

Inside the Commodity Industry

Zurich, 13 March 2017

Venue

Hotel Savoy Baur en Ville, Paradeplatz, Zurich

Invitation

Dear Sir or Madam,

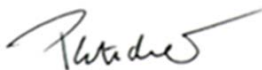
The commodity industry has become an essential part of Switzerland's economic success. Its net profit has reached 4 percent of Swiss GDP, surpassing tourism. This sector is under regulatory pressure and at the same time little is known about its functioning and importance.

ICC Switzerland has the pleasure to invite you to an event on 13 March 2017 in Zurich. Important delegates of this sector will provide you with first-hand information on their business activities, their added value to the global economy, their CSR-programmes and systems of managing risks in the supply chain. You will learn from a specialist of the Banque Cantonale Vaudoise about the specific challenges of trade financing and economiesuisse will give you new data on the significance of the commodity cluster for the Swiss economy.

Business representatives and opinion leaders should attend. Chatham House rules will apply and participants vouch to respect any confidentiality requests that might be made in order to enable an open discussion. Participation will be free of charge but registration necessary.

We look forward to seeing you in Zurich. Please feel free to forward this invitation to interested colleagues. Non-members are also welcome to participate.

Yours sincerely,



Thomas Pletscher
Secretary General

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PROGRAMME

10:30

Welcome Coffee

11:00

Introductory Remarks

Thomas Pletscher, Secretary General ICC Switzerland

11:15

Commodities Demystified

That's why we need raw materials traders

Andrew Gowers, Head of Corporate Affairs & Saad Rahim, Chief Economist, Trafigura

11:45

Responsible Mining

Anna Krutikov, Head of Sustainable Development, Glencore

12:05

Trade Finance and the Commodity Sector

Philippe Berta, Head Legal Trade Finance, Banque Cantonale Vaudoise

12:25

Growth-driving cluster or cluster risk? The economic significance of commodity trade for Switzerland

Marc Engelhard, Head of commodity policy, economiesuisse

12:45

Q&A

13:15

Lunch

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SPEAKERS

Saad Rahim is Chief Economist at Trafigura, a market leader in the global commodities industry. He is responsible for the company's views on markets and macroeconomics, including the outlook for oil and metals markets, commodity prices, equity and credit markets, and political risk.

Andrew Gowers is Head of Corporate Affairs at Trafigura. He is responsible for the company's communications, external relationships and reputation.

Thomas Pletscher acts as Secretary General of ICC Switzerland in addition to his function as Member of the Executive Board of economiesuisse.

Anna Krutikov is Head Sustainable Development at Glencore. She's responsible for stakeholder engagement and communication on matters relating to sustainability across the Group.

Philippe Berta is Head Legal Trade Finance for the Banque Cantonale Vaudoise. He is a member of the ICC Banking Commission and its Working Groups Financial Crime Risks and Policy Group and Legal Committee.

Marc Engelhard is Head of commodity policy at economiesuisse. He is part of the foreign economic policy division and manages the working group on raw materials.

LOGISTICS AND REGISTRATION

Venue:

Hotel Savoy Baur en Ville, Paradeplatz, Zurich

Transportation:

Directions by public transport

Lines 7, 11 and 13 from Zurich main station to the stop "Paradeplatz".

Working language: English

How to register:

Please complete and return the registration form by 6 March 2017 to:

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REGISTRATION FORM

Please return to ICC Switzerland by 6 March 2017 at the latest, Fax **044 421 34 88** or email: **info@icc-switzerland.ch**

I will attend

I will not attend

Participant information: _____

Title (Mr/Dr/Mrs/etc.): _____

Family name: _____

First/given name: _____

Position: _____ Company: _____

Address: _____

Zip/postal code: _____ City/state: _____

Country: _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Registration fee:

Free of charge

Date: / / Signature: _____