctor of Technical Sciences, Professor</p> <p><b>Vitaliy Kovalenko</b>, Director of IKIT (Institute of Communications and Information Technologies), Ph.D., Associate Professor</p> <p><b>Nicholas Schubert</b>, Head of Chile's Digital Economy Division for International Economic Affairs</p>
<p>14:30-16:00 Hall 3</p>	<p>Panel Session: <b>«EAEU logistics and customs infrastructure»</b></p> <p>The Eurasian Economic Union, based on strong economic and labor relations, aims at shaping a comfortable environment for businesses, considering the International System of Framework Standards for Security and Promotion of Global Trade (SAFE). Modernization of customs and transport logistics will facilitate B2B and B2G procedures, promote the growth of export opportunities, make the Union more open to businesses, ensuring their development.</p> <p>During the session, representatives of the Eurasian Economic Commission, governments of the EAEU member States and experts will discuss pressing concerns of the industry, the main mechanisms that can improve the customs and logistics infrastructure of the EAEU member states, offer solutions to increase the efficiency of logistics, considering international recommendations and standards in the field of supply chain security.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What are the deliverables of the EAEU member states' cooperation in the field of customs infrastructure improvement and what are the next steps to be made?</li> <li>• What tasks in the field of customs administration have been solved and what goals of development of information exchange are currently relevant in terms of shaping a favorable business climate within the EAEU?</li> <li>• What measures has been taken by the EAEU to facilitate customs operations and customs control and what are the future prospects?</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:</p>

	<p><b>Baktybek Bayserkeev</b>, Director of the EEC Department of Customs Infrastructure</p> <p>Invitees:</p> <p><b>Nurlan Akmatov</b>, Member of the EEC Board (Minister) for Customs Cooperation</p> <p><b>Igor Bannykh</b>, Advisor to the Department of Customs Infrastructure</p> <p><b>Ricardo Trevino</b>, Deputy Secretary General, WCO</p> <p><b>Alexander Galanamatis</b>, Head of the Customs IT Office, Department of Customs Infrastructure</p> <p><b>Alexey Gavrichev</b>, Deputy Head of the Customs IT Office, Department of Customs Infrastructure</p> <p><b>David Ananyan</b>, Chairman of the State Revenue Committee, Republic of Armenia</p> <p><b>Pierre von Arx</b>, Ambassador, Head of the Programme Office in Bishkek, OSCE Secretariat</p> <p><b>Elnura Mambetjunusheva</b>, Deputy Chairman of the State Customs Service under the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p><b>Yulia Leonova</b>, Head of the Department of Organization of State Control at checkpoints and implementation of the border policy of the Main Directorate of Organization of Customs Clearance and Customs Control of the FCS of Russia</p>
<p><i>10:00-17:00</i> <i>Hall 4</i></p> <p><i>12:00-12:45</i> <i>Exhibition area</i></p> <p><i>14:30-16:00</i> <i>Small Hall, State Duma</i> <i>«Issyk-Kul»</i></p> <p><i>17:00-18:00</i> <i>Hall 2</i></p>	<p><b><i>Events on the margins:</i></b></p> <p><i>EEC Advisory Committee and CIS Member States' Advisory Committee on Consumer Rights Protection (admission according to the lists of participants)</i></p> <p><i>Presentation: «Creating Common Energy Resources Markets»</i></p> <p><i>Meeting of the Eurasian Sugar Association (admission according to the lists of participants)</i></p> <p><i>Meeting of the leaders of the EAEU EAA (admission according to the lists of participants)</i></p>
<p><b>27 September (FRIDAY)</b></p>	
<p>10:00-11:30 Plenary Hall</p>	<p><b>EAEU Young Leaders School: business game</b></p>

