

Investing in Eurasia's Next Chapter

14 January 2027, Vienna

08.00-09.00	Registration and Coffee
09.00-09.10	Financial Times Welcome: Financial Times
Setting the Scene	
09.10-09.20	Opening Keynote: Türkiye
09.20-10.05	Panel I: The Next Frontier for Global Capital How is the region repositioning itself amid shifting geopolitical and economic dynamics? Examining macroeconomic resilience, investment trends, demographic advantages, and the policy priorities shaping the region's appeal to international investors.
10.05-10.50	Panel II: Debt Capital Markets: Eurasia's Bond Opportunity As international investor interest in the region's debt markets grows, how can governments and businesses capitalise on the momentum? Exploring sovereign and corporate bond issuance, investor appetite, credit ratings, and the continued development of debt markets.
Country Focus Sessions	
10.50-11.20	Coffee
11.20-11.35	Special Focus Keynote: Introduction to Uzbekistan
11.35-11.55	Interview: Franklin Templeton Speaker: Marius Dan - CEO, Central Asia, Templeton Global Investments
11.55-12.40	Panel III: Unlocking Investment: Privatisation, PPPs, and Strategic Sectors Uzbekistan is demonstrating how privatisation, IPOs and public-private partnerships can unlock international investment. What lessons can other countries draw from its experience, and where are the next opportunities across infrastructure, industry and state-owned enterprises?
12.40-13.30	Lunch
13.30-13.45	Special Focus Keynote: Introduction to Azerbaijan
13.45-14.30	Panel IV: Creating Value Beyond Extraction: Powering the Next Economy Azerbaijan's economy has long been built on oil & gas, but sustaining long-term growth will require a broader investment model. How can investment in

	downstream industries, energy infrastructure, renewables and industrial value chains help create greater value from the country's energy strengths while supporting economic diversification?
14.30-14.45	Special Focus Keynote: Introduction to Kazakhstan
14.45-15.30	Panel V: The Future of Finance: Building a Modern Ecosystem Kazakhstan is leading the region in digital banking, fintech, and capital market development. How can governments, regulators, and financial institutions work together to deepen local capital markets, strengthen regulatory frameworks, expand retail investor participation and support the next generation of financial innovation?
15.30-16.00	Coffee
16.00-16.15	Special Focus Keynote: Introduction to Armenia Speaker: H.E. Martin Galstyan - Governor of the Central Bank of Armenia
16.15-17.00	Panel VI: Innovating for Growth: Scaling the Tech Opportunity Armenia is emerging as a regional centre for technology, entrepreneurship and innovation. How can investment in AI, startups, digital infrastructure and talent help position the country as a leading innovation hub connecting Eurasia, the Middle East, and Europe?
Cross-Regional Closer	
17.00-17.45	Panel VII: The Eurasian Bridge: Building the Next Strategic Trade Route How will the Middle Corridor, TRIPP, border infrastructure, ports, rail, and logistics investment reshape trade between Eurasia, the Middle East, Asia, and Europe? What investment is still needed to realise its full potential?
17.50	Close of Conference