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**To:** Jürgen Ligi, Minister of Finance

# Dear Jürgen Ligi,

We invite you and your institution to participate in the annual international forum "Carpathian Sea Democratic Week", which will take place from April 28 to May 2, 2025, in Truskavets, Ukraine.

This event is the Ukrainian counterpart of the Norwegian forum Arendalsuka, which gathers leading politicians, public figures, and business leaders annually to discuss pressing issues of **democracy, security, finance, and sustainable development**.

One of the key topics of this year's forum will be discussing the challenges and opportunities for attracting investments, reforming the financial sector, and developing entrepreneurship in wartime conditions.

### Why is your participation important?

A strong economy and financial policy are the foundation of Ukraine's stable development. Your expertise in **finance**, **banking**, **investment**, **or economic policy** will help shape effective solutions and foster international collaboration.

### This is a unique opportunity to:

- Discuss **financial strategies and economic recovery prospects** with leading experts and government representatives.
- Present your financial initiatives, research, or projects on an international level.
- Expand partnerships with international financial organizations, investors, and banking institutions.
- Learn about **new financial instruments** contributing to business development and investment attraction.

## What to expect?

- Panel discussions with leading Ukrainian and European financial and economic experts.
- A unique networking platform connecting international funds, investors, and government agencies.
- **Discussions on grant opportunities**, business support instruments, and international financial aid.

### **Key financial topics of the forum:**

• Adapting the banking and economic system to modern challenges.

- **Investment climate and attracting international capital** prospects for business development in Ukraine.
- The role of international financial institutions in economic recovery.
- **Public and private mechanisms** for supporting small and medium-sized businesses.
- Grant opportunities and funding for entrepreneurship and infrastructure projects.

**Event Details:** 

When: April 28 – May 2, 2025 Where: Truskavets, Ukraine

Find the detailed program, list of speakers, and discussion topics here.

# Register for the "Carpathian Sea Democracy Week" forum here:

- participant form
- for the panel organizer

We look forward to your application and participation in the forum! Your presence will contribute to **developing effective financial solutions for Ukraine's economic resilience**.

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We eagerly await your positive response!

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