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Tuesday, 15 th November 2022		
09.30 – 10.00 h	Registration of participants	
Greetings and introduction		
10.00 – 10.30 h	<p><u>Opening remarks</u></p> <p>Patrick Martens, <i>Delegate of the German Industry and Commerce in North Macedonia, Kosovo and Albania</i> Hon. Kreshnik Bekteshi, <i>Minister of Economy in the Government of North Macedonia</i> H.E. Otto Graf, <i>Deputy-German Ambassador in North Macedonia</i> Zoran Jovanovski, <i>Vice-President of the Economic Chamber of North Macedonia</i> Bekim Emini, <i>Director of Invest North Macedonia</i> Rene Schlee, <i>Head of Friedrich-Ebert Foundation North Macedonia</i></p>	
Block 1.		
10.30 – 12.00 h	<p>Panel 1 – Economic growth in North Macedonia Driven by Skilled Labour – Graduation Ceremony of the First Generation of Industrial Mechatronics Technicians</p> <p><i>Opening Remarks</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hon. Lulzim Aliu, <i>Deputy-Minister of Education and Science of the Republic of North Macedonia</i> - Tobias Bolle, <i>Association of German Chambers of Industry and Commerce, DIHK</i> - Dejan Chupovski, <i>Programme Manager, Dual VET (Moderation)</i> <p><i>Official Handover of AHK/DIHK Certificates to the First Generation of Graduated Industrial Mechatronics Technicians (2018-2022)</i></p> <p><i>Welcoming the Fifth Generation of Dual Students</i></p> <p><i>Panel Discussions on Dual VET</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Closing the gap on the labor market by implementing dual VET according to German standards; Goce Angelevski (<i>Dräxlmaier</i>), Viktor Dojcinovski (<i>Kostal</i>), Vlado Pucoski (<i>LTH Learnica</i>), Valentina Davcevska (<i>Kiel</i>), Sasho Nedeski (<i>OEMUC Sv. Naum Ohridski</i>) - Student's experience with the dual VET programme in Industrial Mechatronics 	EXPO
12.00 – 13.00 h	Lunch	
13.00 – 14.00 h	<p>Panel 2 - Supply Chain Due Diligence Act and the impact on the Textile Industry - New suppliers from the Balkans</p> <p>Marijana Perkovska, <i>President of Textile Trade Association of Macedonia-Textile Cluster</i> Edvin Prence, <i>Chairman of Association PROEKSPORT ALBANIA PEA</i> Valon Sadiki, <i>Program Coordinator, Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation (Moderation)</i> Katharina Schöne, <i>Senior Sales Executive, Cargodian GmbH Germany</i> Biljana Solakovska Mihajlovska, <i>Regional Coordinator for Eastern Europe, Fairware</i> Florian Zekja, <i>Manager, Tonis Group Albania</i></p>	
14.00 – 14.30 h	Coffee break	
Block 2.		
14.00 - 16.00 h	B2B meetings	
16.00 – 17.00 h	Wine tasting	



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Wednesday, 16 th November 2022		
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10.00 – 10.30 h	<p><u>Opening remarks</u> Patrick Martens, <i>Delegate of the German Industry and Commerce in North Macedonia, Kosovo and Albania</i> Daniel Braun, <i>Head of the Konrad-Adenauer Foundation North Macedonia</i> Mehmetali Shaqiri, <i>Founder and CTO, Appsteller Kosovo</i></p>	
Block 1.		
10.30 – 12.00 h	<p>Panel 3 - Disrupted supply chains after the Russian invasion of Ukraine Patrick Martens, <i>Delegate of the German Industry and Commerce in North Macedonia, Kosovo and Albania (Moderation)</i> Rico Chmelik, <i>Managing Director, Automotive Thüringen e.V Germany</i> Ralf Krueger, <i>Head EMEA Region, LANXESS Group Slovak Republic</i> Irena Kuzmanovska, <i>Co-Head of Credit Risk, ProCredit Bank Macedonia</i> Andreas Lier, <i>Managing Director, BASF Romania & Bulgaria</i> Viktor Mizo, <i>Managing Director, Kostal Macedonia</i> Barbara Sadowska, <i>President, Barka Foundation from Poland</i></p>	EXPO
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13.00 – 14.00 h	<p>Panel 4 – IT Potential from North Macedonia and Kosovo Hon. Admirim Aliti, <i>Minister for IT in the Government of North Macedonia</i> Tarek Annan, <i>Deputy CEO, Mittelstand 4.0 Center for Competence Germany (Moderation)</i> Simon Floeth, <i>Head of Digital Transformation Center project at the ITP Prizren</i> Nora Hasani, <i>Executive Director, Kosovar-German Business Association</i> Kobi (Jacob) Kalderon, <i>Founder & CEO, Gold Ventures Investment</i> Damjan Manchevski, <i>Director of Strategic Accounts & CEO for Balkans, MAK-SYSTEM</i> Aleksandar Todorov, <i>Branch Manager for Medium Business clients, ProCredit Bank Macedonia</i> Dafina Zymeri Shala, <i>Head of Growth, Appsteller Kosovo</i></p>	
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THE B2B EVENT OF THE YEAR FOR SOUTHEASTERN EUROPE

