



MONDAY NOVEMBER 8

GREEN BANKING, DIGITAL ECONOMY AND FINANCE

8h00

OPENING OF THE 15TH EDITION OF THE TORONTO GLOBAL FORUM – Live from Cogeco Studio

WELCOMING REMARKS

John Tory, Mayor, City of Toronto

John M. Beck, Founder and Chairman, Aecon Group Inc. *(in-person)*

Philippe Jetté, President and Chief Executive Officer, Cogeco Inc. and Cogeco Communications Inc. *(in-person)*

Presented by **Joe Clark**, President, Toronto Global Forum *(in-person)*

08h30

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

THE CHANGING ECONOMY IN COVID TIMES

SPEAKER

Steve Hudson, Chief Executive Officer, ECN Capital Corp. *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Lisa Raitt**, Vice-Chair of Global Investment Banking, CIBC *(in-person)*

9h00

INAUGURAL PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

REDEFINING A NEW PROSPERITY

Since a year and a half, the COVID-19 pandemic has greatly impacted the global economic growth as well as the socio-economic progress at a micro level. While social, environmental and economic aspects are interconnected, how do we make sure they are all taken under consideration while working towards the global recovery? How do we redefine consumption habits without straining the planet? How do we raise standards of living?

INTRODUCTION

Philippe Jetté, President and Chief Executive Officer, Cogeco Inc. and Cogeco Communications Inc. *(in-person)*

SPEAKERS

Mary Callahan Erdoes, Chief Executive Officer, JP Morgan Asset & Wealth Management

Boon Chye Loh, Chief Executive Officer, Singapore Exchange

Mario Greco, Chief Executive Officer, Zurich Insurance Group

Fred Hu, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Primavera Capital Group

Moderated by **David Walmsley**, Editor-in-Chief, The Globe and Mail *(in-person)*

CONCLUSION

David Rawlings, Chief Executive Officer - Canada, JPMorgan Chase & Co.

09h50

LIGHTNING TALK – Live from Cogeco Studio

Sonja Volpe, President and Chief Executive Officer, BNP Paribas Canada *(in-person)*



10h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

INVESTING IN NET ZERO

Investments in clean and environmentally friendly projects is a necessity to meet the global net-zero targets in the coming decades. What can the private sector do to make a significant and quick impact in reducing carbon emissions? Should we prioritize a number of sectors for this transition, or does the time asks for massive cross-sectors investments? Do investment strategies need to change for the net zero target, or can we reproduce the current model to new types of projects and companies?

INTRODUCTION

Chad Richards, Director, Net Zero Partnerships, Nuclear Innovation Institute (*in-person*)

SPEAKERS

Eric Usher, Head, UNEP Finance Initiative

Hubert Danso, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Africa Investor (Ai) Group

Jane Ambachtsheer, Sustainability Executive, BNP Paribas (*in-person*)

Moderated by **John Yearwood**, Global News Editor, POLITICO (*in-person*)

11h00

FORUM 1 (simultaneously) – Live from Cogeco Studio

CRYPTOCURRENCIES: ANOTHER BUBBLE OR THE FUTURE OF FINANCE?

Cryptocurrencies have multiplied and evolved in such a way that even traditional investment banking, companies and funds start using them. Are cryptocurrencies still perceived as unpredictable, and if so, are they legitimate investments for the traditional finance world? How should banks and investment firms adapt to the new reality of multiple and fast growing cryptocurrencies? Is this the new normal, or do we risk missing the boat if we don't engage with cryptos?

SPEAKERS

Evan Thomas, Head of Legal, Wealthsimple Crypto (*in-person*)

Eric Richmond, Chief Operating Officer, Coinsquare

Ana Badour, Partner, Financial Service, Co-Leader Fintech Group (*in-person*)

Neil Schwam, Partner, L1 Digital AG

Moderated by **Tim Kiladze**, Reporter and Streetwise Columnist, The Globe and Mail (*in-person*)



11h00

FORUM 2 (simultaneously) **Live from Six Toronto Studio**
In collaboration with GardaWorld

THE FUTURE OF MONEY

Since the COVID-19 outbreak, the way we use money daily has changed to the point of making the use of cash on the decline. How can businesses that rely on cash transaction be more agile in the future? How can we rethink cash services, which while on their decline, remain important to the economy? How are contactless payments, cryptocurrencies and payment apps disrupting the way we purchase and consume every day?

