REGISTRATION

08:30
SESSION 1: GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRY DIALOGUE
ON HOW TO STRENGTHEN UKRAINE’S POSITION
AS A LEADING GLOBAL EXPORTER

- How to build Ukraine’s share in the global agricultural export market
- Creating food chains: moving from commodities to greater value-added, processed products
- The macroeconomic outlook for Ukraine and its significance for the agro-industrial sector
- Growing and diversifying exports – new markets, new (value-added) products and new participants and stakeholders
- Implementing EU standards of food safety and quality
- Preliminary results from 2018 and what does 2019 hold
- Improvements to the regulatory environment

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MORNING REFRESHMENTS

11:00
SESSION 2: SPOTLIGHT ON INVESTMENT AND FINANCING INSTRUMENTS –
WHAT TOOLS ARE AVAILABLE AND WHERE ARE THEY MOST REQUIRED

- Investing in logistics and infrastructure – focus on storage capacity, inland logistics and river transport
- The impact of the nationwide crop receipts roll-out for farming communities
- Latest financing tools and the availability of finance to support investment in the latest technologies and machinery
- The growth of activity by international investment funds buying stakes in Ukrainian agricultural companies. What are the key fundamentals driving investor interest?
- Charting the growth of the leasing of agricultural equipment

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13:00 LUNCH

14:15 SESSION 3: CASE STUDIES OF INNOVATION AND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LATEST TECHNOLOGIES BY THE LEADING AGRO-INDUSTRIAL GROUPS

- An overview of successful and innovative agtech pilot projects with the big agricultural companies
- What will be the next wave of emerging technologies that are most applicable for Ukrainian agriculture?
- Accessing new markets: working with international retailers on private label lines
- Implementing best in class business processes and technologies to raise productivity, efficiency and yields
- Switching to value-added production and developing vertically integrated value chains
- How best to manage market risk in the current environment
- Case studies of the implementation and growth of precision farming in Ukraine

15:45 AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS

16:15 SESSION 4: ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION: IDENTIFYING NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR UKRAINIAN PRODUCERS AND EXPORTERS

- Opportunities in organic farming and niche crop production
- Honey as an example of how Ukrainian producers and exporters can global market-leading positions
- Appraising attractive areas for investment:
  - modernising irrigation systems; developing inland waterway logistics; the processing industry and products with high added value; seed industry and selection; biofuels production; innovations in horticulture
- Harmonising Ukrainian legislation for organic agriculture with EU standards and creating an open register and database of organic producers

17:45 EVENING RECEPTION

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