With SUBEX we offer an event for B2B matchmaking for Southeast European suppliers and German buyers.

Welcome address:

Kreshnik Bekteshi

Kreshnik Bekteshi has graduated from the College of Management in Applied Science and Technology at the Rochester Institute of Technology in 2008; and in 2009 he obtained a Master's Degree in Management and Strategy at the Sheffield University.

During the period of 2011 and 2016 Bekteshi was the Head of the International Office at the Agency for Foreign Direct Investment and Export Promotion of the Republic of North Macedonia in Brussels in promoting the business climate of North Macedonia and attracting foreign direct investments from Belgium.

As a part of his working position, he facilitated Belgium and North Macedonian companies in pursuing joint business cooperation, along with researching the market of Belgium, and organizing B2B and B2G meetings, business forums, seminars.

From July 1st to December 31st 2016, as the Head of the International Office of the Agency for Foreign Direct Investment and Export Promotion of the Republic of North Macedonia, Bekteshi worked as a business promoter for the Republic of North Macedonia in Bern, Switzerland, being in charge of cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce of Switzerland.

Kreshnik Bekteshi serves as a Minister of Economy since 2017.



Patrick Martens

Patrick Martens has been the Delegate of German Industry and Commerce in North Macedonia, Albania, and Kosovo for six years.

As a part of his duties, he connects the private sector in these Western Balkan countries to German companies and experts, while also promoting vocational training, standardization, and digitalization to enhance the region's competitiveness in the global economy. Among the many projects led by his organization were a "West African Clean Energy & Environment Exhibition and Conference (WACEE)", the "Skills Expert" program supported by the German Ministry of Economic Affairs and Climate Action.

Martens previously served in a similar capacity in Ghana, Saudi Arabia, and Iran, spending more than twenty years of experience in fostering closer economic ties between Germany and the rest of the world.

Martens studied Public Administration at the University of Konstanz, Politics at the University of Newcastle, and Economics & Social Science at the University of Luneburg. Martens started his professional career as a trainee at the AHK Sao Paulo and served as an intern in the US Congress for Bob Livingston during midterm elections 1994.



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Otto Graf

Otto Graf has been serving as DCM at the German Embassy in Skopje since March 2019.

He has an academic background in economics, and joined the German diplomatic service in 1990. His former positions include Development Counselor in Washington, Head of Economic Division in Budapest, and Head of Cultural Division in Tehran.

During his professional career he had secondments as Senior Communications Officer at the World Bank and Political Officer for Eastern Europe at the Delegation of the EU Commission in Washington.

Zoran Jovanovski

Zoran Jovanovski is the Vice-president of the Economic Chamber of North Macedonia.

He graduated from the Faculty of Economics, at the St. Cyril and Methodius University in Skopje and has obtained an M.A. in Business Economics from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville, the U.S.

He has also received professional training from the IMF, INSEAD, Bank of England, etc. He pursued 25 years of his career in the banking industry, both with the central bank and the largest private banks in the country.

He is a member of Euromoney's global panel of experts on country risk, independent member of the Supervisory Board of NLB Banka a.d. Skopje, independent member of the Management Board of Tikvesh Winery, as well as a co-owner of the business magazine "Ekonomija i biznis".

Bekim Emini

Bekim Emini was born in Gostivar, North Macedonia in 1983. He graduated in Faculty of Law "Iustinianus Primus" - at University St. Cyril and Methodius University in Skopje in 2007.

