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Digital Technologies as Key Enabler for Circularity Perspectives on the Future of Manufacturing

PROGRAMME

20 - 21 October 2021

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20 OCTOBER, WEDNESDAY 2 PM - 5:30 PM CEST

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Francesco Buzzella President, World Manufacturing Foundation & Confindustria Lombardia

Donatella Sciuto Executive Vice Rector, Politecnico di Milano

Attilio Fontana President, Regione Lombardia

Presentation of the Back to the Future Project: Emerging Topics for Long-Term Resilience in Manufacturing

Marco Taisch Scientific Chairman, World Manufacturing Foundation

Keynote Long-Term Resilience in Manufacturing Industries

Lucilla Sioli Director for "Artificial Intelligence and Digital Industry",

Directorate-General CONNECT at the European Commission

SESSION 1

Building Future-proof Global Value Chains

Taro Shimada Corporate Senior Vice President, Chief Digital Officer, Toshiba Corporation

Zeynep Bodur OkyayCEO and President, Kale Group of Companies **Luisa Santos**Deputy Director General, BusinessEurope

Leonel Leal Advanced. Mfg & Digital Transformation Expert, Methodfx.co

with the participation of representatives from the Back to the Future Project:

Fernando G. Alberti Professor, LIUC

Group Leader, Focus Group: Trend Driven Innovation in Manufacturing

Felipe Lechuga CEO, Lemaco – Director, ipCOmpute

Professor, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

Erwin Rauch Assistant Professor, Free University of Bolzano

Group Leader, Focus Group: Al as an Enabler for Long-Term

Resilience in Manufacturing



Keynote related to Building Global Value Chains and the Role of People and Policies in the Long-Term Resilience of Manufacturing

Amit Kapoor Honorary Chairman, Institute for Competitiveness

Keynote

Carlo Ferro President, Italian Trade Agency

SESSION 2

People and Policies as Enablers for Long-Term Resilience

H.E. Suha Dawood Elias Najjar Chairwoman, Iraqi National Investment Commission

Anna Milanez Labour Market Economist, OECD

Barbara Beltrame GiacomelloPresident, BUSINESSMEDKlaus BeetzCEO, EIT Manufacturing

Fabrizio Sala Regional Minister, Regione Lombardia

with the participation of representatives from the Back to the Future Project:

Efe Erdem Executive Director, Mext Technology Center

Group Leader, Focus Group: The Evolving Role of Competence Centres

for Long-Term Resilience in Manufacturing

Giorgia Munari President, Young Entrepreneurs - Unione degli Industriali

della Provincia di Varese

Group Leader, Focus Group: Young Entrepreneurs in the New Era

of Sustainability and Digitalisation

Closing remark

Giovanni Brugnoli Vice-President for Human Capital, Confindustria



21 OCTOBER, THURSDAY 2 PM - 5:30 PM CEST

Opening

Robert Mansfield JrMember of the Board of Directors, World Manufacturing Foundation

and Managing Director of IMSI

Presentation of the 2021 WM Report: Digitally Enabled Circular Manufacturing

Marco Taisch Scientific Chairman, World Manufacturing Foundation

Rebecca Taylor Executive Vice President, National Centre for Manufacturing Sciences (USA),

and Advisory Board Member, 2021 World Manufacturing Report

Nilgün TasDeputy Director, Department of Environment, United Nations Industrial

Development Organization (UNIDO)

SESSION 3

Green Policies for a Sustainable Shift in Manufacturing

Yves Paindaveine Head of Sector, Digitising European Industry governance, DG CONNECT,

European Commission

Monica Duhem Delgado Head of the Global Economic Intelligence Unit,

Mexican Ministry of Economy

Sudarsan Rachuri Technology Manager, Advanced Manufacturing Office, Office of Energy

Efficiency and Renewable Energy, U.S. Department of Energy

Sylvie Pinsonnault Senior Vice President, Strategies and Business Solutions,

Investissement Québec

Hon. Molebatsi Shimane

Molebatsi

Assistant Minister, Ministry of Investment, Trade and Industry; Botswana

Keynote related to Oil and Gas Sector and Environmental Sustainability

Marco Villa Chief Operating Officer, Technip Energies



SESSION 4

The Role of Digital Technologies in the Circular Economy: Best Practices from Manufacturers

Petra Monn Program Lead "Factory Digitalization", Siemens AG

Colin Dhillon Chief Technical Officer, Automotive Parts Manufacturers' Association

(APMA)

Randy Zadra Canadian Ambassador, World Manufacturing Foundation

Managing Director Integris

Alexandre Bregantim Chief Technology Officer, Prometeon Tyre Group

Keynote related to Connecting the Industrial Frontline. Augmented Reality and the Future of Work

Michael Campbell Executive Vice President & General Manager of Augmented Reality, PTC



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