

EC VIRTUAL WORLDS INITIATIVE – THE INDUSTRIAL METAVERSE

Tuesday 23 January 2024

18h00 Cocktail – 18h30 Roundtable – 19h30 Dinner & Debate Members' Salon, European Parliament

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PROGRAMME

INTRODUCTION BY PARLIAMENTARY HOST

• Maria GRAPINI MEP, Vice Chair Internal Market & Consumer Protection Committee

ROUNDATABLE DINNER DEBATE

- Gaspard Demur, EUROPEAN COMMISSION, DG CNECT Deputy Head of Unit "Digital Transformation of Industrial Ecosystems"
- Szabolcs Szekacs, EUROPEAN COMMISSION, DG GROW Team Leader Digital Industry Team
- Matthieu Worm, SIEMENS, Senior Principal Key Expert
- Axel VOSS MEP, Legal Affairs Committee, Rapporteur "Policy Implications of the Development of Virtual Worlds Civil, Company, Commercial & Intellectual Property Law Issues"
- Dinner & Networking
- Francesco Guerzoni, ORGALIM Europe's Technology Industries, Senior Adviser Digital & Legal
- Giles Dickson, WINDEUROPE, CEO
- Dr. Jakob Greiner, DEUTSCHE TELEKOM AG, Vice President European Affairs
- Dr. Christina DIENHART, RWTH AACHEN UNIVERSITY, Assistant Professor

INFORMAL RESPONSE BY THE COMMISSION

- Gaspard Demur, EUROPEAN COMMISSION, DG CNECT Deputy Head of Unit "Digital Transformation of Industrial Ecosystems",
- CLOSING REMARKS
- Antony Fell, EUROPEAN FORUM FOR MANUFACTURING, Secretary General