

Launch of the International Association of Trusted Blockchain Applications - INATBA

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INATBA brings together industry, startups and SMEs, policy makers, international organisations, regulators, civil society and standard setting bodies to support blockchain and Distributed Ledger Technology (DLT) to be mainstreamed and scaled-up across multiple sectors. The official launch of INATBA takes place in Brussels on April 3.



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To unlock the full transformational potential and harness the benefits of blockchain and DLT for businesses, the public sector and society at large, INATBA aims to develop a framework that promotes public and private sector collaboration, regulatory convergence, legal predictability and ensures the system's integrity and transparency.

Featured speakers

- [Mariya Gabriel- Commissioner for the Digital Economy and Society](#), European Commission: [Full speech](#)
- [Roberto Viola- Director General, Directorate General of Communication](#), Networks, Content and Technology, European Commission
- Gerard de Graaf- Director, Digital Single Market, Directorate General of Communication, Networks, Content and Technology, European Commission
- Pēteris Zilgalvis, Head of Unit, Digital Innovation and Blockchain, Directorate General of Communication, Networks, Content and Technology, European Commission
- Harald Gruber, Head Digital Infrastructure, European Investment Bank
- Jelena Madir, Director, Chief Counsel, Financial Law Unit, EBRD
- Massamba Thioye, Manager, Regulatory Development Unit, Sustainable Development, UNFCCC
- Caroline Malcolm, Head Blockchain Policy Center, OECD
- Bernhard Kowatsch, Head of Innovation Accelerator, UN World Food Programme

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- Nina-Luisa Siedler, thinkBlocktank - Luxembourg
- Carlos Kuchkovsky, BBVA - Spain

- Henry Rõmigas, Guardtime - Estonia
- Paco Garcia, CTO, Yoti - UK
- Jacob Bansaard ,ERTICO - Belgium
- Nadia Filali, Caisse des Dã©pots - France
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