

PROGRAMME

International Brokerage Event at the International Trade Fair Tech Industry 2011 22-25 November, Riga, Latvia

22 November

Arrival to Riga

19:00 – 21:00 Welcome drink at the “Islande Hotel” (www.islandehotel.lv)
Address: Ķīpasalas street 20

23 November

Group I

09:00 Departure from the “Islande Hotel” by bus,
Address: Ķīpasalas street 20

10:00 Visit to the Metalworking Training Unit of the "Zemgale Region Human Resource and Competences Development Centre” (www.jrpic.lv)
Address: Kr.Barona street 40, Jelgava

11:00 Visit to the "Zemgale Region Human Resource and Competences Development Centre”
(www.jrpic.lv)
Address: Svētes street 33, Jelgava

The educational centre for adults of Jelgava region (JR PIC) is a municipal educational institution. Work of the centre is sustained by 5 departments:

*Department of further education of adults;
Department of supporting educational institutions;
Department of supporting entrepreneurship;
IT department;
Metal working branch;
Methodological library.*

Metal working branch is the hedger of professional education in metal working industry in the city of Jelgava and its region. It started work in year 2003 and it is equipped with modern equipment according to the standards of nowadays metal working technology.

The metal working branch provides training on the request of the companies, providing special training program for each company. Metal working implements their work involving the best specialists of metal working in Latvia, and thanks to flexible management system, it is possible to work out training program even for one group of students.

NP Properties Jelgava Business Park (www.industrial.lv)

12:00 Lunch

13:00 Visit to the “NP Properties Jelgava Business Park” (www.industrial-park.lv)
Address: Aviācijas street 18, Jelgava

SIA NP Properties is the biggest developer and manager of industrial parks in Latvia, a company of AS Nordic Partners Group whose companies are located in Ukraine, Poland, Russia, Slovakia, Czech Republic, Lithuania, Estonia and Latvia. Presently eight industrial parks are managed in Riga, Olaine, Jelgava, Salaspils, Rēzekne and Daugavpils, with the total area of 150 ha.

NP Properties offers its customers modern production, warehouse and office premises, providing a developed infrastructure and all necessary engineering networks both in reconstructed industrial objects and newly created parks in different regions of Latvia.

14:00 Visit to the company „Baltijas Gumijas Fabrika” JSC (www.bgfrubber.com)
Address: Aviācijas iela 18, Jelgava

Based on traditions of 80 years in development of rubber industry in Latvia and recent achievements of science in the World, Baltijas Gumijas Fabrika company is the biggest manufacturer of rubber compounds and rubber technical products in the Baltic States. Company has great experience and possibilities for delivery of rubber compounds and rubber technical products to the European Union, the Commonwealth of Independent States, and CIS.

16:00 Return to Riga

Group II

9:00 Departure from the “Islande Hotel” by bus,
Address: Ķīpsalas street 20.

10:00 Visit to the „Business Park Ogre” (www.bpogre.lv)
Address: Akmeņu street 45, Ogre

Business Park Ogre is one of first full-service industrial parks in Latvia, founded in 2001. It was created in close cooperation with Norwegian Industrial Development Corporation SIVA SF.

11:30 Visit to the company „Hanzas Elektronika” Ltd. (www.he.lv)
Address: Akmeņu street 72, Ogre

Hanzas Elektronika is a fast growing Latvian EMS group providing manufacturing services to business customers.

The company consists of 2 subsidiaries and runs 2 state of the art technologically compatible plants located in the Low Cost Country area – providing production capacity backup, supply reliability and scalability of manufacturing processes – together with 2 sales offices and a total of 140 employees.

The service range covers the entire chain from design and industrialization phase to after-market services. Company’s core markets are Baltic States, Finland, Sweden, Norway and Denmark.

13:00 Lunch

15:00 Return to Riga

24 November

08:30 Departure from the “Islande Hotel” by bus,
Address: Ķīpsalas street 20

09:00 – 11:00 Meeting at the Investment and Development Agency of Latvia (LIAA)
Address: Pērses street 2, Riga (www.liaa.gov.lv)

The objective of the Investment and Development Agency of Latvia (LIAA) is to promote business development by facilitating more foreign investment, in parallel increasing the competitiveness of Latvian entrepreneurs in both domestic and foreign markets.

Having more than 15 years experience in the attraction of foreign direct investment to Latvia and promotion of foreign trade, the Agency has worked constantly to improve the business

Presentations:

“Business Opportunities in Latvia”

Ms. Iveta Strupkāja, Head of Export Promotion Division, LIAA

Presentation of the Latvian Association of Mechanical Engineering and Metalworking Industries (MASOC)

Mr. Ivars Eniņš, Deputy Chairman of the Management Board

“Latvian Engineering Industries”

Mr. Andris Alksnis, Senior Project Manager, Export Promotion Division, LIAA

- 11:30 Visit the exhibition “Tech Industry – 2011”
- 13:00 – 14:00 Registration for the brokerage event
- 14:00 – 17:00 Brokerage event (30-minutes pre-booked face to face meetings)
- From 14:00 – 17:00 Individual visits to Latvian companies (upon request)
- 19:00 – 21:00 Evening reception

25 November

- 09:00 – 10:00 Registration for the brokerage event
- 10:00 – 17:00 Brokerage Event (30-minutes pre-booked face to face meetings)
- During the day - individual visits to Latvian companies (upon request)

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