



EUROPEAN CENTRAL BANK
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NON-FINANCIAL BUSINESS SECTOR DIALOGUE

Wednesday, 13 November 2024

European Central Bank, Sonnemannstrasse 20, Frankfurt am Main

10:00 Non-Financial Business Sector Dialogue Conference area, room C2.02

- 1 **Welcome** by Ms Christine Lagarde, President of the European Central Bank
- 2 **Introduction** by Mr Philip Lane, member of the Executive Board
- 3 **Exchange of views** on the outlook for the euro area economy, including
 - The outlook for business activity and employment across different sectors
 - Drivers of recent trends in – and the outlook for – consumer spending
 - The main drivers of - and barriers to - investment
 - External trade and competitiveness
 - Expectations and balance of risks for wage and price growth over the next year and in the medium-term

12:00 Luncheon