



PRESS RELEASE

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Come redefine global futures with the Next 100 Symposium! The second edition of our annual Autumn flagship meeting of the Global Arena Research Institute.

For the second time, Prague will host the Next 100 Symposium, a **global future-oriented meeting**. Political, business, academic leaders, innovators and other influential thinkers will gather and discuss how to transform current challenges into future opportunities. Organized by the Global Arena Research Institute, it will take place on **November 19th-21st 2019** at **DOX - Centre of Contemporary Art** in **Prague, Czech Republic**.

2019 marks **30 years of the democratic transitions in Europe**. How shall we **revive the future-oriented spirit** that framed the exciting weeks and months of 1989-90, knowing the current concerns of sustainability, environment, globalisation, societal changes, digital and technological transformations? **GARI, for one, is creating a digital ontology of globalisation.**

N100 is the flagship Autumn **working meeting** of the Global Arena Research Institute bringing together the realms of technology, society, politics, economy, environment and more. A working dialogue about how to translate **crisis-driven language** into **future-oriented ideas on a global scale** and a vision of the next one hundred years.

The N100 platform's mission is to bring together the **most progressive minds** in the economic, business and technological fields together with the most innovative and prominent international political figures, as well as impactful social scientists, thinkers, economists and natural scientists.

The symposium serves as an initial meeting of a continuous project with up to 35 working groups representing topics under the 7 general "Next100 areas" (N100 Science and Innovation, N100 Technology, N100 Economy, N100 Politics, N100 Security and Defense, N100 Society, N100 Energy and Environment).

2019 pre-confirmed key speakers :

- Tim Palmer, Research Professor, The Royal Society
- Jeffrey Sachs, Economist, Columbia Earth Institute
- Frederick Bordry, Director of Acceleration & Technology, CERN
- Hans Pung, President, RAND Europe
- Robert-Jan Smits, President, Eindhoven University, Former Director-General of Research & Innovation, EU Commission, the architect of Horizon 2020 and ERC



Registration is available on the Next 100 Symposium website. Tickets prices vary between €200 and €700. Special group pricing applies when purchasing three tickets or more. Non-profit organizations are invited to contact Global Arena Research Institute directly to inquire about obtaining a fee waiver. For more information regarding ticket registration and access, please contact n100@globalari.org.

Global Arena Research Institute (GARI) is the key organizer of the Next 100 Symposium. GARI strives to undertake pioneering research in the field of globalization, using the most advanced technologies of data science, artificial intelligence, deep learning and other highly developed modes of computer-aided reasoning. By leveraging these technological approaches, GARI aims to address previously unanswerable questions about the nature, impact and political management of globalization.

*In order to obtain your press pass and acquire any additional information regarding the Next 100 Symposium or the Global Arena Research Institute, please contact Carla Galli at carla@globalari.org. You may also contact this address for opportunities to organize interviews with Michal Kořan, Founder & President of the Board, or Odessa Primus, Executive Director. More info at www.next100symposium.org and www.globalari.org.