	<p>Young leaders will be able to make their personal contribution to solving pressing issues of Eurasian integration. Participants teamed and instructed by mentors prepare and present a business solution to the task set by the organizers. The task can be deemed to have been successfully completed only providing that the team has visited the business programme events, where they can get ideas for solving the game task.</p>
<p>9:30-11:30 Hall 1</p>	<p>Seminar:  <b>«Facilitation of trade procedures and their impact on regional integration»</b></p> <p>Red tape obstructs the transborder movement of goods for participants in international trade.  In this regard, facilitating such trade procedures as the modernization and harmonization of export and import processes has become a major challenge for the global trading system.  The seminar aims to raise awareness among relevant government officials on issues related to the facilitation of trade procedures and their impact on regional integration.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How are trade facilitation reforms being implemented to deepen regional integration?</li> <li>• Why should the private sector be mobilized to develop and implement effective trade facilitation policies?</li> <li>• How are supply chains from the producer to the consumer shaped?</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Vahagn Ghazaryan</b>, Deputy Director, Trade Policy Department, EEC</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Pierre von Arx</b>, Ambassador, Head of the Programme Office in Bishkek, OSCE Secretariat  <b>Pierre Bonthonneau</b>, Principal Adviser for Trade Facilitation, International Trade Centre  <b>Mario Apostolov</b>, Regional Advisor to the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) on Trade  <b>Denis Berdakov</b>, Director of the Analytical Center under the State Customs Service of Kyrgyzstan  <b>Georgy Petrov</b>, Advisor to the President of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of the Russian Federation  <b>John Krob</b>, Consultant, OSCE Program Office in Bishkek</p>

<p>10:00-11:30 Hall 2</p>	<p>Expert Discussion:  <b>«AIC export logistics: the international digital platform»</b></p> <p>Developing export operations in the agri-industrial complex in the digital era requires new business models and new competencies with a focus on shaping a value offer for the client, which is provided by transiting from a linear business to a platform one, that is, to a new foundation of international cooperation in the field of agricultural production and trade in the EAEU and in conjunction with the One Belt – One Road project</p> <p>Representatives of the EAEU and China will discuss integration possibilities and prospects, offer managerial solutions as to establishing an international digital platform for networking in supply chains between enterprises of agriculture, food industry, and trade to increase the efficiency of ACI exports.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Digital business practices for the export of agri-industrial products</li> <li>• Logistics of international food trade between the EAEU and China companies</li> <li>• Networking of multimodal transport and logistics centers in the EAEU – China cooperation pattern of producers/consumers of agri-industrial products</li> <li>• Establishing a digital networking platform for agricultural, food and trade companies</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Oleg Dunaev</b>, Deputy Chairman of the RSPF Committee on International Cooperation</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Karine Minasyan</b>, Member of the Board (Minister) in charge of Internal Markets, Information Support, Information and Communication Technology  <b>Irina Moiseeva</b>, Head of INTERLOGISTICS Group  <b>Anton Kozhankov</b>, Deputy Director General for Legal Affairs of the Eurasian Economic Union, Customs Brokerage Center OOO  <b>Inna Rykova</b>, Head of the Center for Industrial Economics, Research Institute of the Ministry of Finance, Russian Federation (NIFI of the Ministry of Finance, Russian Federation)</p>
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	<p><b>Yulia Zvorykina</b>, Director of ANO VEB Institute, member of the governing bodies of the Belt&amp;Road International Transport Alliance (BRITA)</p> <p><b>Andrey Belov</b>, Head of the Agro Hub Kartaly project, Russian-Chinese Center for the Urals and Siberia</p> <p><b>Igor Golubev</b>, Deputy Chairman of the Independent Trade Union of Truckers of Kyrgyzstan</p> <p><b>Ruben Sardaryan</b>, General Director of the M4-Don Agricultural Innovation Park</p>
<p>10:00-11:30 Hall 3</p>	<p>Panel Session:  <b>«Made in the EAEU»: a new approach to the competitiveness of jewelry in the global market»</b></p> <p>The jewelry industry is undergoing a period of complex transformation caused by a radical change in the production and consumption pattern, the explosive development of digital technology and e-trading. Shared brands, e-sales, the trend of simultaneous consumption of expensive and cheap goods, “fast fashion,” digitalization are trending in the global jewelry industry.</p> <p>The EAEU jewelry industry has a significant export potential. This provides a good basis for the search for new opportunities to improve the competitiveness of Eurasian jewelry market participants. Are we ready to meet these challenges and set global trends? The first important steps in this direction have already been taken in the EAEU: an action plan has been prepared to promote the EAEU jewelry products to third-country markets. Are the provided measures sufficient enough for foreign market rollouts? What joint steps need to be done to unconditionally increase the competitiveness of Eurasian jewelry?</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is the best way to increase the competitiveness of Eurasian jewelry? What digital solutions are of help in achieving this goal?</li> <li>• What competitive advantages do the participants in the EAEU jewelry industry have to enter third-country markets. What is barring them today?</li> <li>• How does the international buyer’s perception and assessment of the EAEU jewelry products and manufacturers depend on the success in the global market?</li> <li>• What quality standards should form a Eurasian jewelry brand?</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How should the Eurasian jewelry distribution chain be developed in the priority international markets? International experience in promoting jewelry products</li> <li>• What marketing and trading strategies should be employed to promote the EAEU jewelry abroad?</li> <li>• What support tools are in demand today with market participants? Opportunities of financial and other development institutes in the support of <i>Made in the EAEU</i> cooperative projects</li> <li>• What role should development institutions play in the implementation of the task on increasing jewelry exports from the EAEU?</li> </ul> <p>Moderators:  <b>Antonina Babosyuk</b>, President, Association of Jewelers of the Eurasian Economic Union</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Gagik Mkrtychyan</b>, Adviser to the Minister of Economic Development and Investment, Republic of Armenia  <b>Abdybaly tegin Suerkul</b>, Deputy Minister of Finance of the Kyrgyz Republic  <b>Kaysar Zhumagaliev</b>, Chairman of NP <i>League of Jewelers of Kazakhstan</i>  <b>Stalbek Akmatov</b>, President of the Union of Jewelers and Entrepreneurs of the Kyrgyz Republic, Head of the NABA Secretariat, Director General of Kyrgyz Zerger OsOO</p>
10:00-11:30 Hall 4	Round Table Discussion: <b>Eurasian Integration and Geopolitics</b> <p>Moderators:  <b>Stanislav Korolev</b>, Deputy Secretary General of the Eurasian Peoples' Assembly, President of the International Association of Historians of Asia, Consul General of the International Ratings Agency SHA-International Ratings Center in the countries of CIS, SCO and BRICS  <b>Abdygany Erkebaev</b>, Chairman of the Council of the Assembly of the People of Kyrgyzstan</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Zhenish Razakov</b>, Vice Prime Minister of the Republic of Kyrgyzstan  <b>Ivan Belekov</b>, Member of the State Duma Committee on Affairs of the CIS, Eurasian Integration and Communications with Compatriots</p>

