

WTO Chairs Programme Saint Petersburg State University (SPSU)

Market Access for Trade in Goods and Trade Facilitation: Recent Developments

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PROGRAMME

Tuesday, 14 November 2017

17:00 – 18:30	Session 1: Market Access: Definitions and fundamental principles
18:30 – 18:45	Break
18:45 – 20:00	Session 2: Schedules of concessions; Jurisprudence
20:00 – 20:15	Break
20:15 – 21:00	Session 3: Modification of Schedules; ongoing process of Armenia and Kyrgyz Republic as a result of joining the EuroAsian Economic Union.

Wednesday, 15 November 2017

17:00 – 18:30	Session 4: Non-tariff measures and quantitative restrictions	
18:30 – 18:45	Break	
18:45 – 20:00	Session 5: Quick introduction to Import Licensing Procedures and Customs Valuation	
20:00 – 20:15	Break	
20:15 – 21:00	Session 6: E-commerce and the WTO rules on trade in goods	

Thursday, 16 November 2017

17:00 – 18:30	Session 7: Agreement on Trade Facilitation
18:30 – 18:45	Break
18:45 – 20:00	Session 8: Agreement on Trade Facilitation (cont').
20:00 – 20:15	Break
20:15 – 21:00	Session 9: Past, Present and Future of the WTO