

Boson Energy main partner in Krynica this September; engaging on Business, Technology, Policy – and Culture

As a Forum main partner, Boson CEO Jan Grimbrandt will deliver a keynote at the opening ceremony, and Boson also brings two panels on Energy 4.0 and Industrial Internet of Things to the agenda – plus a unique (energy) business meets culture event featuring Grammy winners from both Luxembourg and Poland in a joint concert.

Boson is stepping up its presence at Krynica this year and actively contributes to the agenda with two panels on pressing socio-technico-economic topics for future resilience and prosperity building, which will be addressed in Krynica.

Panel 1: **'Industry 4.0 will need Energy 4.0'** will focus on the key role of distributed energy resources and 'island solutions' in building necessary energy resilience (i.e. the ability of an energy system to cope with change – be it sudden/catastrophic or shifting conditions over time) in the context of local/regional challenges, climate change, or changing market conditions. This in the context of the sustainable development goals, both in industrialized countries and developing regions.

Panel 2: **'Building an Internet of Purpose to deliver performance over lifecycle'** – will explore the potential and utility of Internet of Things beyond making life for consumers convenient, and beyond gathering massive amounts of data on everything and drown in the oceans of data produced by an 'Internet of Everything'. Visions, strategies, purpose and knowledge are needed to drive what we measure, and how we collect, analyse, model, and learn from data; and THAT will allow us to completely develop industrial design and manufacturing quality – and build performance delivery fit for circularity far beyond what we can imagine today.

A unique, cultural highlight will round off Boson's involvement in the 2016 edition of the Krynica forum, namely a concert preceding the Forum's main reception and featuring the Grammy winner of Poland, Wlodek Pawlik, and Luxembourg's Grammy winner Gast Waltzing. A Luxembourgish 'vin d'honneur' will also be offered to the many attendees, courtesy of Luxembourg's Embassy to Poland.

With its commitment to the Krynica Forum, Boson Energy is keen on strengthening the historical ties between Luxembourg and Poland, and bridging the worlds of business and of culture.