## **LEADING THE DIGITAL DECADE**

DAY 1 - 1 June 2021

TIMING (CET)	SESSION/HIGH-LEVEL SPEAKERS	
10:00 - 10:30	OPENING Pedro Siza Vieira, Minister of State for the Economy and the Digital Transition, Portugal  Keynote: Setting the scene for the Digital Decade Thierry Breton, Commissioner for the Internal Market, European Commission	
10:30 - 11:15	PLENARY SESSION I Investing in World-Leading Infrastructure	
11:15 - 11:30	Break	
11:30 – 12:00	HIGH-LEVEL SESSION - Lisbon Declaration and the EllaLink Cable  Ursula von der Leyen, President, European Commission  António Costa, Prime Minister, Portugal	
12:00 – 12:30	EllaLink Cable Inauguration	
12:30 - 13:15	PLENARY SESSION II Digital Principles – Defining the European Way	
13:15 - 14:00	Lunch Break	
14:00 - 14:45	PLENARY SESSION III Digital Skills: Engine of European Recovery	
14:45 - 15:30	PLENARY SESSION IV Strengthening European Companies through Digitalisation	
15:30 - 16:15	PLENARY SESSION V Race to 100% - Digitalisation of Public Services	
16:15 - 16:30	Break	
16:30 - 17:15	PLENARY SESSION VI International Partnerships for the Digital Decade	
17:15 - 17:30	CLOSING CEREMONY  Margrethe Vestager, Executive Vice President, European Commission  Manuel Heitor, Minister of Science, Technology and Higher Education, Portugal	

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## **LEADING THE DIGITAL DECADE**

DAY 2 - 2 June 2021

TIMING (CET)	SESSION		
09:30 - 09:35	Welcome by Master of Ceremonies		
09:35 - 09:45	A New Programme for Europe's Digital Decade		
09:45 - 10:15	The Building blocks of Digital Europe Programme		
10:30 - 11:15	Implementation of the Digital Europe Programme		
	TRACK 1	TRACK 2	
11:30 - 12:15	High Performance Computing	Data for EU – Data Spaces	
12:30 - 13:15	Cybersecurity for Europe	Testing and Experimentation Facilities and the AI On-Demand Platform	
13:15 - 14:15	Lunch Break		
14:15 - 15:00	EuroQCI- building a secure quantum communication infrastructure for the EU	Cloud Federation	
15:15 - 16:00	European Digital Innovation Hubs	Digital Health	
16:15 - 17:00	Smart and Green Communities	Building the European sovereignty: An ambitious impetus for advanced digital skills	
17:15 - 18:00	European Digital Government EcoSystem (EDGES)	Make it happen - How to write a proposal for Digital Europe Programme?	
18:00 - 18:30	CLOSING		

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