



CONCORDIA CALENDAR 2017

CONCORDIA AMERICAS SUMMIT IN BOGOTÁ

FEBRUARY 21, 2017

LOCATION: BOGOTÁ, COLOMBIA

DESCRIPTION

As an institution, Concordia is highly invested in the security and prosperity of the Americas and has prioritized collaboration across the Western Hemisphere as focal point of its agenda in 2017 and beyond. To address the most pressing challenges of the region, Concordia plans to hold a high-level convening of regional leadership in Colombia in early 2017 to explore cross-sector solutions to three major issue areas including: regional corruption, the implementation of the recently approved peace deal, and a roadmap to achieving the U.N. Sustainable Development Goals. As evidenced in its mission, Concordia believes public-private partnerships are a key tool in addressing these issues and creating a more prosperous and sustainable future across the Americas.

GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS WEEK (GPW)

MARCH 6 - 10, 2017

LOCATION: WASHINGTON, D.C.

DESCRIPTION

The U.S. Department of State in collaboration with Concordia, the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), and PeaceTech Lab will kick off Global Partnerships Week (GPW) by convening the third annual gathering of partnership builders from governments, multilateral organizations, civil society and corporations for a one-day forum. This event will bring together partnership practitioners and leaders to engage in discussion on common challenges and best practices, identify new partnership opportunities and coordinate on collaborative solutions. This year, GPW will focus on the role of partnerships in achieving the U.N. Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), in particular Goal 17: Partnerships for the Goals.

CONCORDIA EUROPE SUMMIT IN ATHENS

JUNE 6 - 7, 2017

LOCATION: ATHENS, GREECE

DESCRIPTION

The Concordia Europe Summit in Athens will convene public and private sector leaders for a high-level dialogue on how cross-sector collaboration can address the political, economic, and social priorities of Europe. Concordia believes that public-private partnerships (P3s) have great potential for impact in Europe as it works to preserve a modern-day union, quell a burgeoning refugee crisis, reignite and regional economic growth, while remaining on the path to achieving the U.N. Sustainable Development Goals by 2030.

CONCORDIA ANNUAL SUMMIT IN NEW YORK

SEPTEMBER 18 - 19, 2017

LOCATION: NEW YORK, NEW YORK

DESCRIPTION

Since 2011, the Concordia Annual Summit has convened the world's most prominent business, government, and nonprofit leaders to foster dialogue and enable effective partnerships for social impact. This annual global affairs forum takes place in New York City and examines the world's most pressing challenges. Since its founding, the Concordia Annual Summit has brought together over 5,000 participants, including 50 current and former heads of state, 500 international and Fortune 500 C-suite executives, prominent nonprofit leaders, and senior U.S. Congressional and Administration officials.



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CONCORDIA CAMPAIGN ROUNDTABLES THROUGHOUT 2017

LOCATION: MULTIPLE

DESCRIPTION

A Concordia Campaign draws attention to an issue and catalyzes action for maximum social impact around that issue. The Concordia Campaign Against Labor Trafficking and the Concordia Campaign for a Sustainable Global Food Supply leverage year-round programming, quarterly roundtables and working groups, and private meetings to advance its agenda.

PARTNERSHIP INDEX BRIEFINGS THROUGHOUT 2017

LOCATION: MULTIPLE

DESCRIPTION

Concordia's research equips governments, businesses, and nonprofits with analytical tools to engage effectively in public-private partnerships. Our major research output, the Concordia Partnership Index, evaluates partnership opportunities across industry sectors.

LEADERSHIP SERIES THROUGHOUT 2017

LOCATION: MULTIPLE

DESCRIPTION

Roundtable discussions with preeminent thought leaders provide substantive analysis on current global issues. Interactive conversations with members of our Leadership Council and other notable international figures afford Concordia members the opportunity to gain insight into international affairs.