In December 2021 he was appointed by the Government of the Republic of North Macedonia as a Director of the Agency for Foreign Investment and Export Promotion of the Republic of North Macedonia.

From 2012 until 2021 he was engaged in the Ministry of Economy- State Market Inspectorate in the Inspection Department Gostivar with the cities of Kichevo and Makedonski Brod.

Over 2 years of working experience in the Ministry of Defense in the Logistics Sector in Skopje, he also held the position of a Media Analyst in the Election Observation Mission at OSCE / ODIHR in 2002.

He was responsible for the IT Sector at the Cultural Center "Together for the Future" led by C.R.I.C - Italy.

Rene Schlee

René Schlee is currently the Resident Representative for the Friedrich-Ebert Foundation's offices in Kosovo and North Macedonia.

Before joining the Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation, René worked as a technical officer for the International Atomic Energy Agency at its division for nuclear security; and as a lecturer at University of Heidelberg focusing on nuclear non-proliferation, intelligence studies and military robotics.

He holds a MA degree in political science, psychology and philosophy from University of Heidelberg as well as a Master of Economic and Social Studies in intelligence and strategic studies from Aberystwyth University.

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PANEL 1

ECONOMIC GROWTH IN NORTH MACEDONIA DRIVEN BY SKILLED LABOUR - GRADUATION CEREMONY OF THE FIRST GENERATION OF INDUSTRIAL MECHATRONICS TECHNICIANS

Lulzim Aliu

Lulzim Aliu, Deputy Minister of Education and Science of North Macedonia.

He was born in 1977 in Kicevo. He completed his primary and secondary education in his hometown Kicevo.

In 1999, at the Faculty of Philology "Blaze Koneski" in Skopje, he completed his studies in Albanian language and literature, while in 2006 he obtained the title of Master of Philological Sciences, with the dissertation thesis "Language in Albanian folk songs from the Kicevo region".

At the same university in 2011 he defended his doctoral dissertation on the topic: Grammatical categories of the verb in the novels of Ismail Kadare translated from Albanian into Macedonian, acquiring the title of Doctor of Philological Sciences.

Tobias Bolle

Tobias Bolle is a project manager for Dual Vocational Training in the Association of German Chambers of Industry and Commerce, DIHK.

He is also part of a team supporting around 50 Chambers of Commerce abroad in setting up dual vocational training according to German standards to ensure sustainable qualified workforce for the industry.

Strong network expertise and linkages to 79 IHKs in Germany and training providers.

He was also a Project Leader for Dual Training and Further Education in the Delegation of German Industry and Commerce in North Macedonia and in the Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

He graduated from Baden- Wuerttemberg Cooperative State University on Industrial Management.

Dejan Cupovski

Dejan Chupovski, M.A., MAS, has been working at the Delegation of German Industry and Commerce since 2017. Since 2019 he is a coordinator of the Skills Expert programme. The aim of the programme is to support companies in creating skilled workforce, and to help students obtain labor market relevant knowledge and skills by implementing systemic elements of the German model of dual vocational education and training.

Mr. Chupovski holds a master's degree in European integration from the University of Basel, and a master's degree in political and legal philosophy from the University of Graz. In addition, he is also a certified company trainer according to German standards.



PANEL 2

SUPPLY CHAIN DUE DILIGENCE ACT AND THE IMPACT ON THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY - NEW SUPPLIERS FROM THE BALKANS

Marijana Perkovska

Marijana Perkovska has been the manager of Istkomerc Sanda for 17 years and the President of TTA - Textile.

She graduated from Ss. Cyril and Methodius University, Macedonia and holds a Bachelor's Degree in Economics.

Perkovska was a member of the Board of Directors of the Community of Protective Societies from 2005 until 2011. From 2004 to present she is a member of the Board of Directors of Textile Trade Association -Textile cluster. In 2002 Perkovska received from EU recognition for a woman entrepreneur. In 2011, she was nominated by the State Department through the US Embassy among 10 women entrepreneurs from Macedonia as part of the INVEST in FUTURE.

Edvin Prence

Edvin Prence is Coordinator of PEA Association.

He lives in Durrës, after finishing his university studies in Italy he decided to move with his family to Albania, where he opened his company in the textile sector (producing workwear).

From 2020 he covers the role of President of the Association of Garment and Footwear in Albania.