SPEAKERS

Stéphane Gonthier, Chief Executive Officer, GardaWorld Cash Services (*in-person*)

Eswar Prasad, Tolani Senior Professor of Trade Policy, Cornell University; and Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution

Diane J. Brisebois, President & Chief Executive Office, Retail Council of Canada

Moderated by **Andrew Willis**, Business Columnist, The Globe and Mail (*in-person*)

12h00

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

RETHINKING LEADERSHIP AND STRATEGY IN THE FACE OF NEW CHALLENGES

James P. Gorman, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Morgan Stanley

Interviewed by **Susan Rimmer**, Managing Director and Head, Global Corporate Banking, CIBC Capital Markets (*in-person*)

12h00

SOMMET DE LA FRANCOPHONIE ÉCONOMIQUE – FORUM – Live from Six Toronto Studio

En collaboration avec la Société Économique de l'Ontario

L'ADAPTATION À LA PÉNURIE DE MAIN D'ŒUVRE À L'AUBE DE 2022

ADAPTING TO THE LABOR SHORTAGE AT THE DAWN OF 2022

INTRODUCTIONS

Nicholas Rémillard, chef de la direction, Forum économique international des Amériques (FEIA) (*en personne*)

Denis Laframboise, président, Société Économique de l'Ontario (*en personne*)

CONFÉRENCIERS

Hélène Panagakos, directrice générale, Réseau national, Immigration, Réfugiés et Citoyenneté Canada (IRCC)

Sylvie Painchaud, directrice générale, Conseil des ministres sur la francophonie canadienne (CMFC)

Michelle Savoie, fondatrice, Voyageur Wilderness

Aïssatou Sonko, gestionnaire du programme Employabilité et Immigration, Société Économique de l'Ontario (SÉO)

Modération par **Pierre Cléroux**, vice-président, Recherche et économiste en chef, Banque de développement du Canada

12h30

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

SPEAKER

John Graham, President and Chief Executive Officer, CPP Investments

Interviewed by **Darryl White**, Chief Executive Officer, BMO Financial Group



13h00

SOMMET DE LA FRANCOPHONIE ÉCONOMIQUE – ALLOCUTION CONJOINTE – Live from Six Toronto Studio

CONFÉRENCIÈRES

Sonia LeBel, ministre responsable des Relations canadiennes et de la Francophonie canadienne, Québec (*en personne*)

Caroline Mulroney, ministre des Affaires francophones, Ontario (*en personne*)

13h10

LIGHTNING TALK – Live from Cogeco Studio

Louis Audet, Chairman of the Board, Cogeco Inc. and Cogeco Communications Inc. (*in-person*)

13h20

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

MOVING TOWARDS INCLUSIVE CAPITALISM - HOW FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS CAN LEAD THE WAY

SPEAKER

Guy Cormier, President and Chief Executive Officer, Desjardins Group

Interviewed by **Gregory Bonnell**, Anchor, Reporter, BNN Bloomberg (*in-person*)

13h30

SOMMET DE LA FRANCOPHONIE ÉCONOMIQUE – Live from Six Toronto Studio

**CÉRÉMONIE DE REMISE DU PRIX DU COMMERCE ONTARIO-QUÉBEC EN FRANCOPHONIE
AWARD CEREMONY OF THE PRIX DU COMMERCE ONTARIO-QUÉBEC EN FRANCOPHONIE**

CONFÉRENCIERS

Caroline Mulroney, ministre des Affaires francophones, Ontario (*en personne*)

Sonia LeBel, ministre responsable des Relations canadiennes et de la Francophonie canadienne, Québec (*en personne*)

