

European Blockchain Summit 2018

April 11, 2018

Brdo Congress Centre
Brdo near Kranj, Slovenia

PROGRAM

09:00 – 10:00

Registration & Reception

10:00 – 10:20

Welcoming Speeches

dr. Miro Cerar, Prime Minister of the Republic of Slovenia

Tanja Bivic, President of Blockchain Alliance Europe

Jeffrey Pullicino Orlando, Executive Chairman of the Malta Council for Science and Technology, Republic of Malta

Zdravko Počivalšek, Minister of Economic Development and Technology, Republic of Slovenia

dr. Pierre-Yves Fux, Ambassador of Switzerland in the Republic of Slovenia

10:20 – 11:00

Keynote Speech

Damir Yandrich, ConsenSys, Managing Director CE Europe
(3 min intro)

Joseph Lubin, Founder of ConsenSys & Co-founder of Ethereum

11:00 – 11:30

Blockchain Europe Initiatives

Tadej Slapnik, State Secretary, Republic of Slovenia: *Initiative Blockchain Europe*

Representative of Republic of Malta and **Holm Keller**, kENUP Foundation:
European Research Infrastructure Consortium (ERIC) for Blockchain Technologies

Spyridon Pilos, Principal Manager, Information Workplace and Innovation,
European Court of Auditors: *Enabling EU audit using blockchain technologies*

11:30 – 12:00

Coffee Break

12:00 – 12:50

1st Panel - Blockchain & ICO Regulation

Moderator: **Jürgen Laartz**, Special Advisor to kENUP Foundation on the Digital Economy

Panelists:

Jeffrey Pullicino Orlando, Executive Chairman of the Malta Council for Science and Technology, Republic of Malta

Tilen Božič, State Secretary, Ministry of Finance, Republic of Slovenia

Ralf Glabischnig, Crypto Valley Labs, Zug, Switzerland

Nejc Novak, Blockchain Think Tank, Slovenia

Denis Avrilionis, Compellio, Luxembourg

12:50 – 13:45

2nd Panel - Blockchain Applicability

Holm Keller, kENUP Foundation & MusicNOW

Imogen Heap, Musician, 2-time Grammy Award Winner and founder of Mycelia Creative Passport

Sam Cassat, CSO of ConsenSys: *Ethereum Applications for Social Impact*

Nino Vang, Co-founder of LedgerState: *Government & Citizen Services on Blockchain*

Richard Schaeffer, Chairmain of NYMEX/COMEX: *Blockchain in Finance*

Bobby Prasad, WEF Expert, Chief Medical Officer: *Blockchain in Medicine*

Francisco Angel Garcia Rodriguez, CTO at YOTI: *Biometrics on Blockchain*

13:45 – 14:45

Lunch Break

14:45 – 15:40

3rd Panel - EU Funding Opportunities for Blockchain

Moderator: **Holm Keller**, kENUP Foundation

Panelists:

Jussi Hätönen, Head of Growth Capital unit at European Investment Bank

Stefan Klauser, ETH Zurich

Pierre Marro, DG Connect, Department for digital single market, EU Commission

Zenel Batagelj, Cofound.it

15:40 – 16:00

EU Blockchain Summit 2018 Conclusions

16:00 – 18:00

Organized visit of the monument devoted to blockchain technology in Kranj and reception at the Municipality of Kranj