2nd Hamburg Business Forum Turkey

*A strong partnership for stable business activities*

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Hamburg Chamber of Commerce

The conference will be held in English.

**Programme**
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With the kind support of:
11.30 a.m. Registration and reception with coffee and pastries.

12.00-12.45 a.m. **Opening and Words of Welcome**
- Dr. Jens Peter Breitengroß, Vice President, Hamburg Chamber of Commerce
- Adelheid Sailer-Schuster, President EMA e.V.
- Martin Köppen, Head of Department for Business Development, International Business Relations and Agriculture, Public Authority of Economy, Transport and Innovation Hamburg
- Mehmet Fatih Ak, Consul General of the Republic of Turkey in Hamburg

12.45-01.30 p.m. **Session 1: Current Socioeconomic Developments in Turkey**
- Prof. Dr. Rita Süssmuth, Former Bundestag President and President of the German University Consortium of the German-Turkish University in Istanbul
  “The German-Turkish University in Istanbul”
- Kemal Erimtan, President of the German-Turkish Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Istanbul
  “German Companies in Turkey. Status Quo and Opportunities.”
- Ole von Beust, Senior Advisor, Republic of Turkey Prime Ministry Investment Support and Promotion Agency (ISPAT), Istanbul
  “Turkey as an Investment Location in the Light of Current Political Developments”

01.30-02.30 p.m. Coffee break and b2b exchange

02.30-04.00 p.m. **Session 2: Framework for Successful Business Activities in Turkey**
- Bekir Polat, Senior Project Director, Investment Support and Promotion Agency Turkey (ISPAT), Istanbul
  “Investment Environment of Turkey”
- Suzan Karakivrak, Legal Consultant, Head of German Desk, AC & Coll. Law Office and Business Consulting, Istanbul
  “Possibilities for Economic Activities in Turkey. Do’s and Don’ts in the Companies’ Development.”
- Jan Erik Schulien, Head Hydro Investments, Aquila Capital, Hamburg
- Dr. Willem Schoeber, Chairman of the Board of Directors, EWE Turkey Holding A.Ş, Istanbul
  “Development of EWE’s Business in Turkey”

04.00-04.30 p.m. Coffee break and b2b exchange
**Session 3: Testimonials and Panel Discussion**

*Testimonials and progress reports by experts and discussion with the panelists and audience*

- Mustafa Baltaci, Executive Vice President, Borsa İstanbul and Secretary General, Federation of Euroasian Stock Exchanges (FEAS), Istanbul
  “Turkish Economy, Capital Markets and Borsa İstanbul”
- Holger Kreetz, Representative of E.ON SE, Düsseldorf
  “E.ON’s Investment in Turkey and First Lessons Learned”
- Kemal Kafadar, Senior Advisor, Investment Support and Promotion Agency Turkey (ISPAT), Istanbul
  “Concrete Examples of Responsibilities and Support Areas of ISPAT”

06.00 p.m.  
End of the program

Chairman: Michael Pfeiffer, Former Chief Executive, GTAI Germany Trade and Invest, and Member of the EMA Board

07.30 p.m.  
**Business Dinner***

*separate registration necessary*