NEW technologies for SMART borders
opportunities for Trade, Travel and Transport

Explore the ways that modern technologies can lead to exciting possibilities for a whole-of-government approach at the border

Baku, Azerbaijan
12-14 June 2019

A three day conference focusing on exploring the role of technologies at the border

Hosted by:
State Customs Committee, Republic of Azerbaijan

Organized by:
World Customs Organization (WCO)

Supported by:
Korea Customs Service (KCS)

Who will attend:
Customs authorities, representatives from border regulatory agencies, the IT sector, the broader business community, governmental and trade organizations, development partners, academia and others involved in the international trade arena.

For further information about the Conference visit the WCO events website:
Tuesday, 11 June

15.30 – 19.00  Registration
19.00 – 21.00  Welcome reception

Wednesday, 12 June

8.00 – 18.00  Registration
9.30 – 10.30  Official Opening Ceremony

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11.30 – 12.00  Keynote speeches
12.00 – 14.00  Networking lunch
14.00 – 14.15  Keynote address from the host administration
14.15 – 15.45  Plenary session 1: Reshaping policies for technology-advanced trade
15.45 – 16.15  Refreshment & Contact Break
16.15 – 16.30  Keynote speech

16.30 – 18.00  **Stream A:** Paving the way for blockchain technology - a step-by-step approach  **Stream B:** Exploiting cutting-edge technologies to secure and facilitate trade

19.00 – 22.30  GALA DINNER

Thursday, 13 June

8.30 – 18.00  Registration
9.30 – 9.45  Keynote Speech

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