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**Note:** The event will be held in English, and no simultaneous translation will be provided.

08.15 - 09.00	<b>Registration</b>	
09.00 – 09.20	<b>Opening remarks</b> <b>Karlheinz Kopf</b> , Secretary General of the Austrian Federal Economic Chamber <b>Mats Lundin</b> , Chairman of the EUEA Board <b>Dr. Vasyl Khymynets</b> , H.E. Ambassador of Ukraine to Austria	
09.20 – 09.40	<b>Presentation on Ukraine Facility and its role in reconstruction</b> <b>Gabriel Blanc</b> , Team Leader, Reconstruction of Ukraine, DG NEAR - Directorate E, European Commission (Online)	
09.40 – 11.00	<b>Opening panel</b> <b>Lessons learnt for Ukraine’s energy and infrastructure sector through almost 3 years of full-scale war</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.5 years of resilience and lessons learned for going forward</li> <li>• Donor coordination, going beyond emergency repairs</li> <li>• Ukraine investment strategies - what went wrong and needs to be fixed</li> <li>• Making realistic short- and mid-term priorities for policy changes</li> </ul> <b>Moderator: Giuseppe Grimaldi</b> , Associate Director - Senior Economist, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development  <b>Representative of UNIDO</b> <b>Vasyl Shkurakov</b> , First Deputy Minister for Communities and Territories Development of Ukraine, Member of the Supervisory Board of Ukrhydroenergo <b>Ádám Balogh</b> , Head of Ukraine Support Task Force Unit, Energy Community Secretariat <b>Oleksii Parkhomchuk</b> , Investment Director, Investment Fund for Developing Countries (tbc)	
11:00 – 11:10	<b>Supported Charity Address</b> <b>Yurii Kubrushko</b> , Co-Founder of Leleka Foundation	
11.10 – 11.40	<b>Coffee break</b>	
11.40 – 13.10	<b>Reconstruction and energy efficiency Panel 1A</b>  <b>Practical Implementation of Reconstruction: Addressing Existing Challenges and Solutions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Implementation cycle of reconstruction projects: what can be improved</li> <li>• Ensuring sustainability throughout reconstruction process: case study for costs and timing</li> <li>• Integrating renewable energy technologies into infrastructure <i>now</i></li> </ul> <b>Moderator: Olena Rybak</b> , Managing Director at iC consulenten, Member of the Board, EUEA  “Making investments work for Ukraine: experience of working with communities” -	<b>Renewables Panel 1B</b>  <b>Developing a long-term view during uncertain times</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Repairs vs Long-term Investment Planning</li> <li>• Self-Consumption vs Utility Size RES</li> <li>• Regulatory Framework for Financing New Projects</li> </ul> <b>Moderator: Dirk Buschle</b> , Partner in charge, BBH Group  <b>Inna Sovsun</b> , Member of the Ukrainian Parliament, Parliamentary Energy Committee <b>Yurii Vlasenko</b> , Head of National Commission for State Regulation of Energy and Public Utilities (tbc) <b>Oleksii Brecht</b> , Acting Chairman of the Management Board NPC “Ukrenergo” (tbc)

	<p><b>Julia Shevchuk</b>, Chief Investment Advisor, NEFCO (online)</p> <p>“Reforms, education, communities as pre-requisite for Ukraine's greener future” - <b>Dr. Ima Khrenova-Shymkina</b>, Project Manager, GIZ</p> <p>“Renewable energy in district heating and green certification of buildings making impact” – <b>Andreas Helbl</b>, Managing Director, CES clean energy solutions</p> <p>“SMARTER – why increased sustainability standards positively contribute to affordability” – <b>SMARTER for EU programme</b></p>	<p><b>Nadiia Petruchenko</b>, Chief Business Officer, SPP Development Ukraine</p> <p><b>Mykhaylo Chulkov</b>, Executive Director, EuroCape New Energy</p> <p><b>Victoriia Pysmenna</b>, General Counsel, Elementum Energy</p> <p><b>Yurii Kubrushko</b>, Co-founder, IMEPOWER and Green Recovery Fund</p>
13.10 -14.00	<b>Lunch</b>	
14.00 – 15.30	<p><b>Reconstruction and energy efficiency Panel 2A</b></p> <p><b>Building back better – opportunities and challenges on the way:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fast track solutions with “do no significant harm”</li> <li>• Practical timelines and challenges</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Georg Weingartner</b>, Austrian Commercial Counsellor in Ukraine</p> <p>“Green energy solutions for municipalities (as example for the country)” - <b>Andree Böhling</b>, Energy Expert, Greenpeace</p> <p><b>Serhiy Porovskyy</b>, Principal Expert on Energy Efficiency Financing and Policy, UNIDO</p> <p>“Opportunities for implementing NZEB technologies in reconstruction in Ukraine” - <b>Tetiana Boyko</b>, Housing and energy programmes coordinator, the Civil Network OPORA</p> <p>“Reconstruction of residential sector in Bucha” – <b>Pavel Bilek</b>, Deputy Head of Energy and Climate Policy at Berlin Economics</p>	<p><b>Renewables Panel 2B</b></p> <p><b>Financing new RES projects &amp; Risk Mitigation:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Available options for financing and de-risking new RES projects</li> <li>• Obstacles for receiving the funding</li> <li>• Possible Solutions for Overcoming Financing Obstacles</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Oleksandr Romanishyn</b>, Strategy Director, RAZOM We Stand</p> <p><b>Oleksii Sobolev</b>, First Deputy Minister of Economy of Ukraine (tbc)</p> <p><b>Polina Korchak</b>, Head of Finance, DTEK Renewables</p> <p><b>Representative of ECA</b></p> <p><b>Katarzyna Rozesłaniec</b>, Expert for International Partnerships, Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego (tbc)</p> <p><b>Vyacheslav Hordiyenko</b>, Investment Officer, International Finance Corporation</p> <p><b>Oleksandr Melnyk</b>, Partner, Head of Corporate Law and M&amp;A practice, GOLAW</p>
15.30 – 16.00	<b>Coffee break</b>	
16.00 – 17.30	<b>“Donors Marathon” - brief presentations of donors’ initiatives, challenges and lessons learnt for greener and faster reconstruction</b>	
17.30	<b>Closing remarks</b> <b>Anastasiia Vereshchynska</b> , Director, EUEA	
18.00 – 21.00	<b>Reception on the occasion of the 15th Anniversary of EUEA</b>	

\*The agenda is indicative and changes in precise timing or speakers list may apply