

Programme

11:30am-12noon: Registration

Grow Global

Lord Mayor of Belfast

Doing Good While Doing Well

Thomas D. DiNapoli, New York State Comptroller (Invited)

An Engine for Growth: Small Business Bridge-Builders

Karen Kerrigan, CEO and Founder Small Business Economic Council, Washington D.C.
Introduced by Brian Moran, Founder Small Business Edge

Nurturing Talent, Honing Skills

Andrea Haughian, VP Americas, Invest NI
Keith Forster, Director of Economic Development, Belfast City Council
Malachy Ó Néill, Director Regional Engagement Ulster University

Growing Belfast to the World

Chair: Clare Guinness, CEO Belfast Chamber of Commerce
Panel: Eamon McCrory, Senior Business Development, Vyta, Belfast
Ciara McConkey, Assistant Director, Version1, Belfast
Ashleen Feeney, Partner, KPMG Ireland, Belfast

Presenting Belfast to the World – The Role of Flagship Events in City Growth

Moderator: Maura Kelly, Principal, Purple Mountain Media
John Walsh, CEO Belfast City Council
Alison Metcalfe, Head of North America, Tourism Ireland

North Star Performance

Kwame Daniels

Close and Thanks

Chyanne Holmes, Deputy Director, NI Bureau, North America

4pm: An Artist's Eyrie
– A Visit to the 30,000 sq ft Studio of Belfast Painter, Film-Maker and Jazz Pianist Marcus Robinson on a top floor of Tower Three of the World Trade Center.

6pm: Farewell Finale
The Dead Rabbit (Third Floor), 30 Water Street, New York, NY 1004