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PROGRAM

14:00 – 14:30 **Registration**

14:30 – 14:45 **Opening remarks**

Wolf Michael Kühne, Country Managing Partner Italy, DLA Piper
Thomas Bagger, Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany
in Rome

Emanuele Gatti, President, ITKAM–Italian Chamber of Commerce
for Germany

14:45 – 15:30 **Keynote speeches**

Stefano Beco, Coordinator Aerospace Sector, Italian Industries
Federation of Aerospace, Defence and Security (AIAD)

Magnus von Cramm, Head of Space, German Aerospace Industries
Association (BDLI)

Massimo C. Comparini, Director Space Division, Leonardo S.p.A.

Moderation by: Anilkumar Dave

(Space Economy and Open Innovation Advisor)

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- 15:30 - 16:20** **Panel discussion: The Evolution of Launchers - A New Era of European Access to Space**
Dino Dima, Corporate Partner, DLA Piper
Marcello Persico, Vice President, Persico Group
Susanne Heckrodt, Head of the Launch Systems Department, German Aerospace Center (DLR)
- 16:20 - 16:35** **Coffee Break**
- 16:35 - 17:25** **Panel discussion: Space Internet to Enhance Earth Observation**
Chiara Pedersoli, CEO, OHB System AG
Caterina Bortolini, Director Cyber&Space, Rheinmetall Italia S.p.A.
Raffaella Manzini, Professor, LIUC Università Cattaneo
- 17:25 - 17:30** **Final Statements**
Eliomaria Narducci, CEO, ITKAM–Italian Chamber of Commerce for Germany
- From 17:45** Transfer to **Villa Almone** (residence of the German Ambassador),
followed by a “Climate Talk”

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