	<p><b>Marat Kusainov</b>, Deputy Chairman of the Management Board Eurasian Development Bank</p> <p><b>Toktokuchuk Mamytov</b>, Ombudsman of the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p><b>Zuhra Shidakova</b>, President of the Public Association «International Association of Karachais» Ata-Jurt of the Assembly of the People of Kyrgyzstan</p> <p><b>Alexander Stepanyuk</b>, President of the Public Association «Russian Cultural Center «Harmony» of the Assembly of the People of Kyrgyzstan</p> <p><b>Ainura Orozbaeva</b>, Deputy Director of the Legal Department, candidate of legal sciences</p> <p><b>Nursultan Beishebaev</b>, Chairman of the youth wing of the Assembly of the People of Kyrgyzstan, deputy of the local kenesh</p> <p><b>Sergey Tetersky</b>, Deputy Chairman of the Council of the Assembly of Peoples of Russia, Professor</p>
<p>12:00-14:00 Plenary Hall</p>	<p><b>EAEU Young Leaders School: closing of the EAEU Young Leaders School</b></p> <p>Invitees:</p> <p><b>Mikhail Myskin</b>, Head of Analytical Support for Trade Negotiations and Interaction with the Business Community, ECE Trade Policy Department</p> <p><b>Kubatbek Rakhimov</b>, Advisor to the Prime Minister of the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p><b>Andrey Petrosyan</b>, Head of Research Center EDB</p> <p><b>Sofia Record</b>, Head of the Department of World Economy and International Economic Relations, St. Petersburg State University of Economics</p> <p><b>Ilya Kuzmichev</b>, Chief Specialist, Expert, Department of Analytical Support, EEC</p>
<p>12:00-14:00 Hall 1</p>	<p><i>Events of the 2nd Kyrgyz-Russian Business Forum</i></p> <p>Round table discussion: <b>«Agro-industrial complex within the EAEU»</b></p> <p>In the agro-industrial complex (hereunder-AIC) sector integration work in the EAEU is aimed at ensuring equal competitive conditions, application of uniform requirements for the production and circulation of products, saturation of the common market with our own goods, and development of exports. AIC is one of the strategic sectors of the economy of the EAEU member states, ensuring food security. At the same</p>



time, within the framework of mutual cooperation, EAEU member states need to exchange experience and propose options for the joint development of the agro-industrial complex.