Valon Sadiki

Valon Sadiki is a Program Coordinator in Friedrich Ebbert Stiftung in Skopje, North Macedonia.

Valon Sadiki has a law degree and a master's degree in human resource management.

He started his professional career with involvement in the non-governmental sector in international organizations, where he has been working for 16 years now.

He has worked on various international projects in the field of community development, youth work and youth participation, local self-governments, developing skills for employment of young people, grant programs aimed at helping public institutions in the field of health, education and social protection, and currently he is employed as a Program Coordinator at the German Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung - Skopje office.

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Katharina Schöne

Katharina Schöne- holds a degree in business administration and has been working in international trade for over 15 years, mainly supporting German companies in entering new markets, but also helping local companies with their first steps in Germany.

She connects different networks, focuses her work on SMEs, but also works with large enterprises and political institutions.

She joined Cargodian in June 2022 in order to develop their idea of digital solutions for sustainable trade. Katharina is based in Berlin.

Biljana Solakovska Mihajlovska

Biljana Solakovska Mihajlovska is the Regional Coordinator for Eastern Europe for Fair Wear Foundation.

Fair Wear Foundation is a non-profit organization that promotes a supply chain approach of “shared responsibility” to social compliance in the global garment sector. As a true multistakeholder initiative, Fair Wear connects and convenes brands, factories, workers, trade unions, NGOs and other industry influencers. Ambitious alignment is needed to make the garment industry fair for all.

Fair Wear is progressive and strives to bring a shared vision to the broader industry to push for alignment and action by utilizing each stakeholder’s unique leverage. Fair Wear guides and assesses brands, thus promoting the full and mandatory implementation of the OECD guidelines for Human Rights Due Diligence (HRDD) across the industry.

The majority of Fair Wear’s work focuses on several priority countries; these include: Bangladesh, Bulgaria, India, Indonesia, North Macedonia, Myanmar, Romania, Tunisia, Turkey, and Vietnam.

As a Regional Coordinator, Biljana coordinates Fair Wear activities and country teams in three production countries in Eastern Europe, including Bulgaria, North Macedonia and Romania. She provides support to the production countries team and at Fair Wear headquarters.

Solakovska Mihajlovska has been working at Fair Wear since 2003. She possesses a strong understanding of the Human Rights Due Diligence framework and is responsible for in-country implementation and support of the supply chain transformation process.

Florian Zekja

Florian Zekja is the Coordinator of PEA Association.

He resides in Tirana, he is married, and a father of a son. His work and education were acquired in Italy; and then in 2003 he returned to Albania to open the workwear producer company with his wife; and has over 70 employees under his supervision.

He has covered the role of the President of the Association for many years and now he takes care of the Relationship and General Coordinator part.

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Daniel Braun

Daniel Braun is Official Representative of the Konrad Adenauer Foundation in North Macedonian and Kosovo. He was born in 1976 in Apolda/Thuringia.

From the beginning of 2008 he has been working at the Bildungswerk Erfurt. He studied political science, modern history and Spanish linguistics at the Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Universidad de Granada (Spain) and at the Colegio de México (Mexico).

He has been giving vocational training as an electrical machine builder in his father's company. Before working for the Konrad-Adenauer-Foundation, he was an employee of the Federal Employment Agency in the area of SGB II and international placement and IT specialist program supervisor.

Braun acted as provisional state representative for the Free State of Thuringia, provisional head and speaker of the Thuringia Political Education Forum. Since 2021, Braun has been the head of the Konrad Adenauer Foundation office for North Macedonia and Kosovo based in Skopje.

Mehmetali Shaqiri

Mehmetali Shaqiri is the CTO and Founder of Appsteller. He has over 16 years of experience in consulting, building products, and solutions for startups and established businesses. He is now focusing on cloud infrastructure and DevOps.

Mehmetali is also working as a trainer, sharing his extensive experience with newcomers in the industry.





PANEL 3

DISRUPTED SUPPLY CHAINS AFTER THE RUSSIAN INVASION OF UKRAINE

Rico Chmelik

Rico Chmelik is the managing director of Automotive Thuringia. has a degree in political science, graduate state scientist and business economist.

He was the managing director of Faculty of Economics-Logistics-Transport at the University of Applied Science in Erfurt. He was also personal desk officer to the president and office manager of the presidency of the University of Music „Franz Liszt “Weimar.

