



Outline

The 31ST ECONOMIC FORUM

"Europe in the Face of New Challenges"



6-8 September 2022

KARPACZ



“Europe in the Face of New Challenges”

In a world dominated by the Covid-19 pandemic and tired of dealing with its economic and social consequences, there is no shortage of new challenges that are already slowly pushing aside those related to the equal distribution of vaccines or the unification of certification rules.

The increasingly unstable situation in the eastern part of Europe, and in particular the war in Ukraine, could affect the future of the entire continent, and raises the question of what action the EU Member States can take to ensure security. The still growing number of over 5 million refugees who have arrived in the Union from Ukraine and the need of effective assistance to them is another test for the Community.

Europe faces a major challenge in diversifying its energy sources. In the light of the ambitious guidelines of the 'Fit for 55' package, reducing greenhouse gases and achieving climate neutrality, which is extremely important for future generations, may have devastating economic, political and, paradoxically, environmental consequences for the Old Continent. Particularly considering the energy tensions with Russia and the gigantic rise of China in this field.

Is Europe capable of speaking with a common voice to maintain its position on the international stage? What is Europe's position in the world today? Is it still possible to shape a post-pandemic world together?

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The 31st Economic Forum will be held on 6–8 September 2022 in Karpacz.

The Economic Forum organized by the **Foundation Institute for Eastern Studies** is the largest conference in Central and Eastern Europe. For 30 years now, the Forum has gathered political, economic and social leaders from over 60 countries around the world.

The Economic Forum serves as a platform owing to which the most important figures in European politics and economy can exchange their views. The characteristic atmosphere of the Forum, resulting in its many years' existence, favours the development of cooperation between the Member States of the European Union and their neighbours. Each year important declarations are made during the Forum, which is why the sessions attract the media from all over the world the most, as well as their effects are echoed among experts long after the Forum's closure.

The programme of the Economic Forum includes over 300 debates, 6 plenary sessions, conversations with the most important guests, workshops and presentations.

Thematic tracks proposed this year will cover the following topics:

- Business and Management
- Cybersecurity Forum
- Energy Forum
- Europe and the World
- Europe of the Carpathians
- Healthcare Forum
- Innovations Forum
- International Politics
- Investments and Development
- Media and Communication
- New Economy
- Polish Community Economic Forum
- Regions Forum
- Security Forum
- Society
- Sustainable Development
- Ukrainian Forum



conference days

3



debates

300+



guests

4000+



Events of the Forum

The following thematic paths have a permanent and well-established position in the Economic Forum program:

Healthcare Forum

For over 11 years, it has enabled the exchange of experiences and the presentation of the new ideas for managing and financing the health protection system, showing how important this aspect is in the public debate.

Regions Forum

Since 2007, it has been an integral part of the Economic Forum. It is a platform for the exchange of views and a meeting place for leaders of local governments and regional elites from Central and Eastern Europe with the business and scientific community.

Europe of the Carpathians

Organized as part of the Economic Forum together with the Sejm of the Republic of Poland, the event brings together representatives of state authorities, as well as local governments from all countries involved in the broadly understood Carpathian subject matter.

Polish Community Economic Forum

Created in cooperation with the Senate of the Republic of Poland in 2015, it gathers the representatives of state authorities, Polish communities and national non-governmental organizations.

Report of the Warsaw School of Economics and Economic Forum

The most important document that will be presented during the session of the 31st Economic Forum will be the **Report of the Warsaw School of Economics and Economic Forum 2022**.

The Report is the most comprehensive study on the state of the economy, Poland and CEE countries in 2022. It describes current trends and socio-economic phenomena. It enables leaders to make more effective decisions. It was developed by experts from the leading economic university in the country – the **Warsaw School of Economics**, divided into 11 thematic sections, available for purchase during registration for the Forum.



