

PROGRAM

Sustainable Global Supply Chains

Date: 22 & 24 September 2020
Working language: English
Time: Central European Summer Time (CEST)

Tuesday, 22 September 2020

- 3:00 pm** **Welcome address and introduction to the program**
Alexander Metternich, Director of Studies, European Academy Otzenhausen
Sabina Wölkner, Head of Department 2030 Agenda, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung
- 3:20 pm** **Virtual "tour de table" – Introduction of the participants**
Guiding questions:
Why are you interested in sustainability and global supply chains?
How would you define sustainability in global supply chains?
What is the biggest challenge from your and your country's perspective?
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quently** **Opportunity for discussion**
- 4:00 pm** **End of the first session**

Thursday, 24 September 2020

- 3:00 pm** **Panel discussion**
Balancing human rights, environmental protection and economic development in sustainable supply chains
What are responsibilities of states, companies and consumers respectively when it comes to human rights and ecological due diligence in supply chains? How can the stakeholders fulfill their responsibilities? What frameworks or incentives are necessary? And how can adverse effects on societies and companies both in developing and industrialized countries be prevented?
- **MP Stefan Sauer**, Member of the CDU/CSU Group in the German Bundestag
 - **Anne Kathrin Göbel**, Coordinator Corporate Social Responsibility at the German Retail Association (HDE)
 - **Dietmar Roller**, Chairman of International Justice Mission Germany
- subsequently** **Opportunity for discussion**
- 4:00 pm** **Tour de table – Expectations for the seminar in 2021**
- 4:15 pm** **End of the seminar**