

## **Press Release**

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***On 13 September 2021, Damir Filipovic joined the European Enterprise Alliance as a Secretary-General.***

The European Enterprise Alliance welcomes Damir Filipovic in his new role as a Secretary-General.

*"I am very excited to join and support the Alliance in promoting the issues at heart for the region of Central and South-East Europe,"* said Damir Filipovic.

Damir brings over 20 years of experience in the public and private sector in network technology, innovation and regulation. He has worked with government agencies and private industry, including the Ministry of Communication in Croatia and Croatian subsidiaries of Deutsche Telekom and Telekom Austria. Damir was leading regulatory and wholesale business departments and has founded and run several startups. Since 2008, he has been working in Brussels covering technology, innovation, regulation and compliance with the EU regulation. Damir has also been working for Europa Insights, providing advice to clients. Damir received his MSc in engineering from the University of Zagreb. He is fluent in Croatian, English and German with knowledge of Russian, Romanian and Italian.

*"We are looking forward to fruitful cooperation with Damir and believe that his experience will allow the Alliance to advance its agenda and create a better understanding of the region's businesses needs in Brussels,"* said Marcin Nowacki, President of the European Enterprise Alliance.

In his new role, Damir will be responsible for engaging with the European Institutions work programme, participating in EU policy events, and representing the Alliance positions on regulatory and policy matters. He will also be supporting the development of membership and managing the planning and delivery of the organisation's established programmes and activities.