

Conference

Screening Shadow Economies: From Causes to Policy Strategies

24 November 2015

Radisson Blu, Konstitucijos pr. 20, Vilnius

- 8:30-9:00 Registration
- 9:00-9:10 Welcome address
Žilvinas Šilėnas, President, Lithuanian Free Market Institute
- 9:10-9:50 Keynote
Shadow Economies: What's New in Central and Eastern Europe?
Dr. Friedrich Schneider, Johannes Kepler University of Linz
- 9:50-10:20 Panel 1
Public Perceptions and the Size of Shadow Economies: Baltics and Neighbours
Vytautas Žukauskas, Vice-President, Lithuanian Free Market Institute
- 10:20-11:20 Panel 1 Discussion: ***What Are the Key Drivers of the Shadow Economy?***

Aleksander Łaszek, Civil Development Forum FOR, Poland
Alexei Pikulik, Belarusian Institute for Strategic Studies, Belarus
Jesper Ahlgren, TIMBRO, Sweden
Robert Mürsepp, Mises Institute, Estonia

Moderator Vytautas Žukauskas, Vice-President, Lithuanian Free Market Institute
- 11:20-11:40 **Coffee break**
- 11:40-12:00 Panel 2
Lithuanian Strategy to Fight the Shadow Economy
Alminas Mačiulis, Chancellor of the Government, Republic of Lithuania
- 12:00-13:00 Panel 2 Discussion: ***Ways to Make a Difference***

Alminas Mačiulis, Chancellor of the Government, Republic of Lithuania
Dainoras Bradauskas, Head of State Tax Inspectorate
Dr. Friedrich Schneider, Johannes Kepler University of Linz
Nerijus Genys, Head of Economic Crime and Corruption Prevention Unit, Government of the Republic of Lithuania
Nerijus Mačiulis, Chief Economist, Swedbank
Rūta Skyrienė, Executive Director, Inverstors' Forum

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