

The Fourth Belt and Road Initiative Tax Administration Cooperation Forum (BRITACOF)

11-13 September 2023 Sheraton Grand Tbilisi Metechi Palace (Georgian Time, UTC+4)

English, French, Arabic, Russian, Farsi, and Chinese simultaneous interpretation will be provided.

11 September 2023

Council Meeting (Member only)

Time: 9:00 - 9:40

Venue: Tetnuldi, Sheraton Grand Tbilisi Metechi Palace

Plenary Meeting Venue: Shkhara & Ushba. Sheraton Grand Tbilisi Metechi Palace

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	Opening Ceremony
	Host: Mr. Samson Uridia, Head of the Department for International Relations of Revenue Service of Georgia
10:00-10:15	Welcome Address
	· Mr. Lasha Khutsishvili - GE
	Minister of Finance of Georgia
10:15-10:25	Update of the BRITACOM
	· Mr. Wang Daoshu - CHS
	Executive Secretary of BRITACOM Secretariat, Deputy Commissioner of State Taxation Administration of China
10:25-10:35	Update of the BRITACEG
	· Mr. Iong Kong Leong - EN
	Director of BRITACEG, Director of Financial Services Bureau of Macao, China
10:35-11:05	Keynote Speeches
	· Mrs. Amel ABDELLATIF - AR
	General Director of Taxes of Algeria
	· Mr. Wang Jun - CHS
	Commissioner of State Taxation Administration of China
11:05-11:15	Group Photo and Coffee Break
	Topic 1 Overall Planning of Improving Tax Environment
11:15-11:20	Moderator - Ms. Meng Yuying - EN
	Director General of International Taxation Department of State Taxation Administration of China
11:20-12:20	Keynote Speeches
	· Mr. Edward Kieswetter - EN
	Commissioner of South African Revenue Service (video)

Div ision Chief, Revenue Administration Division 1, Fiscal Affairs Department, International Monetary Fund (IMF)

· Ms. Debra Adams - EN

· Mr. Daniel A.Witt - EN

President, International Tax and Investment Center (ITIC)

· Mr. Jeremy Choi - EN

President of Asia Oceania Tax Consultant's Association (AOTCA)

12:20-14:30 ♦ Lunch (Venue: main restaurant on the ground floor)

Topic 2 Transparency of Tax Regulations and Tax Administration

14:30-14:35 ♦ Moderator - Mr. Christopher Sanger - EN

EY Global Government and Risk Tax Leader

14:35-15:35 ♦ Keynote Speeches

· Mr. TAM Tai-pang - EN

Commissioner, Inland Revenue Department of Hong Kong, China

· Mr. Kairat Miyatov - RU

Deputy Chairman of State Revenue Committee of Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan

· Ms. Varsha Singh - EN

Head, Strategy Planning & International Cooperation, ATAF (video)

· Mr. Christopher Sanger - EN

EY Global Government and Risk Tax Leader

15:35-15:55 ♦ Panel Discussion

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Panelists

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Commissioner, Inland Revenue Department of Hong Kong, China

· Mrs. Milka Lukač - EN

Head of International Cooperation and Exchange of Information Department, Tax Administration of the Republic of Serbia

· Ms. Debra Adams - EN

Division Chief, Revenue Administration Division 1, Fiscal Affairs Department, International Monetary Fund (IMF)

15:55-16:15 Coffee Break

Topic 3 Reducing Tax Burden

16:15-16:20 Moderator - Mr. Edwin Visser - EN

Dep. Global Tax Policy Leader of PwC

16:20-17:05 ♦ Keynote Speeches

 \cdot Mr. Mohand AMEUR - AR Deputy Director of Taxes of Algeria

· Mr. Arsena Tevdorashvili - EN

Deputy Head of Division at Analytical Department of the Revenue Service of Georgia

 \cdot Mr. Edwin Visser - EN

Dep. Global Tax Policy Leader of PwC

17:05-17:25 ♦ Panel Discussion

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· Dr. Esther A.P. Koisin - EN

Chair of SGATAR Taskforce, Director of International Taxation Department of Inland Revenue Board of Malaysia

· Mr. Arsena Tevdorashvili - EN

Deputy Head of Division at Analytical Department of the Revenue Service of Georgia

18:00-22:00 ♦ Welcome Reception

Venue: ATI Rooftop Restaurant - on the 10th floor

12 September 2023

Plenary Meeting Venue: Shkhara & Ushba, Sheraton Grand Tbilisi Metechi Palace

Topic 4 Streamlining Tax Compliance

09:30-09:35 ♦ Moderator - Mr. Babatunde Oladapo - EN

Executive Secretary, West African Tax Administration Forum (WATAF)