Dominic Mailloux, président, Fédération des gens d'affaires francophones de l'Ontario (*en personne*)

Charles Milliard, président-directeur général, Fédération des Chambres du Commerce du Québec (*en personne*)

Rocco Rossi, président-directeur général, Chambre de commerce de l'Ontario (OCC) (*en personne*)

14h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with the Government of Ontario

INVESTING SMARTER IN UNCERTAIN TIMES

The past year and a half has been challenging for the economy and disorienting for investors, as we start planning the green relaunch of the economy, the global economic landscape remains uncertain. What were the investing strategies that turned out to be advantageous during the pandemic? Will the green recovery be business as usual – or is there a new and “smarter” way of investing prior to the reboot? What can be done to increase trust and confidence in the market during uncertain times?

INTRODUCTION

Jeff Yurek, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade, Government of Ontario

SPEAKERS

Blake Hutcheson, President and Chief Executive Officer, OMERS

David J. Blumberg, Founder and Managing Partner, Blumberg Capital

Moderated by **Navdeep Bains**, Vice-Chair of Global Investment Banking, CIBC (*in-person*)



14h50

LIGHTNING TALK – Live from Cogeco Studio

Prabmeet Singh Sarkaria, President of the Treasury Board of Ontario, Government of Ontario (*in-person*)

15h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with Desjardins Group

BUILDING RESILIENCE IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY

INTRODUCTION

Marilyn Horrnick, Senior Vice President, Ontario Market, Desjardins Group (*in-person*)

SPEAKERS

Rasha Katabi, Founder & CEO, Brim Financial (*in-person*)

Bruno Colmant, Head of Private Banking, Degroof Petercam

Alifia Doriwala, Managing Director, RockCreek

Moderated by **Perrin Beatty**, President and Chief Executive Officer, Canadian Chamber of Commerce (*in-person*)

16h00

SOMMET DE LA FRANCOPHONIE ÉCONOMIQUE – FORUM – Live from Six Toronto Studio

**L'ÉCOSYSTÈME ENTREPRENEURIAL FÉMININ AU CANADA
WOMEN'S ENTREPRENEURIAL ECOSYSTEM IN CANADA**

La mobilisation des secteurs privé et public est indispensable pour accroître le nombre de femmes entrepreneures et soutenir ainsi l'entrepreneuriat inclusif. Quelles stratégies faut-il mettre en place pour promouvoir l'écosystème entrepreneurial féminin ? Comment garantir une réduction des barrières liées notamment à la formation, au financement et au réseau ? Dans quelle mesure les femmes immigrantes francophones contribuent-elles au PIB, à l'innovation et à notre réussite commune ?

CONFÉRENCIERS

Kelly de Fogain, fondatrice et directrice générale, Afropolitan Canada (*en personne*)

Camille Hebert, professeure adjointe en finance, Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto (*en personne*)

Monique Hébert Bérubé, gestionnaire du développement économique, Société Économique de l'Ontario

Mélissa Deschênes, designer principale, Design de Plume (*en personne*)

Modéré par **Liette Lamonde**, Présidente-directrice générale, Bonjour Startup Montréal

16h00

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

NAVIGATING THE NEW ECONOMY

David McCormick, Chief Executive Officer, Bridgewater Associates

Interviewed by **Jan De Silva**, President & CEO, Toronto Region Board of Trade



16h30

CLOSING FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

ACHIEVING A SUSTAINABLE RECOVERY: THE INSTITUTIONAL INVESTOR RESPONSE

SPEAKER

Matt Whineray, Chief Executive Officer, NZ Super Fund

Interviewed by **Michael Frith**, Chief Economist, New Zealand Superannuation

17h00

PRIVATE RECEPTION – By invitation only – Live from Six Toronto Studio

In collaboration with Invest in Canada

THE ROLE OF FDI IN CANADA'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY POST-COVID 19

SPEAKERS

Katie Curran, Interim CEO, Invest in Canada (*in-person*)

