



world incubation summit 2023
for business incubators and accelerators

Building Bridges Toward Excellence

Ghent, Belgium | May 14 - 17

Agenda

Subject to change. Also available on www.worldincubationsummit.com

Day 1 Sunday, May 14 Pre-Conference and Registration		
Time	Event	Location
17:00-19:30	<u>Registration and Networking</u> Registrations are open! Come in and network with peers and partners. Finger food and beverages will be available.	Wintercircus
19:30-22:00	<u>Networking dinner (own)</u> Connect and arrange your own evening meal with international peers on the eve of the conference. See our helpful suggestions on the Blog.	On your own

Day 2 Monday, May 15 Sessions, Networking and Cultural Evening		
Time	Event	Location
8:00-9:00	<u>Registration opens</u> Coffee and mingle area ready as well as the staff to provide you with the best start for your day!	Wintercircus
9:00-10:15	<u>WIS23 Opening Ceremony</u> CEO of UBI Global, CEO of imec and the Belgian Prime Minister Alexander De Croo will officially welcome everyone. A special guest(-s) with entertainment will then kick us off as the conference is to commence.	Wintercircus
10:45-11:30	<u>Best Practices Track 1</u> Winning the War for Startup Tech Talent	Wintercircus

	<u>Best Practices Track 2</u> Globalization Strategies	
11:45-12:30	<u>Best Practices Track 1</u> Universities and Entrepreneurship <u>Best Practices Track 2</u> ESG Strategies	Wintercircus
12:30-14:00	<u>Lunch + Networking</u>	
14:00-15:15	<u>Track 1</u> Lean Budget Strategies to Grow Your Program <u>Track 2</u> Collaboration for the Future: Changing to Meet New Technology Startups	Wintercircus
15:30-17:00	<u>Networking</u> We have the coffee (most important!), rooms and talking areas ready for you! Your chance to connect with your new favorite manager from across the world.	Wintercircus
17:00-18:30	<u>Corporate - Incubator Collaboration</u> Just when you thought it couldn't get any better, along comes engagement opportunities with a total new ecosystem actor.	Wintercircus
19:00-22:0	<u>Cultural Evening</u> Just when you thought you knew Belgium we will give you more reason to fall in love with the country. And yes.. it most likely will include great food and beverages ;-)	Wintercircus

Day 3 Tuesday, May 16 ITF World and UBI Awards Evening		
Time	Event	Location
8:30-10:00	<u>Traveling to ITF World</u> Consider this a mobile session 1 that will include some enrichment for delegates.	Ghent, Belgium to Antwerp, Belgium

10:00-16:00	<u>Exploring ITF World</u> The summit-within-a-summit, ITF World is an event centered on the global semiconductor initiatives set to rock the startup world. Learn more on our blog here.	ITF World Conference Center: Antwerp, Belgium
16:00-17:30	<u>Returning to Ghent</u> Let's discuss what we learned at ITF World!	Antwerp, Belgium to Ghent, Belgium
19:00-22:00	<u>WIS23 Gala & UBI Awards</u> Recognizing excellence among world top business incubators and accelerators including, inspiring speeches, entertainment and 3 course dinner.	Wintercircus
22:30-1:00	<u>WIS23 Gala Afterparty</u> Stick around and have some fun as we end the last evening of WIS23!	Wintercircus

Day 4 | Wednesday, May 17 Closing Day

Time	Event	Location
9:00-12:00	<u>Wrapping Up: Networking & Last Announcements</u> Which delegates built bridges during WIS23? Let's find out!	Wintercircus

Powered by



Hosted by



Supported by



Sponsored by