09:35-11:05 ♦ Keynote Speeches

· Dr. Seyed Mohammad Hadi Sobhanian - FA

President, Iranian National Tax Administration

· Mr. Tiago Cordeiro dos Santos - EN

Member of the Board of Directors, Angola Revenue Administration

· Mr. Ashot Muradyan - EN

Deputy Chairman of State Revenue Committee of the Republic of Armenia

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Assistant Commissioner of Inland Revenue Authority of Singapore

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· Mr. Grant Wardell-Johnson - EN

KPMG Global Tax Policy Leader

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11:25-12:00 **♦** Panel Discussion

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Topic 5 Information Technology and Tax Environment Improvement

14:00-14:05 Moderator - Mr. Santiago Diaz de Sarralde Miguez - EN

Tax Studies and Research Director of Inter-American Center of Tax Administrations (CIAT)

14:05-15:20 ♦ Keynote Speeches

 \cdot Mr. Iwan Djuniardi - EN

Assistant to the Minister of Finance for Tax Regulation and Law Enforcement, Indonesia

· Mr. Solehzoda Ayubjon Maruf - RU

First Deputy Chairman of the Tax committee under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan

· Ms. Lika Chopuryan - EN

Main Specialist at Methodology Department of Revenue Service of Georgia

· Mr. Omar Almoosa - EN

Director of E-Invoicing Program in the Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority (ZATCA) of Saudi Arabia

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· Ms. Aili Nurk - EN

Global VAT Policy Expert at Huawei

15:50-16:10 **♦** Coffee Break

Topic 6 Dispute Resolution Mechanism and Tax Environment Improvement

16:10-16:15

Moderator - Mr. Albert Baker - EN

Global Tax Policy Leader Deloitte

16:15-17:15 ♦ Keynote Speeches

· Ms. Sara Al Habshi - EN

Executive Director of Tax Compliance Sector of the Federal Tax Authority, the United Arab Emirates

· Mr. Victor van Kommer - EN

Director of Tax Services and Board Member of International Bureau of Fiscal Documentation (IBFD)

· Mr. Albert Baker - EN

Global Tax Policy Leader Deloitte

· Mr. Daniele Troisi - EN

Director of Global Tax Policy & Certainty at Huawei

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Business and Industry Tax Dialogue Improving Tax Environment—A Business and Industry Perspective

10:00-10:05 Moderator - Mr. Christian Kaeser - EN

Emeritus Chair of ICC Tax Commission, Global Head of Tax of Siemens

10:05-10:30 ♦ Keynote Speeches

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Emeritus Chair of ICC Tax Commission, Global Head of Tax of Siemens

· Mr. Michael Lennard - EN

Chief of International Tax Cooperation and Trade in the Financing for Development Office (FfDO) of the

United Nations (video)

10:30-11:00 ♦ Panel Discussion

Moderator

· Mr. Christian Kaeser - EN

Emeritus Chair of ICC Tax Commission, Global Head of Tax of Siemens

Panelists

· Mr. Dirgha Raj Mainali - EN

Director General of the Inland Revenue Department, Nepal

· Mr. Jeremy Choi - EN

President of Asia Oceania Tax Consultant's Association (AOTCA)

· Mr. Clive Baxter - EN

Head of Tax Policy, Huawei Global Finance (UK) Ltd

· Mr. Ma Long - EN

China Tax Policy Services Leader of PwC

11:00-11:20 Coffee Break

Closing Ceremony

Host: Mr. Samson Uridia, Head of the Department for International Relations of Revenue Service of Georgia

11:20-11:35 Release of the 4th BRITACOF Outcomes

· Mr. Wang Daoshu - CHS

Executive Secretary of BRITACOM Secretariat, Deputy Commissioner of State Taxation

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11:35-11:40 Announcement about the 5th BRITACOF

· Mr. Wang Daoshu - CHS

Executive Secretary of BRITACOM Secretariat, Deputy Commissioner of State Taxation

Administration of China

11:40-11:45 Flag Handover

Remarks by the Host of the 5th BRITACOF

Short Video

11:45-12:00 • Closing Address

· Mr. Paata Kiladze - GE

Deputy Head of Revenue Service of Georgia

12:00-14:00 ♦ Lunch (Venue: main restaurant on the ground floor)

14:00-17:30 Free Time

17:30-22:00

■ Gala Dinner (Venue: Restaurant "Theater")