Issues to be discussed:

- The current situation and trends in the agricultural sector of the Kyrgyz Republic.
- Problems of ensuring access of Kyrgyz companies to the common agricultural market, including questions on the necessary documentation and interaction of customs, veterinary and phytosanitary services of the EAEU member countries.
- Development of livestock in the Kyrgyz Republic, including the procurement and breeding of pedigree breeds, taking into account the climatic conditions of the Kyrgyz Republic.
- Opportunities for cooperation with agricultural research centers of the EAEU participating countries in the development of agriculture in the Kyrgyz Republic.
- The possibility of forming joint ventures and increasing the volume of mutual investments in the field of agriculture.
- Perspective directions for the development of integration in the agricultural sector of the EAEU member states.

Moderator:

**Aziz Aaliev**, Member of the Board of the RKFR

Invitees:

**Temirbek Azhykulov**, Executive Director of the Association for the Development of the Agro-Industrial Complex of the Kyrgyz Republic

**Edil Niyazov**, Head of Department, Pasture, Livestock and Fisheries Department of the Ministry of Agriculture and Agriculture of the Kyrgyz Republic

**Renat Dosaev**, President of the Association of Fisheries of the Kyrgyz Republic

**Shailogul Mailieva**, Director of LLC Prod Impex

**Akhtyam Kashveev**, Director of OSKO LLC

**Amangeldi Isaev**, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Food Industry and Land Reclamation of the Kyrgyz Republic

**Alexander Stepanyan**, Deputy Permanent Representative of the Republic of Crimea to the President of the Russian Federation

	<p><b>Alexey Elaev</b>, Deputy General Director, Supermarket Chain SPAR-Kaliningrad</p> <p><b>Tolonbek Yrsaliev</b>, Head of the Frontier Veterinary Control Department of the State Inspectorate for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Safety under the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic</p> <p><b>Raila Kabylova</b>, Chief Specialist, Phytosanitary Certification Organization Department, Plant Quarantine Department</p>
<p>12:00-14:00 Hall 2</p>	<p><i>Events of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Kyrgyz-Russian Business Forum</i></p> <p>Round table discussion:  <b>«Financing of small and medium-sized businesses – the driver of the economic growth in the Kyrgyz Republic»</b></p> <p>Small and medium business is one of the important elements of the economy, which accounts for approximately 40% of the Kyrgyz Republic's GDP. SMEs provide economic growth, create new jobs and increase tax payments.</p> <p>Ensuring the sustainable growth of the economy and the country as a whole depends on the state and level of development of private entrepreneurship, and first of all, small and medium-sized businesses. This sector of the economy has the potential to solve problems affecting the economic growth of the Kyrgyz Republic, such as the dependence of domestic demand on imports, increased exports, undeveloped competition, etc.</p> <p>The role of small and medium-sized businesses in diversifying the economy is important. In this regard, it is necessary to take systemic measures to support small and medium-sized businesses, which will include, but are not limited to, improving access to financing, providing the necessary infrastructure, helping to increase competence, obtaining consulting support and attracting partners for joint implementation of entrepreneurial initiatives.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Factoring for SMEs and its economic effect.</li> <li>• Russian experience in supporting SMEs based on the activities of JSC “SME Corporation”. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organization of information, marketing, financial and legal support for investment projects implemented by small and medium-sized enterprises.</li> <li>• Organization of events aimed to increase the share of procurement of goods from EAEU countries, including innovative and high-tech products.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sectoral support for SMEs of industrial and innovative activities engaged in priority sectors of the economy.</li> <li>• Provision of non-financial measures to support SMEs, new business initiatives support.</li> <li>• Reducing FX risk for SMEs.</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Oleg Kudryakov</b>, Deputy Chairman of the Board of the RKFR</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Aydin Sharsheev</b>, State Secretary of the Ministry of Economy of the Kyrgyz Republic  <b>Nikita Bancekin</b>, Head of the Directorate of International Activities, member of the Management Board of JSC «SME Corporation»  <b>Baktybek Shamkeev</b>, Chairman of the Management Board of Aiyl Bank OJSC  <b>Anvar Abdraev</b>, Chairman of the ALE «Union of Banks of Kyrgyzstan»  <b>Farhad Pakyrov</b>, Executive Director of JIA Business Association  <b>Alexander Tokar</b>, Head of the Directorate of Marketing and Information Support for SMEs</p>
<p>12:00-14:00 Hall 3</p>	<p>Round Table Discussion:  <b>«Digital» taxi. Eurasian integration of transport mobility systems»</b></p> <p>Taxi industry is leading digital transformation of businesses all over the world, and several companies are already operating on the taxi markets in all the EAEU member states, forming digital infrastructures and channels of communication with the people.</p> <p>Taking into account the economic and social importance of taxi industry for labor markets and mobility of the population, it is advisable that unified electronic registers of taxis and digital profiles of taxi drivers should be developed at macro-regional and regional levels; principles of information exchange between state regulators and taxi operators should be created, too, within the framework of the EAEU digital agenda.</p> <p>The implementation of this initiative at the supranational level will deepen integration processes in the EAEU countries, unify information systems and infrastructure, ensure healthy competition between business models related to public mobility, giving a boost to entrepreneurship in this area and</p>

