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KEYNOTES

A Strategy for AI, not an AI Strategy

Prof. Didier Bonnet, Professor of Strategy and Digital Transformation at IMD Business School

Triangular Alchemy – Crafting the Becoming Organization

Anders Indset, Philosopher, Deep-Tech Investor & 7x Author

INDUSTRY SESSIONS

From Scale to Success: AI as a Strategic Differentiator

Dr.-Ing. Susan Wegner, Head of Group Data and AI (SVP) at Allianz

Rethinking IT – Why the CIO Will be Obsolete by 2030

Thomas Kleine-Möllhoff, Chief Information Officer Gardena GmbH & Vice President IT Husqvarna Group

IT Strategy in Digitalisation: From Framework to Sustainable Value Creation

Lionel Pilorget, Lecturer in IT Management at the Fachhochschule Nordwestschweiz Olten

Hacked! 72 Hours of an IT Leader's Nightmare

Florian Jörgens, Chief Information Security Officer, Author & Digital Leader Award Winner

Decisions that do – from IT Choices to Business Value

Ulrike Holzhammer, Head of Baloise IT Services at Baloise Group

Defining Data & AI Strategies with Enterprise Architecture Management

Dr. Jörg Ziemann, Global Lead Architect Data Analytics, Senior Enterprise Architect at Lufthansa Group

DISCUSSION GROUPS

Smart Manufacturing: How do we Create the Plant of the Future?

Jon Kavanagh, Head IT & Digital, EMEA at Cargill

How will AI in Software Development Reshape our Relationships with IT Vendors?

Jan-Paul Tummel, Head of IT at Zürich Commercial Insurance

The 95% Failure Rate: Are Swiss AI Projects Stuck in Pilot Purgatory?

Sergio Ambrozio, Global IT & Digital Commercial Lead at Syngenta Group

«Just Culture» in Practice: Balancing Accountability, Learning, and Trust in IT Organizations

Michel Barthe, Director of IT at Firmenich International SA

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IT Security and Digital Sovereignty: How CIOs Manage Risk and Dependency

Ronny Peterhans, Head of IT at Paul Scherrer Institut

Beyond the Hype: Unlocking Real Business Value from AI Deployments

Prof. Didier Bonnet, Professor of Strategy and Digital Transformation at IMD Business School

Topic: Adopting Product Operating Model in Enterprise IT

Dinkar Gupta, Chief Information and Technology Officer at KPMG AG

Topic: Triangular Alchemy

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OUT OF THE BOX

What Falls, What Holds: The Real Dynamics of Modern Leadership

Nadine Oppenheim, Design Thinking Coach at Pin-Point Consulting;
Oliver Gabor, Managing Director at Teambeschleuniger GmbH

Business is Like Rock 'n' Roll – It's All About Vibration, Rhythm & Resonance!

René Rennefeld, Managing Director at vuenv media gmbh;
Anthony Thet, Singer and Guitarist

ACTIVITY

Wine Cellar Tour with Tasting

Sommelier of the Victoria Jungfrau

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SUPPLIER PRESENTATION

The top three of the voting will be announced shortly before the forum.

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