



**Slovak–Austrian Chamber of Commerce
in cooperation with American Chamber of Commerce
in the Slovak Republic and others partners are pleased
to invite you to take a part at event about**

Competitiveness of Slovakia and the European Union pre-election discussion

In the upcoming EP pre-election debate, we will be asking the electoral leaders of parliamentary political parties in Slovakia about their view on Europe's attractiveness – for investment and for the people who make and benefit from those investments – as we all depend on fair and resilient institutions and societies.

The invited representatives of political parties will present their vision on critically important topics for the future of Slovakia and the EU, including Rule of Law, Global Fight for Talent, and Innovations. While regulation can encourage fairness and innovation in Europe, it can also create unnecessary administrative burden and hinder the private sector's capacity to grow. For the EU to remain competitive on the global stage, it must create frameworks that incentivize investments in research and development, including scaling of new technologies. Both legislative development and funding mechanisms have a role to play.

AGENDA

08:30 – Registration and Refreshments

09:00 – Introductory Remarks



**MATEJ
STUSKA**

AmCham Slovakia member
of the Board of Directors
(TBC)

09:10 – Briefing on the 2024 EU elections: projections, possible scenarios and impact on Slovakia.



**DORU P.
FRANDESCU**

CEO & founder of
EUmatrix.eu

09:45 – Pre-election debate with representatives of invited political parties.*



**MIRIAM
LEXMANN**

Kresťanskodemokratické
hnutie



**ĽUDOVÍT
ODOR**

Progressívne Slovensko



**KATARÍNA
ROTH
NEVEDALOVÁ**

SMER - sociálna
demokracia



**RICHARD
SULIK**

Sloboda a Solidarita



**MICHAL
KOVÁČIK**

MODERATOR

11:00 – 11:30 Networking and Refreshments

Introductory presentation will be delivered in English language, however the discussion part with political leaders will be held in Slovak language without translation.

*The organisers invited representatives of all parliamentary political parties in Slovakia. Complete list of speakers will be updated regularly on webpage.

WHERE
Jurkovičova
Tepláreň,
Bottova 1,
Bratislava

WHEN
24.5.2024
09:00 – 11:00

LANGUAGE
English

Please
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the latest by
17.4.2024

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