



TAXAND GLOBAL CONFERENCE

HOTEL DINO, BAVENO, ITALY
Wednesday 27- Friday 29 May 2026

PROGRAM





DAY ONE – WEDNESDAY 27 MAY 2026

18.00 – 19.30 Registration – Arrival

19.30 – 22.00 Standing Dinner

DAY TWO – THURSDAY 28 MAY 2026

09.00 – 09.15 Welcome

Vicente Bootello, Taxand Global Co-Chairman, Partner, Garrigues; **Olivier Vergniolle**, Taxand Global Co-Chairman, Partner, Arsene; **Guglielmo Maisto**, Founding Partner, Maisto e Associati; **Caroline Conder**, Taxand Global CMO

09.15 – 10.45 **AI and the Future of Advisory Business**

Moderator: **Silvia Sciorilli Borrelli**, Milan correspondent, Financial Times
Chair: **Marco Cerrato**, Partner, Maisto e Associati
Roundtable: **Alessandro Fracassi**, Founder and CEO, Moltiply; **Filippo Moroni**, Senior Partner & Vice President - Global Strategic Sales, IBM; **Luca Pancaldi**, Senior Partner, McKinsey & Company; **Paul Rinckens**, Director AI, FGS Digital

10.45 – 11.15 Coffee Break

11.15 – 12:45 **OECD Pillar Two – Side-by-side Package – Impacts on MNEs and Tax Administration**

Chair: **Daniel Garabedian**, Partner, Arteo
Roundtable: **Paolo Valerio Barbantini**, Head of Tax, Fincantieri; **Eva Frehner**, Global Head of Treasury, Group Tax and Real Estate, Sulzer; **Marco Iuvinale**, Director for European and International Tax Affairs, Italian Ministry of Economy and Finance; **Kunka Petkova**, Senior Government Official, Federal Ministry of Finance, Germany; **Lauren Smink**, Tax Policy Expert, European Commission

12.45 – 14.30 Networking Lunch

14.30 – 14.45 Keynote speech

Fabrizia Lapecorella, Deputy Secretary-General, OECD

14.45 – 15.45 **Trends in Tax Dispute Prevention and Resolution – BAPAs and MAPs Developments around the Globe**

Chair: **Aurelio Massimiano**, Partner, Maisto e Associati





Roundtable: **Markus Baur**, Tax Director Transfer Pricing, IBM; **Vincent Desoubries**, Partner, Arsene; **Mario Ortega Calle**, Partner, Garrigues; **Ronny Rosenblatt**, Transfer Pricing Expert, State Secretariat for International Finance - SIF Swiss Competent Authority team member; **Monika Wünnemann**, Head of Tax and Legal, BDI - Bundesverband der Deutschen Industrie e.V.

15.45 – 16.45

Indirect Taxes Explored

Chair: **Marie Lamensch**, Partner, Arteo

Roundtable: **Stéphane Chasseloup**, Partner, Arsene; **Rohit Jain**, Co-Head of Tax, Economic Laws Practice; **Anna Ogenblad**, Tax Director, the LEGO Group (*speaking in her personal capacity*)

19.30 – 22.45

Gala Dinner

DAY THREE – FRIDAY 29 MAY 2026

09.00 – 09.15

Welcome Back

Guglielmo Maisto, Founding Partner, Maisto e Associati

09.15 – 10.45

Economic Considerations in a New Geopolitical environment: Reshaping the Transatlantic Partnership

Chair: **Simone Crolla**, Managing Director, American Chamber of Commerce in Italy

Roundtable: **Nina Frost**, Partner, Hakluyt; **Carine Geoffrion**, Tax Director, Ipsen; **Nishant Shah**, Co-Head of Tax Economic Laws Practice; **Derek Theurer**, Deputy Secretary of the U.S. Treasury

10.45 – 11.15

Coffee Break

11.15 – 12.45

Tax Challenges Connected to Global Mobility

Opening: **Achim Pross**, Deputy Director, OECD (*to be confirmed*)

Chair: **Xaver Ditz**, Partner, Flick Gocke Schaumburg

Roundtable: **Eduardo Gómez De Salazar**, Partner, Garrigues; **Elissavet Grout**, Partner, Travers Smith; **Alberto Lissi**, Partner, Tax Partner AG; **Giuseppe Zingaro**, Head of Group Tax, UniCredit

12.45 – 13.00

Closing

Vicente Bootello, Taxand Global Co-Chairman, Partner, Garrigues; **Olivier Vergniolle**, Taxand Global Co-Chairman, Partner, Arsene; **Guglielmo Maisto**, Founding Partner, Maisto e Associati; **Caroline Conder**, Taxand Global CMO

13.00 – 14.30

Networking Lunch

