# CONFERENCE

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

**PROGRAMME** 

LISBOA, PORTUGAL 24 NOVEMBER 2025

### 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

- K 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