Chmelik was District Manager Thuringia & Public Relations Officer, press and public relations, Federal Ministry of Defense Erfurt. Rico Chmelik, Diploma Political Science, Graduate State Scientist, business economist (IWW).

Ralf Krüger

Ralf Krüger is the Head of EMEA Region – LANXESS Group.

He started his professional career in 1985 at Bayer Italia SpA in Sales and Marketing. After his transfer to the headquarters in Leverkusen in 1999, he took over various functions in Global Product Management and Marketing in the area of basic and specialty chemicals. After the spin-off, he continued these activities in the LANXESS Group.

In 2016, he set up the “Global Country & Agency Management department” within the Legal & Compliance Group Function.

Since 2020, Krüger is heading the EMEA (Europe, Middle East and Africa) region for the LANXESS Group. He also presumed the CEO function for LANXESS CEE and LANXESS Switzerland and is working and has been living Bratislava since 2020.

Irena Kuzmanovska

Irena Kuzmanovska is the Co-Head of Credit Risk department in ProCredit Bank Macedonia.

She has 12 years' experience in the banking industry with significant knowledge in the fields of business and credit risk and proven success in risk management.

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Andreas Lier

Andreas Lier is the Managing Director of BASF Romania and Bulgaria.

He is currently the President of AHK Romania and Managing Director BASF Romania and Bulgaria. He was born in Hannover, Germany.

He has a degree in Economics and joined BASF in Germany in 1992.

Four years later he took over the first Managing Director position abroad - in Russia. Afterwards Andreas had various management tasks for BASF worldwide - in South Africa, Middle East, China, Turkey, Eastern Europe - Ukraine and currently Romania and Bulgaria.

He is the former President of German-Ukrainian Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and he is a strong supporter for an improved competitiveness in Bulgaria. In this context he advocates for a strong Bulgaria in a strong Europe and implicitly for developing further German businesses in Bulgaria. Given the ongoing EU Green Deal framework there is a huge opportunity, therefore he is doing his best to get the best out of it. Cooperation among all players along the economic chain is vital to achieve this.

Viktor Mizo

Viktor Mizo is the Managing Director of Kostal Macedonia, part of the German family owned Kostal Group - global leader in design and manufacturing of advanced electronics and mechatronics products for the automotive industry.

He is also the President of the Association of foreign companies with technologically advanced manufacturing within the auspices of the Economic Chamber of Macedonia and an outside expert at McKinsey on various economic development, FDI and free zones projects around the World.

Mizo was the CEO of the Macedonia Free Zone Authority over a period of six year. Prior to that, he spent four years as CEO of Invest Macedonia, where he played a critical role in putting Macedonia on the radar of potential investors.

He co-founded and managed a technology company specialized in digital file distribution for mobile phones in Japan, as well as an internet start-up in the media and entertainment space in London and New York.

Prior to this, Mizo was a technology and financial services consultant at McKinsey's New York office. He began his career as a design engineer at Magna International.

Mizo received his B.S. and M.S. in Mechanical Engineering from the Rochester Institute of Technology, graduating summa cum laude. He is an alumnus of Harvard University; he holds an MBA from the Harvard Business School.

Barbara Sadowska

Barbara Sadowska is a psychologist, co-founder of the "Barka" Foundation from Poland, a member of the Ashoka, Innovators for the Public (USA), member of the Klaus Schwab Foundation (Switzerland).

Currently, she is the team leader of the project "Support to Social Enterprises" in North Macedonia. Achievements: Taking part in the creation of the legal system in Poland for the social entrepreneurship, Reintegrating about 5000 people from vulnerable groups into the market annually, Supporting around 500 the Ukrainian refugees.

Her awards include: "European Hero" London, 2006, "The most innovative project", Beijing, 2010, "Philanthropy Award of the Paribas", Paris, 2014, "Silver Rose Award of the European Parliament", Brussels 2016.



PANEL 4

IT POTENTIAL FROM NORTH MACEDONIA AND KOSOVO

Admirim Aliti

Admirim Aliti, MSc, assumed the position Minister of Information Society and Administration on 15th January 2022.

In the academic year 2001/2002, he enrolled at the Faculty of Contemporary Sciences and Technologies at the South East European University - Tetovo, where he graduated in 2006.

During his studies in 2005, he was a student at the Winter University "High-Tech in Winter and Snow" at the Technical University of Munich (TUM), Germany, and a year prior to this, he has participated in the European Youth Peace Summit, where he was certified for "Youth peace worker", Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina.

