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Ministry of Economic Affairs
and Employment of Finland

Invitation

Talent Boost Summit

November 22, 2017 at 8:45-16:00

Venue: Event Hall Koskenranta
Katariina Saksilaisenkatu 9, 00560 Helsinki



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Please, sign up by 15th of November [here](#).



Sean Ricks



Esko Aho



Marja-Riitta Pihlman



Kajal Sanghrajka



Nikolaj Lubanski

The event is part of the [Talent Boost - International talents boosting growth -programme](#) of the Government and is organised by [the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment](#) in cooperation with [Business Tampere](#), [City of Turku](#), [COME project of the Helsinki Region Chamber of Commerce](#) and [Turku Science Park Ltd](#). Other partners are [Immigrants and innovation economy project by VTT \(VN TEAS\)](#) and [Onnivators ry](#). The event is aimed at companies, city representatives, business service providers, Ministries, changemakers in professional and business communities, higher education institutes, policymakers and international talents. Please note that there will be a live broadcast from the event and photos will also be taken. The language of the event is English. For more info, please contact Laura Lindeman: laura.lindeman@tem.fi

Programme

The event is hosted by [Sean Ricks](#)

- 8:45** **Registration and breakfast**
- 9:30** **Opening words**
Chairman of the Board, Eastoffice of Finnish Industries
Former Prime Minister [Esko Aho](#)
- 9:40** **Talent Boost Programme Intro**
Director General, [Marja-Riitta Pihlman](#),
Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment
- 10:00** **Superwoman is an Immigrant**
Churchill Fellow Researcher and Entrepreneur
[Kajal Sanghrajka](#), Growth Hub US
- 10:30** **Talent attraction management in Denmark**
Director of Talent Attraction,
[Nikolaj Lubanski](#), Copenhagen Capacity
- 10:50** **Coming soon: International House Helsinki**
Project Manager [Elina Nurmi](#), At Work in Finland project, City of Helsinki
- 11:00** **How and where to meet international talents in Finland? – Pitches from international talent pools in Finland**
- 11:30** *Lunch & fun around booths*
- 12:30** **Fireside Chats with company representatives**
Moderated by [Melissa Arni-Hardén](#), Onnivation Ltd.
• Global talent pool – how to catch the best fish?
[Matthias Deschryvere](#), Teknologian tutkimuskeskus VTT Oy
[Mari Lieskoski](#), RedLynx Ltd
• How to boost business with the help of internationals?
[Kimmo Koski](#), Arc Technology Ltd
[Hanna Puura](#), BlueFors Cryogenics Ltd
- 13:30** *Coffee*
- 14:00** **Parallel sessions:**
• How to build a talent attraction management ecosystem? – Moderated by [Nikolaj Lubanski](#), Copenhagen Capacity
• TaBoo: How to boost business via international talents - company experiences and models – Moderated by CEO [Pärtel-Peeter Pere](#), Future Place Leadership
Speakers: [Topi Koskinen](#), Gofore
[Ari Tolonen](#), Labkotec
- 15:40** **Talent speech**
[Michael Beversdorf](#), CGI
- 15:55** **Closing words**
Director of Migration, [Sonja Hämäläinen](#),
Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment
- 16:00** **End of the event**

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