Date: 20th May 2025 **Venue:** JW Marriott Bucharest Grand Hotel

Bucharest Business Forum 2025

12:00-12:30 – REGISTRATION & WELCOME COFFEE

12:30-14:15 – SECTION 1: SETTING THE SCENE

12:30 - 12:45 Presentation Welcome Remarks

Speaker:

Csanád Csürös, CEO, Property Forum

12:45 - 13:15 Presentation The Global Economy and Romania's New Role as a Schengen Member: Outlook for 2025

Speaker:

Gunter Deuber, Managing Director, Chief Economist & Head of Research, Raiffeisen Bank International AG

13:15 - 13:30 Presentation Balancing Optimism and Uncertainty: Insights from Romanian Business Leaders in 2025

Speaker:

Andrei Cionca, Investor & Co-Founder, Roca

13:30 - 14:15 Panel Capitalizing on Schengen: How To Make Sure Romania Becomes the Next Big Investment Destination?

Chair: **Csanád Csürös**, CEO, Property Forum

Panellists:

Anamaria Cretu, Leasing & Asset Director, EVO Properties

Ramona Eftime, Regional Lead for Tourism, Retail and Property, Europe, IFC

Sebastian Ioniscu, Commercial Director, Corporate Banking & Global Financing, BRD – Groupe Société Générale

Andrei Svoronos, Associate Director / Senior Banker, EBRD

14:15-15:15 – NETWORKING LUNCH

15:15-16:30 – SECTION 2: FOCUS ON LEADERSHIP

15:15 - 15:45 **Presentation** Unlocking the Power of AI: Transforming Business Efficiency for the Future

Speaker:

Alin Nedelcu ACCA, Head of AI Practice & Solutions, Raiffeisen Bank Romania

15:45 - 16:30 **Panel** The Changing Face of Leadership: Managing Diverse and Remote Teams

Chair: **Ana Dumitrache**, Member of the Advisory Board, RICS Romania

Panellists:

Andrei Albulescu, Partner, Stratulat Albulescu Attorneys at Law

Catalina Cibotariu, CEE Chief Compliance Officer & HR Lead, iO Partners

Dumitru Pricop-Cosmeanu, Business Development Manager, TP Romania

Imre-Gustav Vellamaa, Co-Founder, R8 Technologies

16:30-17:00 – NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK

17:00-18:45 – SECTION 3: FOCUS ON ESG

17:00 - 17:15 **Presentation** The Change from ESG to Sustainability and Resilience

Speaker:

Hubert Abt FRICS, CEO, workcloud24

17:15 - 18:00 **Panel** ESG as a Business Imperative: A Roadmap for Romanian Companies

Chair: **Ioana Voinescu**, Head of Sustainability, BCR

Panellists:

Mihnea Cristescu, Project Manager & Sustainability Consultant, Cushman & Wakefield Echinox

Maria Jianu, Leasing Director, Speedwell

Răzvan Nica, Managing Director, BuildGreen, Carbon Tool

Manuela Ozdemir, Project Manager & Regional ESG Ambassador, Skanska

Antoniu Panait, Managing Director, VASTINT Romania

18:00 - 18:45 **Panel** Bucharest 2030: Real Estate Leaders with a Vision for Growth and Sustainability

Chair: **Antoanela Comșa**, Deputy CEO, Global Vision

Panellists:

Mirela Ciovica, Head of Leasing Romania, PPF Real Estate

Anca Merdescu, Head of Investments, Square 7, part of M Core

Cristina Nuță, CFO, Goldbach Group

Alex Skouras, Managing Partner, Alesonor

Victor Terhes, Sales Director, Bellemonde

Tyler Topolinski, Partner and Head of Construction & Engineering, InteRo Property Development

18:45-21:00 – SPRING NETWORKING PARTY 2024: INTRODUCING "THE 50 MOST INFLUENTIAL PEOPLE IN ROMANIAN REAL ESTATE"

Please note that the program is subject to change. Always check the latest online agenda here:

https://www.property-forum.eu/forums/conference-property/bucharest-business-forum-2025/2022/agenda