Mitch Garber, Board Chair, Invest in Canada (*in-person*)

Peggy Van De Plassche, Board Member, Invest in Canada, Managing Partner, Roar Growth (*in-person*)



TUESDAY NOVEMBER 9

TRANSPORT, INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENERGY

7h30

BREAKFAST CONVERSATION – Live from Six Toronto Studio

CANADA'S TRANSITION TO A GREENER ECONOMY

SPEAKERS

Jimmy Jean, Vice-President, Strategist and Chief Economist, Desjardins Group (*in-person*)

Interviewed by **Matt Lundy**, Economics Reporter, The Globe and Mail (*in-person*)

8h00

OPENING REMARKS – Live from Cogeco Studio

WELCOMING REMARKS

John M. Beck, Founder and Chairman, Aecon Group Inc. (*in-person – from Toronto*)

Eric Meyer, Head of France, RBC Capital Markets (*in-person – from Paris*)

Presented by **Nicholas Rémillard**, Chief Executive Officer, International Economic Forum of the Americas (IEFA) (*in-person*)

8h20

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Invest in Canada Studio in Paris and Live from Cogeco Studio in Toronto

THE GREEN RECOVERY

SPEAKER

Jean-Pierre Clamadiou, Chairman of the Board, ENGIE (*in-person – from Paris*)

Interviewed by **Doug Turnbull**, Vice-Chairman, Country Head, Canada, DBRS Morningstar (*in-person – from Toronto*)

9h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Invest in Canada Studio in Paris and Live from Cogeco Studio in Toronto

In collaboration with PortsToronto and Instar Asset Management

TRANSFORMING SUSTAINABLE INFRASTRUCTURE

Despite a slowdown in human activities during the pandemic, moving is still important and the infrastructures needed to support these activities must face challenges for growing strong while being sustainable. How can we invest efficiently in the infrastructures of tomorrow? How can infrastructure be sustainable as regard to the environment? Should we redesign the way we see, build and manage infrastructures?

INTRODUCTION

Geoffrey A. Wilson, Chief Executive Officer, PortsToronto (*in-person - from Toronto*)

SPEAKERS

Dick Benschop, President and Chief Executive Officer, Royal Schiphol Group

Laurence Batlle, Chairwoman and Chief Executive Officer, Ratp Dev

Javier Pérez Fortea, Chief Executive Officer, Globalvia

Jean-Louis Servranckx, Chief Executive Officer, Aecon Group

Moderated by **Gregory J. Smith**, President and Chief Executive Officer, Instar Asset Management (*in-person – from Toronto*)



10h00

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Six Toronto Studio

In collaboration with the Ontario Medical Association (OMA)

TOWARDS A DIGITAL HEALTH FUTURE

SPEAKER

Paul Hudson, Chief Executive Officer, Sanofi

Interviewed by **Jeffrey Steiner**, President and Executive Director, Angel Investors Ontario

10h30

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Six Toronto Studio

FINANCIAL LITTERACY AND DIGITAL BANKING

SPEAKER

Dinesh Kumar Khara, Chairman, State Bank of India

Interviewed by **John Yearwood**, Global News Editor, POLITICO

11h00

FORUM 1 (simultaneously) – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with Opportunities New Brunswick (ONB)

SMALL MODULAR REACTORS: THE GOAL TO REACH NET ZERO

Small modular reactors (SMRs) constitute an emerging technology that can create carbon free nuclear power, which can be mass-manufactured, built in a more secure way and provide electricity to remote locations. Is it a viable option to reach energy supply security? Will this new technology open new markets in the developing world? How can SMRs help respond to climate change?