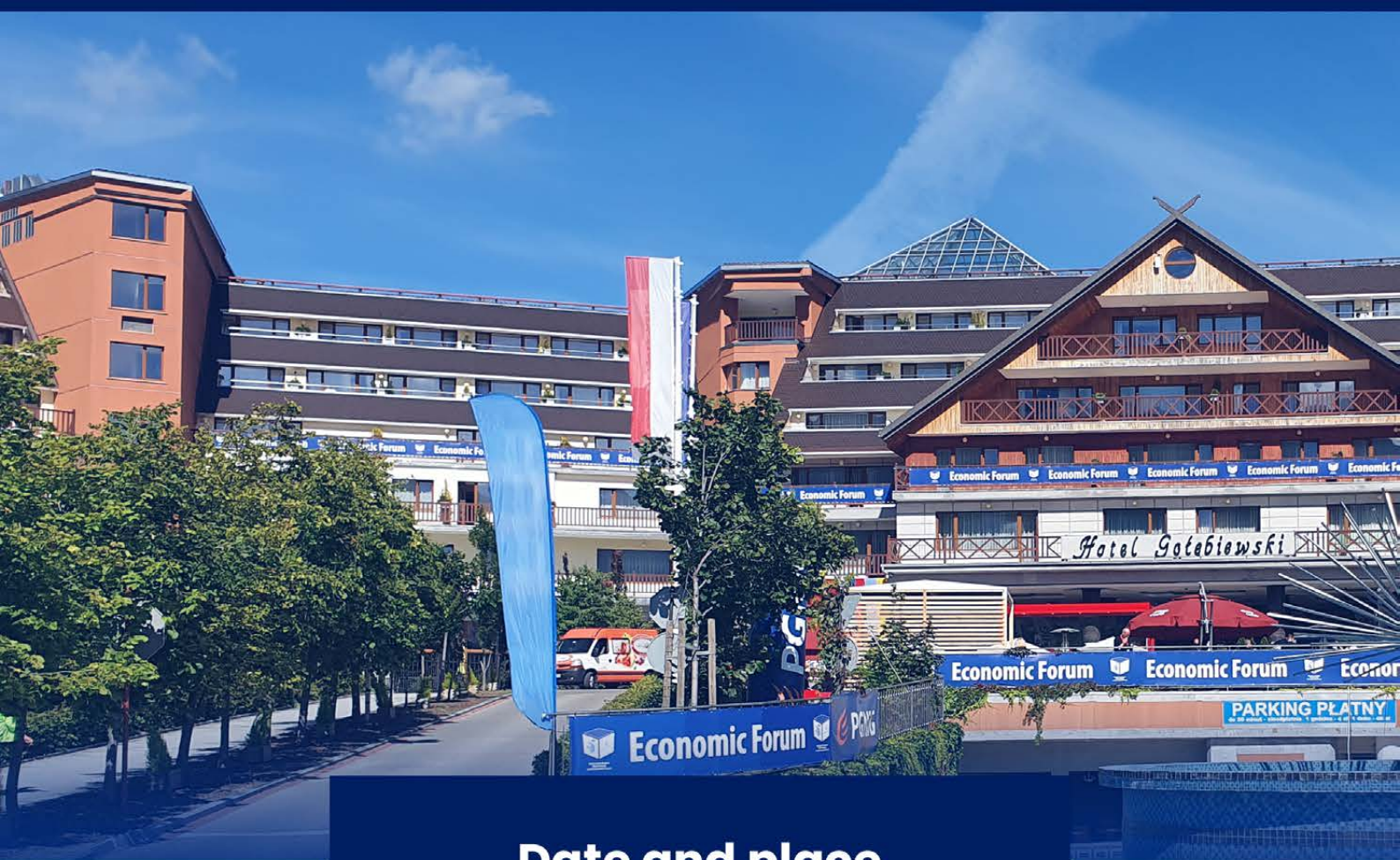
In 2022, the fifth edition of the Report will be presented, focusing on such topics as: the challenges facing the domestic energy sector, fiscal and monetary policy, and the impact of inflation on the economy of Poland and the countries of Central and Eastern Europe.

Awards of the Economic Forum

The presentation of the Forum Awards is an inseparable element of the Economic Forum. The Programme Council will award distinctions in the following categories:

- **Man of the Year 2021**
- **Company of the Year 2021**
- **Non-Governmental Organization of the Year 2021**





Date and place



6–8 September 2022

Gołębiewski Hotel in Karpacz
14 Karkonoska Street, 58–540 Karpacz

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Wrocław the meeting place





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