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New Labour Market Developments in the Context of Digitalisation and Social Change

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Programme

Chairs: Prof. Mihails Hazans, Prof. Tiiu Paas		
10.45–11.00	Mihails Hazans (University of Latvia), Jaan Masso (University of Tartu), Rasmus Bøgh Holmen (Norwegian Institute of Transportation) Manuela Tvaronavičienė (Vilnius Tech)	Opening remarks
11.00–11.20	Anastasia Sinitsyna, Mina Di Marino, Tiiu Paas	Remote work and virtual coworking in the Covid-19 condition: Lessons from Estonia and Norway
11.20–11.40	Mihails Hazans	One size does not fit all: What do employees and employers make of their teleworking experience?
11.40–12.00	Mihails Hazans, Nicolas Gavoille	Could everybody work from home? Personality traits and the labour supply for remote jobs
12.00–12.15		Q&A, discussion
12.15–12.25	Biological break	
12.25–12.45	Jaan Masso, Liis Roosaar	The effects of foreign direct investments on wages: Does the FDI's country of origin matter?
12.45–12.50		Q&A, discussion
12.50–13.10	Nicolas Gavoille, Anna Zasova	What we pay in the shadow: Labor tax evasion, minimum wage hike and employment
		Q&A, discussion
13.10–13.20	Biological break	

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13.20–13.40	<i>Arūnas Burinskas, Agnė Šimelytė, Rasmus Bøgh Holmen, Kristina Razminienė, Manuela Tvaronavičienė</i>	The attractiveness of Baltics for inward FDI from Nordics
13.40–13.45		Q&A, discussion
13.45–14.05	<i>Kristina Razminienė, Agnė Šimelytė, Arūnas Burinskas, Rasmus B. Holmen, Manuela Tvaronavičienė</i>	Approaches towards a circular economy and economic development
14.05–14.10		Q&A, discussion
14.10–14.30	<i>Agnė Šimelytė, Arūnas Burinskas, Rasmus B. Holmen, Kristina Razminienė, Manuela Tvaronavičienė</i>	The concepts of knowledge transfer towards social innovation
14.30–14.35		Q&A, discussion
14.35–14.45	Biological break	
14.45–15.05	<i>Valerija Kozlova, Anatolijs Prohorovs</i>	Using digitalisation for creating accessible statistics of a total enterprises' population on the Family Business example
15.05–15.15		Q&A, discussion
15.15–15.35	<i>Jānis Upenieks, Oksana Žabko, Mihails Hazans</i>	Geodata Approach to Measuring Accessibility of Public Services
15.35–15.40		Q&A, discussion
15.40–15.50	<i>Agnė Šimelytė, Rasmus Bøgh Holmen, Mihails Hazans</i>	Closing remarks
15.50–16.00	General discussion	

Invited external scientific experts:

Dr. Tairi Rõõm, Head of Research Department, **Bank of Estonia**;

Dr. Konstantins Benkovskis, Adviser to the Monetary Policy Department, **Bank of Latvia**

Stakeholders representatives:

Ilze Zvidriņa, Chair of Employment, Labour and Social Affairs Committee, **OECD**; Deputy Director, Labour Market Policy Department, **Latvia's Welfare Ministry**

Ineta Vjakse, Deputy Director, Labour Relations and Labour Protection Policy Department, **Latvia's Welfare Ministry**