SPEAKERS

Dale Atkinson, Chief Nuclear Officer, Chief Operations Officer, NuScale

Jessica Lovering, Founder, Good Energy Collective

William Cook, Professor & Chair, Dept. of Chemical Engineering; Director, Centre for Nuclear Energy Research, University of New Brunswick (*in-person*)

King Lee, Director Harmony Programme, World Nuclear Association

Moderated by **Martin Lockett**, Business Development Executive Investment Attraction, Opportunities NB (New Brunswick) (*in-person*)



11h00

FORUM 2 (simultaneously) – Live from Six Toronto Studio

THE FUTURE OF EDUCATION IN DIGITAL ECONOMY

Curricula must be updated to build knowledge and skills in areas that are relevant to current and future jobs in G20 countries, according to Business 20 (B20) taskforce latest policy paper on education and employment. What will be the role of education in fostering digital economy? How can the education and private sectors work together to attract and retain a critical mass of talents? What do higher education institutions have to do to produce employable and skilled talent?

INTRODUCTION

Stephen Lecce, Minister of Education, Government of Ontario (*in-person*)

SPEAKERS

Daphne Taras, Dean, Ted Rogers School of Management, Ryerson University (*in-person*)

Stephen Lund, Chief Executive Officer, Toronto Global (*in-person*)

Lise Béland, Vice-President, Centre-Sud-Ouest, Collège Boréal; President, Club canadien de Toronto (*in-person*)

Moderated by **Gary Rabbior**, President, Canadian Foundation for Economic Education (*in-person*)

CONCLUSION

Winston Chan, Co-founder, Young Leaders Circle of the IEFA; and G20-B20 Taskforce Member

12h00

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

COLOMBIA AND THE WORLD

SPEAKERS

Iván Duque Márquez, President of Colombia

Interviewed by **Mairead Lavery**, President and CEO, Export Development Canada

13h10

LIGHTNING TALK – Live from Cogeco Studio

Todd Smith, Minister of Energy, Government of Ontario

13h20

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

ROLE OF NUCLEAR ENERGY TO PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT

SPEAKERS

Mike Rencheck, President and Chief Executive Officer, Bruce Power (*in-person*)

Alexander (Sandy) Taylor, President, Nuclear, SNC-Lavalin (*in-person*)

Interviewed by **Derek Brower**, U.S. Energy Editor, Financial Times

13h50

LIGHTNING TALK – Live from Cogeco Studio

Fred Eisenberger, Mayor, City of Hamilton



14h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with Invest in Canada (IIC)

CHARGING THE FUTURE: ELECTRIFICATION OF TRANSPORTS

The electrification of the transport sector is a rare moment where the future is being decided now, and companies can either take advantage or be left behind. How is electrification transforming public transportation? What is the impact of electrification on global efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions? What do we need to do to seize these transformative opportunities?

SPEAKERS

Emmanuelle Toussaint, Vice-President, Legal, Regulatory & Public Affairs and External Communications, Volvo Group *(in-person)*

Paul Soubry, Chief Executive Officer, New Flyer Industries

Frederick Morency, Vice-President, Energy and Services, Schneider Electric Canada

David Paterson, Vice President, Corporate and Environmental Affairs, General Motors of Canada Company *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Nino Di Cara**, Founder and President, Electric Autonomy Canada *(in-person)*

15h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

HYDROGEN'S NEW MOMENT

Hydrogen is an essential part of the global energy mix if the world is to achieve net-zero emissions by 2050. What are the main applications for hydrogen energy in transportation, household and industrial use? How are governments making hydrogen a strategic priority? What are the next steps to reach widespread usage?

SPEAKERS

KR Sridhar, Chief Executive Officer, Bloom Energy

Aaron Hoskin, Senior Manager, Intergovernmental Initiatives, Natural Resources Canada

Chris Shelton, Senior Vice President, Chief Product Officer and President, AES Next

Moderated by **Seán C. O'Neill**, Partner, McCarthy Tétrault *(in-person)*

16h00

ROUND-TABLE 1 (simultaneously) – **Live from Cogeco Studio**

In collaboration with the City of Brampton

MOVING CLEAN: THE NEW ERA OF GREENER PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

The vast majority of the worldwide population lives in ever-growing cities and urban areas, which makes moving a key feature in our existence and the access, efficiency and environmentally friendly public transportation not a luxury, but a necessity. How can we transform and adapt our cities towards greener public transportation? What policies have to be put into effect to implement those changes? How is the City of Brampton leading such a transformation?

