

## DAY TWO: 30th March, 2021, 12:00 - 19:30 GMT

## **AGENDA**

12:00 Introduction and Welcome

Francis Ingham, Director General, PRCA

Maja Pawinska Sims, Associate Editor, EMEA, Provoke

**12:10** Opening keynote

Brad Staples, Chief Executive Officer, APCO Worldwide

**12:40** Hayley Lowe, Expedia

13:10 Misinformation and the Climate Crisis – why comms is part of the problem John Brown, Founder and CEO, Don't Cry Wolf

**14:00** Q&A: Turning the climate emergency into an opportunity

Laura Sutherland, Chief, Aura and Founder of PRFest

Dr Martin Valenti, Head of Climate Enterprise at Scottish Enterprise

14:40 Nitin Mantri, Group CEO, Avian We & ICCO President

- **15:10** Panel Session: The Brexit deal is finally here. But will it usher in green economic innovation, new global trade opportunity and a surge in daring start-ups?
  - Nina Skero, Chief Executive, Centre for Economics and Business Research
  - Mark Lowe, Founding Partner, Third City
  - George McGregor, Managing Partner, Interel
  - Sarah Ogden, Head of Corporate Brand, Zeno Group

- **16:00** Responding with heart how to foster a strong company culture in uncertain time Barby Siegel, Global CEO, Zeno Group
- 16:30 Barabino
- 17:00 Panel: Education Universities, students and getting a start in a global recession.

The economic devastation from the past 12 months has been especially harsh on those at the start of their careers. So how can we ensure a new generation of talent isn't lost to the PR and communications industry?

- Fred Cook, Chairman Emeritus, Golin & Director, USC Annenberg Center for Public Relations
- 17:50 IABC Roundtable discussion Connect with IABC's Europe, Middle East, and North Africa Region (EMENA) Region board members and IABC Fellow, Neil Griffiths, as they talk about leadership, diversity, and inclusion
  - Dr. Kendi Guantai, IABC EMENA Region Vice Chair
  - Neil Griffiths, ABC, Chart.PR, IABC Fellow is Global Head of Diversity, Equality & Inclusion at ERM
  - Wendy L. Snyder, IABC EMENA Region board member, communications & chief of public affairs for U. S. European Command
- **18:40** Communicating the Global Response to the COVID-crisis and what it will take to achieve a fair and green recovery
  - Jeremy Hillman, Director of Corporate Communications, The World Bank Group
- 19:10 Johna Burke, Global Managing Director, AMEC
- 19:40 Tina McCorkindale, President and CEO, The Institute for Public Relations
- 20:00 DAY ONE CLOSE