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PROGRAMME

14.00 // Light Lunch

14.30 // Welcome and Introduction by **Professor Dáire Keogh**, President of Dublin City University (DCU)

Presentation of COMPETE by **Professor Federico Fabbrini**, Full Professor of European Law and Founding Director of the Dublin European Law Institute and Brexit Institute, DCU

Keynote Speech by **Enrico Letta**, Former Prime Minister of Italy and Author of 'Much More than a Market'

Keynote Speech by **Minister Thomas Byrne**, Minister of State for European Affairs and Defence

15.30 // High-Level Policy Roundtable

- **Mr Valerio Scollo**, Partner, GSK Stockmann
- **Mr Danny McCoy**, Chief Executive Officer of Ibec
- **Mr Massimo Fabio**, Partner, Head of Trade & Customs, KPMG Italy
- **Mr Andrew Byrne**, Director, EU Policy Coherence, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Moderated by **Professor John Doyle**, Vice President for Research, DCU

16.30 // Coffee Break

16.45 // Academic Panel

- **Dr Christy Ann Petit**, Assistant Professor of European Banking and Finance Law, DCU
- **Dr Niall Moran**, Assistant Professor of Economic Law, DCU
- **Dr Ian Cooper**, Senior Research Fellow at the Dublin European Law Institute and Brexit Institute, DCU
- **Dr John Quinn**, Assistant Professor of European Company Law

Moderated by **Professor Derek Hand**, Executive Dean of the Faculty of Humanities & Social Sciences, DCU