INTRODUCTION

Patrick W. Brown, Mayor of Brampton

SPEAKERS

David Scorey, President and CEO, Keolis North America

Richard Mohr, Global Vice President Fleet, ChargePoint

Sankar Das Gupta, Co-Founder & CEO, ElectroVaya *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Clare Barnett**, Director, Economic Development, City of Brampton *(in-person)*



16h00

ROUND-TABLE 2 (simultaneously) – Live from Six Toronto Studio

In collaboration with Infosys

WHAT ENTERPRISES CAN DO FOR A BETTER WORLD?

Global challenges that we face today on an array of sectors, can only be resolved with the help of private enterprises which oftentimes have more flexibility to put their ideas into action than governments do. How can we describe the role and impact the private sector can have to make the world a better place? How can we rethink the relationship between employers and staff in terms of post-pandemic workplace, work-life balance, and productivity? Can companies lead the way in ESG measures by using their own expertise?

SPEAKERS

Mike Rencheck, President and Chief Executive Officer, Bruce Power *(in-person)*

Murad Al-Katib, President and Chief Executive Officer, AGT Food

Aaron Engen, Vice Chair and Co-Head of the Energy Transition Group, BMO Capital Markets *(in-person)*

Michael Tamblyn, Chief Executive Officer, Rakuten Kobo

Lisa Raitt, Vice-Chair of Global Investment Banking, CIBC *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Robert Asselin**, Senior Vice-President, Policy, Business Council of Canada *(in-person)*

17h00

PLENARY SESSION

In collaboration with Triumphspear

FAMILY OFFICE INVESTMENT STRATEGIES FOR THE FUTURE

Family offices contribute to wealth management by preserving assets, optimizing investments and working towards inheritance planning. What are the main advances that shape and influence the trends followed by family offices in 2021? What has been the impact of COVID-19 on the way family offices operate? How will the economic recovery impact the investments made through family offices? How do family offices adapt to societal changes and move towards sustainable investments?

SPEAKERS

Trevor Maunder, President and CEO, Peerage Capital *(in-person)*

Larisa B. Miller, CEO, Phoenix Global LLC *(in-person)*

Maxime St-Laurent, Founding and Managing Partner, W Investments *(in-person)*

Rotem Hochma, Managing Director and COO, a Single-Family Office

Moderated by **Nick Bakish**, Partner, RMC Group *(in-person)*

18h00

CLOSING FIRESIDE CHAT

WHAT ROLE FOR CANADA IN THE NEW MULTILATERAL ERA

SPEAKER

Bob Rae, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Canada, United Nations

Interviewed by **James Villeneuve**, Senior Business Advisor, Fasken; Former Consul General of Canada to Los Angeles *(in-person)*



WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 10

HEALTH, TECHNOLOGY AND AGRICULTURE

7h30 – 9h00

BREAKFAST SESSION

THE ROAD TO SUSTAINABLE AND INCLUSIVE RECOVERY IN LATIN AMERICA IN A POST COVID WORLD

INTRODUCTION

Michael Thompson, Deputy Mayor, City of Toronto

SPEAKERS

H.E. Josefina Martínez Gramuglia, Ambassador of Argentina to Canada *(in-person)*

H.E. Raúl Fernández Daza, Ambassador of Chile to Canada *(in-person)*

H.E. Jorge Londoño de la Cuesta, Ambassador of Colombia to Canada *(in-person)*

H.E. Mauricio Ortiz Ortiz, Ambassador of Costa Rica to Canada *(in-person)*

H.E. Juan Diego Stacey Moreno, Ambassador of Ecuador to Canada *(in-person)*

H.E. Ricardo Alfonso Cisneros Rodríguez, Ambassador of El Salvador to Canada *(in-person)*