He finished his post-graduate studies in 2011 at the Department of Informatics at the Linnaeus University, Sweden, and was awarded the academic title - Master of Science in Information Systems (MSIS).

Since 2021 he has been a PhD student at the South East European University - Tetovo in the E-technologies program.



Tarek Annan

Tarek Annan is an internationally recognized IT and policy consultant with a focus on the challenges of digitalization for small and medium-sized enterprises.

He built up his digitalization expertise in various roles, such as overseeing the industry committee for a Member of the European Parliament in Brussels, developing a tool for the digitalization of SMEs, and working as a digital policy officer at Germany's largest Chamber of Industry and Commerce in Munich.

He is currently leading a government project for the German Association of IT SMEs (BITMi e.V.) and helping to set up the "Sustainability and Digitalization" working group as part of the German Federal Ministry of Economics and Technology's SME 4.0 initiative.



Simon Floeth

Within the Innovation and Training Park (ITP) in Prizren, Simon Floeth is leading the GIZ project to establish the ITP's "Digital Transformation Center".

The project's goal is to promote the ITP as the regional hub for supporting the digital ecosystem, its entrepreneurs, science, education and the digitalization of businesses towards strengthening Kosovo's economy by establishing a consortium within and around the ITP with a joined, complementary and holistic value proposition.

Simon has extensive experience in supporting digital transformation journeys. With a background in the private sector, he worked on improving processes of research and development centers in and for leading German and US companies for several years and helped to establish cooperation between the industry, tech-start-ups and universities.

Since joining the GIZ in the field of international cooperation, he has focused on digital transformation for sustainable economic development in Germany's partner countries.



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Nora Hasani

Nora Hasani, the Executive Director of the German-Kosovar Business Association, is a result driven executive focused on supporting and strengthening bilateral economic cooperation between Germany and Kosovo.

She has 15 years of working experience in German-Kosovar economic relations and development cooperation, and prior to that in research, investigative journalism, project management and project implementation.

Nora Hasani is a board member of the Community Development Fund (CDF), advisory board member of the Training Center MEISTER, as well as an observing member of the Assembly of Members of the Innovation and Training Park (ITP).

Beyond her role at KDWV, she is a strong advocate of women empowerment, particularly about their position in the Kosovo labor market.



Kobi Kalderon

Kobi (Jacob) Kalderon is the founder and the CEO of a global investment advisory firm, as well as a member of the European VC's and angel groups (EBAN).

The business and communication network of Kobi is strong and contains more than 30 strategic partners worldwide that represent GVI internationally.

Managing partner of a DACH-based global accelerator focusing on life sciences and digital health called "I2A". In the high-tech industry, he has been an entrepreneur for 17 years.

He has been in the Israeli hi-tech industry for many years, providing full-service management (turnkey solutions) for startups and mature companies.

Director of the Israel Chamber of Information Technology's startup and entrepreneurship department. (Over 30,000 members). Senior business development manager for Israeli VC called: "Road 2". He holds a Master's degree in business administration from Vermont University.



Damjan Manchevski

Damjan Manchevski is Director of Strategic Accounts and General Manager Balkans, in MAK- System. He has been in this position since 2020.

Previously, during 2017 and 2020 he was the Minister of Information Society and Administration.

Manchevski has more than ten years of professional working experience in ICT sector, as manager and executive director of several companies. Between 2005 and 2006 he has worked as Engineer for radio frequencies in the Agency for Electronic Communications (AEC).

Manchevski holds a degree from The Faculty of Electrical Engineering, at the St. Cyril and Methodius University, at the Department for Electrical Engineering and Telecommunications.



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Aleksandar Todorov



Aleksandar Todorov is the Branch Manager for Medium Business clients in ProCredit Bank Macedonia.

With his 17 years of experience in the banking industry, he is specialized in business advisory and has a wide knowledge for the local business market.

Dafina Zymeri Shala



Dafina Zymeri Shala is the Head of Growth at Appstellar.

She specializes in connecting business development and sales with content marketing.

Dafina Zymeri Shala has supported several local and international companies in their growth journey and mentored a few teams.

Today she is leading the growth team at Appstellar and is responsible for planning, coordinating, and executing growth strategies in an effort to grow the Appstellar brand, business, and team.





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