

# 6<sup>th</sup> Economic Development Days 2018



Insights by Development Practitioners  
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## May 4 & 5

**Friday, May 4, 2018**

**10:00 – 16:00 (TC.4.01. Campus WU)**

**10:00 Opening Remarks & Managing the World Bank's Financial Risks**

Daniel Pajank – Economist, World Bank Group (WBG)

**11:30 Labor Markets in Southeast Europe**

Stefanie Brodmann – Sr. Economist, WBG

**13:15 Financing Efficient and Sustainable Transport**

Tara Shirvani – Principal Economist, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

**14:30 Industrialization in the 21<sup>st</sup> century**

Thomas Bernhardt – Advisor, Austrian Ministry of Finance

**Saturday, May 5, 2018**

**10:00 – 16:00 (TC.4.03, Campus WU)**

**10:00 Measuring Poverty in Afghanistan**

Christina Wieser – Economist, WBG

**11:30 Fighting Natural Disasters in South Asia**

Christoph Pusch – Manager, WBG

**13:15 Safeguarding People and Environment**

Gernot Brodnig – Sr. Specialist, WBG

**14:30 Accountability When Things Go Wrong**

Birgit Kuba – Inspection Panel, WBG

**15:45 Closing Remarks**

Klaus Friesenbichler – Sr. Economist, Austrian Institute of Economic Research (WIFO)

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