H.E. Roberto Rodríguez Arnillas, Ambassador of Peru to Canada *(in-person)*

H.E. Martín Alejandro Vidal Delgado, Ambassador of Uruguay to Canada *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Joe Clark**, President, Toronto Global Forum *(in-person)*

8h20

LIGHTNING TALK – Live from Cogeco Studio

Joseph Mancinelli, International Vice-President and Regional Manager of Central and Eastern Canada, Laborers' International Union of North America

8h30

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

THE FUTURE OF WORK

SPEAKER

Ravi Kumar S., President, Infosys

Interviewed by **John Yearwood**, Global News Editor, POLITICO *(in-person)*



9h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

ON THE ROAD TO 6G

As 5G networks have provided much faster digital services and enhanced interconnectivity, 6G promises to be the link between the physical and digital worlds that some have been dreaming of for the past decades. What digitalization processes businesses will go through in the next decade with 5G, and how will 6G be different? What can we imagine this bridge between physical and digital worlds will mean for the economy, as more jobs become autonomous? As 6G is still at its research stage, what social priorities should be top of mind?

SPEAKERS

Magnus Frodigh, Vice President and Head of Ericsson Research, Ericsson

Matti Latva-aho, Professor, University of Oulu; Director, 6G Flagship

Mike Nawrocki, Vice President, Technology and Solutions, Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions (ATIS); Managing Director, Next G Alliance

Mikko Uusitalo, Head of Research Department Wireless Advanced Technologies, Nokia Bell Labs; Project Lead, European 6G Flagship Hexa-X

Moderated by **Thomas Park**, Partner, Lead, BDC Deep Tech Fund (*in-person*)

10h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC)

THE THREE PILLARS OF SUSTAINABILITY IN AGRICULTURE

The prospects of a growing human population coupled with the challenges of climate change put our food system under significant pressure. How can we tap into agriculture as a modern and innovative economic driver? Can we leverage this potential and address social and environmental issues like food security, food safety and climate change? What solutions and rising industries exist that benefit the economy and also provide healthy and sustainable food?

SPEAKERS

Lenore Newman, Director, Food and Agriculture Institute, University of Fraser Valley

Evan Fraser, Director, Arrell Food Institute

Susie Miller, Executive Director, Canadian Roundtable for Sustainable Crops

Moderated by **Jean-Charles Le Vallée**, Country Representative, Canada, Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (*in-person*)



11h00

FORUM 1 (simultaneously) – **Live from Cogeco Studio**

In collaboration with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC)

ADVANCING ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY THROUGH NEW TECHNOLOGIES

It would be fair to say that technology is becoming more efficient and more important to our lives and to our work. What are the opportunities offered by new technologies that could help address environmental concerns? In what fields could new technologies be more efficient? How can new technologies help the agricultural sector balance environmental sustainability with economic growth?

SPEAKERS

Daniel McCann, CEO, Precision AI *(in-person)*

Jayson Myers, CEO, Next Generation Manufacturing Canada (NGEN) *(in-person)*

Marc Nantel, Vice President, Research & External Relations, Niagara College Agriculture & Environmental Technologies Centre *(in-person)*

Jonathan Goodkey, Principal, Industrial Innovation Venture Fund, BDC Capital *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Tom Rosser**, Assistant Deputy Minister, Market and Industry Services Branch, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada *(in-person)*

11h00

FORUM 2 (simultaneously) – **Live from Six Toronto Studio**

In collaboration with Ubisoft

ONTARIO'S PLAYGROUND: THE FUTURE OF CANADIAN GAMING

Video game development has been a strategic sector in Canada's growing digital economy for over 25 years, but Ontario is still not yet leading the pack as compared to other provinces. Why has video game development been so successful in Canada? What is the recipe for Ontario to claim a leadership position in this booming industry? How can video game companies boost the province's imprint as a world class location for both technology and entertainment?

