

FIU CONFERENCE ON CRYPTO ASSETS: SHAPING THE FUTURE FRAMEWORK

18 May 2023 | National Library of Latvia, Rīga, Mūkusalas Street 3

8.30 - 9.00	REGISTRATION
9.00 – 9.05	OPENING REMARKS Toms Platacis, Acting Head of the FIU Latvia
9.05 – 9.15	HONORARY ADDRESS Kristīne Černaja-Mežmale, Member of the Council, Bank of Latvia
9.15 – 9.45	NECESSITY OF CRYPTO ASSETS REGULATION Dr Jonathan Galea, CEO, BCAS
9.45 – 10.15	FIRESIDE CHAT: EU POLICY ON CRYPTO ASSETS Janet Ho, Head of EU policy, Chainalysis Interviewer: Paulis Iļjenkovs, Head of Strategic Analysis Division, FIU Latvia
10.15 – 10.50	COFFEE BREAK
10.50 – 12.00	CRYPTO ASSETS POLICIES AROUND THE WORLD Uldis Cērps, Advisor, Central Bank of the United Arab Emirates Ksenija Korolova, Product Manager, Crypto Finance Group, Switzerland Michal Gromek, Virtual asset expert of OSCE, Co-chair of the Digital Asset Task Force, Global Coalition to Fight Financial Crime Moderator: Janet Ho, Head of EU policy, Chainalysis
12.00 – 13.00	LUNCH BREAK
13.00 – 14.00	SUPERVISION OF CASPs: BEST PRACTICES AND LESSONS LEARNED Dr Lisa Cameron MP, Chair of the All Party Parliamentary Cryptocurrency Group, House of Commons, UK Matis Maeker, Head of the FIU Estonia Ariun Bold, Senior supervisor, Financial Information Unit, Mongolia Jose Enrique De Pool Miqui, Director, Dominican Republic Bank Superintendence Moderator: Eleonora Bušmane-Zvaigzne, Chief supervisory expert in Finance innovation, Bank of Latvia
14.00 – 15.00	PRE-REQUISITES TO CHOOSE THE JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION: CASP VIEW Karolis Jonuska, Senior Legal counsel for Nordics, Baltics and CEE, Binance Dejan Davidovic, Group COO, Kriptomat Group Mārtiņš Puķe, Chief Legal Officer, Gravity Team

Moderator: Reinis Znotiņš, Latvian Blockchain Association



15.00 - 15.30 COFFEE BREAK

15.30 – 16.30 RISKS AND OPPORTUNITIES OF WORKING WITH CRYPTO ASSETS

Jurgen Repolusk, Head of AML Research & Projects, Erste Bank, Austria

Laima Letina, Advisor, Finance Latvia Association

Andres Kitter, Head of Banking Services, Member of the Management Board. LHV Bank

Howard Rawstron, Head of Economic Crime Risk Management Framework Team, Lloyds Banking Group

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16.30 – 17.00 LATVIA'S FUTURE CRYPTO ASSETS FRAMEWORK

Aija Zitcere, Director of Financial Market Policy Department, Ministry of Finance of Republic of Latvia

Daina Ispodkina, Financial Services Counsellor, Ministry of Finance of Republic of Latvia

17.00 - 17.10 CONCLUDING REMARKS

Toms Platacis, Acting Head of the Financial Intelligence Unit of Latvia

17.10 NETWORKING EVENT featuring a special performance by **KIWIE** - an accomplished Latvian street artist and a trailblazer in the world of NFTs