

## CONFERENCE

# FUTURE-READY ACCOUNTANTS: INNOVATION, SUSTAINABILITY, AND REGIONAL IMPACT



LISBOA, PORTUGAL  
24 NOVEMBER 2025






## PROGRAMME

### 13:30-14:00 • REGISTRATION & WELCOME COFFEE

### 14:15-14:45 • OPENING SESSION



-  PAULA FRANCO, OCC PRESIDENT
-  NELSON FERREIRA, FCM PRESIDENT
-  FRANCISCO SANT'ANNA, IFAC BOARD MEMBER
-  LEE WHITE\*, IFAC CEO

### 14:45-15:30 • ESG, SUSTAINABILITY AND PUBLIC VALUE

-  HARPAL SINGH, IFAC PRINCIPAL, SMALL & MEDIUM SIZE PRACTICES AND THOUGHT LEADERSHIP
-  EMIL VASILEV, IDES - BULGARIA
-  BERTI PASHKO, IEKA PRESIDENT
-  CARLOS MENEZES, OCC REPRESENTATIVE AT CNC PORTUGAL
- MODERATOR:**  JOÃO FERREIRA DA SILVA, OCC

### 15:30-16:00 • COFFEE BREAK




### 16:00-16:45 • RETHINKING MANAGEMENT IN THE MEDITERRANEAN

-  PHILIPPE ARRAOU, CNOEC FRANCE
-  MASSIMO IANNI, APRI INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE
-  MIGUEL NOLASCO PALMA, DKF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBER
- MODERATOR:**  FAROUK BOULBAHRI, CNOEC FRANCE

### 16:45 – 17:30 • CAPACITY BUILDING AND REGIONAL COOPERATION

-  PANAGIOTIS ALAMANOS, IFAC PAO DEVELOPMENT & ADVISORY GROUP
-  MARIA CAUCHI DELIA, MIA MALTA CEO
-  SAMI SOUMRI, NATIONAL SECRETARY GENERAL OF OCT COUNCIL
-  CAITRIONA ALLIS, HEAD OF EUROPE ACCA
- MODERATOR:**  NAZMI PLANA, PAST PRESIDENT OF SCAAK BOARD

### 17:30-18:00 • EU PACT FOR THE MEDITERRANEAN

-  DUBRAVKA SUICA\*, EU COMMISSIONER FOR THE MEDITERRANEAN
-  JORGE HENRIQUES, CIP - PORTUGUESE ENTERPRISE CONFEDERATION VICE-PRESIDENT
-  NELSON FERREIRA, FCM PRESIDENT

### 18:00-18:10 CLOSING SUMMARY AND WRAP-UP

-  NELSON FERREIRA, FCM PRESIDENT

\* VIDEO PARTICIPATION

SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION WILL BE PROVIDED IN ENGLISH AND PORTUGUESE.