INTRODUCTION

Jeff Yurek, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade, Government of Ontario

SPEAKERS

Jean-Sylvain Sormany, President, Snowed In Studios

Dan Ayoub, Vice-President of Canadian Operations, Certain Affinity *(in-person)*

Wilson Ng, Chief Financial Officer, UKEN Games

Julien Lavoie, Director of Corporate Affairs, Ubisoft Toronto *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Lucie Lalumière**, Executive Director, Interactive Ontario *(in-person)*

12h00

FIRESIDE CHAT – **Live from Cogeco Studio**

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION ENCOMPASSING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

Wes Hall, Executive Chairman and Founder, Kingsdale Advisors *(in-person)*

Interviewed by **Michael Thompson**, Deputy Mayor, City of Toronto *(in-person)*



12h30

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC)

WORKING TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

SPEAKER

Beth Bechdol, Deputy Director-General, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)

Interviewed by **Pradnya Joshi**, Editor, Trade and Agriculture, POLITICO

13h20

FIRESIDE CHAT – Live from Cogeco Studio

REIMAGINING PROSPERITY FOR CANADA

SPEAKER

Chrystia Freeland, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, Government of Canada *(in-person)*

Interviewed by **Pierre Pettigrew**, Executive Advisor, International, Deloitte *(in-person)*

Presented by **Doug Turnbull**, Vice-Chairman, Country Head, Canada, DBRS Morningstar *(in-person)*

14h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with the Ontario Medical Association (OMA) and New York Life

THE MUTUAL IMPACTS BETWEEN HEALTH AND THE ECONOMY

The world was reminded in the last year and a half of the fragile and intricate relationship between healthcare and the economy; where international trade and supply chains were disrupted by the health crisis, and in exchange disrupted countries' capacity to respond to the crisis. How has global trade and interdependence been an obstacle for a number of countries to respond to the health crisis? Is the new wave of protectionism upsetting this pattern, or can it help resolve it by bringing self-sufficiency at the forefront? Healthcare emergency and economic contraction has shown and impacted inequalities within our societies; how can we ensure both healthcare and the economic recovery be equally accessible as we exit the crisis?

INTRODUCTION

Jeff Yurek, Parliamentary Assistant to the Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade, Government of Ontario

OPENING REMARKS

Allan O'Dette, Chief Executive Officer, Ontario Medical Association (OMA)

SPEAKERS

Anna Van Poucke, Global Head of Healthcare, KPMG International *(in-person)*

Robert B. Koopman, Chief Economist; and Director of the Economic Research and Statistics Division, World Trade Organization

James Wright, Chief, Economics, Policy and Research, Ontario Medical Association (OMA) *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Trevor Dauphinee**, Chief Executive Officer, Invest Ontario *(in-person)*



14h50

LIGHTNING TALK – Live from Cogeco Studio

Jim Bradley, Niagara Regional Chair

15h00

PLENARY SESSION – Live from Cogeco Studio

In collaboration with the Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency (ACOA)

BLUE OPPORTUNITIES

As we are ever more trying to reconcile the economy and the environment, with sustainable investments and emission targets, the Blue Economy focuses on the largest part of our planet, our oceans, and bodies of water, that can be a source of endless opportunities and drivers of innovation. Are the measures protecting our oceans obstructing this facet of the economy, or can they work together? How can we responsibly take advantage of our bodies of water, which sectors are leading this charge? How can coastal communities best benefit from the opportunities created by the Blue economy?

SPEAKERS

Kendra MacDonald, CEO, Canada's Ocean SuperCluster *(in-person)*

Aleksandra Dragozet, Founder & CEO, Sea Going Green

Donald Grant, Executive Director, Ocean Start Up Project at Innovacorp *(in-person)*

Chris Huskison, Founding Partner, CDL-Atlantic and former CEO and President, Emera Inc. *(in-person)*

Moderated by **Francis P. McGuire**, President, Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency *(in-person)*

16h00

CLOSING REMARKS – Live from Cogeco Studio

SPEAKER

Joe Clark, President, Toronto Global Forum *(in-person)*
