

GLOBAL TRANSPORT DEVELOPMENT VISION

FUTURE CHALLENGES

Annual international conference of SJSC “Latvijas dzelzceļš” (Latvian Railways)
September 14, 2016

Venue: Radisson Blu Hotel Latvija, hall “Omega”, Riga, Latvia

Agenda

- 13.30 Opening of the conference
Māris Kučinskis, Prime Minister of the Republic of Latvia
Uldis Augulis, Minister of Transport of the Republic of Latvia
Edvīns Bērziņš, President of SJSC “Latvijas dzelzceļš”
- 14.00 William J. Bernstein, investment and financial markets expert, author of bestseller books „The Birth of Plenty” and „A Splendid Exchange”, USA
“The Effects of Trade on World Development. Future Visions”
- 14.40 Dr. Ian Pearson, influential futurist, more than 1,600 inventions, speaker at 1,000+ conferences and forums, UK
“The Future of Global Infrastructure and Civilisation”
- 15.20 Dr.habil.sc.ing. Igors Kabaškins, Professor at the Transport and Telecommunication Institute, President of the Latvian Transport Development and Education Association, Committee Member at the Joint OECD/ITF Transport Research Centre, Latvia
“Challenges in global logistics. Change in mindset”
- 16.00 Coffee break
- 16.30 Dr.oec. Yuri Shcherbanin, Head of the Analysis Lab of the Transport and Logistics System at the Institute of Economic Predictions of the Russian Academy of Science
“Influence of external factors on development of the Russian economy: Transport 2030”
- 17.10 Henk van Dieren, CEO of Samskip van Dieren Multimodal BV, the Netherlands
“Latvia - the logical gateway from China to Scandinavia”
- 17.45 Reception in honour of 155 years of railway in Latvia