



# Annual Dinner & General Assembly 2019

## Preliminary programme

### 4 June 2019 - Annual Executive Dinner

[Chalet Robinson](#) (Sentier de l'Embarcadère 1, 1000 Brussels)

**18:30-19:30** Registration & cocktail reception

**19:30-21:30** 3-course seated dinner

**19:45** Keynote by **Philippe De Backer**, Belgian Federal Minister for Digital

**20:30** Member Recognition and Awards  
A thank you from the staff to selected members

### 5 June 2019 - General Assembly & Conference:

[NH Collection Grand Sablon Hotel](#) (Rue Bodenbroek 2, 1000 Brussels)

**8:30-9:10** Registration & welcome coffee

**9:10-9:25** Welcome and yearly review by **Markus Borchert**, President of DIGITALEUROPE

**9:25-9:45** Insights by **Cecilia Bonefeld-Dahl**, Director-General of DIGITALEUROPE  
*"A Stronger Digital Europe"*

**9:45-10:05** Keynote by **Minna Kivimäki**, Deputy Permanent Representative,  
Permanent Representation of Finland to the EU  
*"What are the digital priorities of the upcoming Finland's EU Presidency?"*

**10:05-11:00** Potential C-level interventions from Members

**11:00-11:25** Coffee Break

**11:25-12:15** Discussion on adjustment of annual fees

**12:15-12:45** European Commission Vice-President **Jyrki Katainen** speech & Q/A  
*"How to assess the job and growth agenda under the Juncker Commission and what is the way ahead for the future legislative term?"*

**12:45-13:00** Official Business: Elections & Motions

**13:00-13:05** Closing remarks by **Cecilia Bonefeld-Dahl**, Director-General of DIGITALEUROPE

**13:05-14:00** Lunch

