

EIT Digital Braga Satellite, Inaugural event

26th June 2019

GNRation – Braga

Objective: Present the EIT Digital Braga Satellite as a milestone in the convergence of EIT Digital's and Portugal's strategy for digital transformation in industry, economy and society.

10:00 Opening Session (S1)

EIT Digital in Portugal: Leveraging the pan-European network for Digital Transformation

- Ricardo Rio, Mayor of Braga
- Willem Jonker, EIT Digital CEO
- EC Representative
- Pedro Siza Vieira, Minister of Economy

Inauguration of Braga EIT Digital facilities

10:30 Boosting Digital Transformation through Entrepreneurial Education (S2)

- Keynote: Roberto Prieto, EIT Digital
- Panel: Educational and skill-related challenges for digital transformation
 - Ricardo J. Machado, UMinho
 - Dániel Bányay, EIT Digital
 - Célia Reis, Altran

Facilitator: Carlos Oliveira, José Neves Foundation Executive President

11:30 Coffee Break

12:00 Digital Transformation in the Economy and the Society (S3)

- Portuguese Digital and AI Agenda, Nuno Rodrigues, FCT/ INCoDe 2030
- Digital Transformation, António M. Cunha, DTx CoLab
- EIT Digital Innovation Factory: Jesus Contreras, EIT Digital Spain

13:00 Lunch Break

14:15 Filling the gaps in the innovation funnel (S4)

- Keynotes: Rui Paiva, Wedo Technologies
Thales Group
- Panel: The European innovation funnel
 - José Manuel Mendonça, INESC TEC
 - Mário Rui Santos, Wavecom
 - Fabio Panesi, EIT Digital
 - Teresa Martins, Neadvance

Facilitator: Goncalo Amorim, BGI

16:00 Closing Session (S5)

- Willem Jonker, EIT Digital CEO
- Manuel Heitor, Minister of Science, Technology and Higher Education
- Nelson Souza, Minister of Planning

17:00 End