

National EMN Conference

Austria and the Global Competition for Talent – Approaches to the Immigration of (Highly) Qualified Third-Country Nationals

12 June 2013, Albert Schweitzer Haus, Vienna

Agenda

09:30 – 10:00 *Registration*

Moderation: Maria Temesvári, IOM Country Office Vienna

10:00 – 10:15 **WELCOME AND OPENING**

- Peter Webinger, Federal Ministry of the Interior, Austria
- Katerina Kratzmann, IOM Country Office Vienna

10:15 – 11:00 **KEY-NOTE SPEECH**

- Howard Duncan, Metropolis Project, Canada

11:00 – 12:00 **SESSION 1 – PERSPECTIVES ON THE IMMIGRATION OF (HIGHLY) QUALIFIED THIRD-COUNTRY NATIONALS TO AUSTRIA**

- Alfonso Giordano, LUISS University of Rome, European Centre for International Affairs, Italy and Belgium
- Kenan Güngör, difference GmbH, Austria
- Marina Manke, IOM Regional Office Vienna for South-Eastern Europe, Eastern Europe and Central Asia

Questions and discussion

12:00 – 13.15 *Lunch*

13:15 – 14:30 **SESSION 2 – NATIONAL STRATEGIES AND MEASURES IN THE GLOBAL COMPETITION FOR TALENT**

- Richard Jackson, UK Home Office, United Kingdom
- Saskia Koppenberg, IOM Country Office Vienna
- Bernd Parusel, Migrationsverket (*Swedish Migration Board*), Sweden

Questions and discussion



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14:30 – 15:00

Coffee break

15:00 – 16:30

PANEL DISCUSSION – FUTURE PERSPECTIVES ON THE IMMIGRATION OF (HIGHLY) QUALIFIED THIRD-COUNTRY NATIONALS TO AUSTRIA

Moderation: Katerina Kratzmann, IOM Country Office Vienna

- Heinz Fassmann, University of Vienna, Austria
- Petra Gregorits, PGM marketing research consulting, Economic Chamber Vienna, Austria
- Dietmar Hudsky, Federal Ministry of the Interior, Austria
- Heinz Kutrowatz, Federal Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection, Austria
- Ulrich Schuh, Eco Austria, Austria