growing new technologies, including those related to self-driving vehicles.

Questions for discussion:

- Is it advisable to standardize specific aspects of public administration of taxi industry at the EAEU level, provided that this sphere is already regulated at national and local (regional) levels?
- How well-established is the business model of taxi aggregators run by major corporations? Are there any effective alternative models of taxi business development in the EAEU?
- Labor market in the EAEU: should there be general requirements to taxi drivers? What measures should be taken by the EEC and governments of member states to ensure compliance with the EAEU Treaty?
- Are electronic state taxi registers and digital profiles of taxi drivers a fashionable trend of digitalization or an effective tool for executing state control and ensuring competition in the market?
- What are the roles and functions of non-governmental institutions involved in taxi development in the EAEU?

Moderator:

**Dina Goryacheva**, Director of the Public Institute for the Development of Taxis MEFT

Invitees:

**Stanislav Shvagerus**, Head of the Competence Center of the Public Institute for Taxi Development MEFT

**Medet Kurmatov**, Chairman of the Association of Transport Workers of the City of Nur-Sultan

**Igor Pankov**, Executive Director of the Belarusian Union of Transport Workers

**Stanislav Naumov**, Head of the Secretariat of the Business Council of the Eurasian Economic Union of the Competence Centre, Public Institute for Taxi Development, MEFT

**Denis Usanov**, Head of the Passenger Organization Department of the Transport Committee of the City of St. Petersburg

**Sergey Ponomarev**, head of the Association of taxi operators and carriers

**Alexander Vysotsky**, Corporate Relations Manager, Yandex.Taxi LLC

**Mikhail Komarov**, Project Manager, ID 20

<p>12:00-14:00 Hall 4</p>	<p><i>Events of the 2nd Kyrgyz-Russian Business Forum</i></p> <p>Round table discussion:  <b>«Small hydropower as part of the integration development of interaction within EAEU»</b></p> <p>The development of small energy is a priority in the development strategy of the Kyrgyz Republic. The development of energy production from renewable sources makes a significant contribution to the struggle of mankind with global warming.</p> <p>Most of the small hydropower plants in the Kyrgyz Republic were built between 1940s and 1960s. However, by the mid-1970s, when the large Toktogul hydroelectric power station began operating on the Naryn River and the national power grid was distributed throughout the country, most of these SHPPs were decommissioned.</p> <p>New challenges (lack of electricity in winter, aging energy infrastructure) and opportunities (export of electricity to Afghanistan and Pakistan under the CASA-1000) require urgent measures to improve the development potential of small hydropower plants.</p> <p>Issues to be discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prospects for the development of cooperation in the field of construction of small hydropower plants by companies of the EAEU member states in the framework of the development of integration</li> <li>• Prospects for creating a trading platform for the wholesale purchase and sale of electricity between participants from EAEU member states as part of the development of integration interaction</li> <li>• Prospects for creating a mechanism for interstate transmission of electric energy between the EAEU member states in the framework of the development of integration interaction</li> </ul> <p>Moderator:  <b>Andrey Arseniev</b>, Member of the Board</p> <p>Invitees:  <b>Nurbek Abdrashitov</b>, Director of “Nur Al Energo” LLC  <b>Beknur Maratbekov</b>, Chief Specialist, State Committee for Industry, Energy and Subsoil Use of the Kyrgyz Republic  <b>Anton Ryabinin</b>, Energy Directorate, Eurasian Development Bank</p>
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