

**Project of participation program. Open Innovations Forum**  
**The proposal for Ofir Akunis, Israeli Minister of Science, Technology and Space.**

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**October 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>, Moscow, Skolkovo Innovation Center**

**October 25<sup>th</sup> – Arriving to Moscow**

- 15:15**                      **Departure** with flight LY613 from TLV to Moscow
- 19:30**                      **Landing** in DOMODEDOVO airport
- 20:00-21:00**              **Arriving to RITZ CARLTON hotel**
- 21:30**                      **Dinner and Briefing with Israel's Ambassador, Zvi Heifetz,** at  
a restaurant near the hotel

**October 26<sup>th</sup> – the first day of the event**

**08:00-08:45**    -   **Breakfast** at RITZ CARLTON hotel

**09:00-10:30**    -   **Getting to Skolkovo Innovation Center**

**11:15 – 11:45**   -   **Opening Ceremony of the Open Innovations Forum**  
A.V. Dvorkovich, Russian Vice PM  
S.S. Sobyenin, Mayor of Moscow  
V.F. Vekselberg, President of Skolkovo Foundation  
A.B. Chubais, Chairman of the Executive Board of RUSNANO

*Big Stage, 500 guests (senior Russian Ministers, Governors, the Elite of the Russian Science, Academia and High-Tech Community)*

**Speech:** the Minister will carry the short opening speech (5min)

**11:50-12:05**    -   **Briefing the Minister** for Russia's main media, at the Press Lounge  
(in case the minister will be interviewed for the Russian press)

**12:15 – 13:30**    **Plenary Session - Technologies of Growth**  
With participation of D.A. Medvedev, Prime Minister of the Russian Federation

*Big Stage, 700 senior members of the innovations community from Russia, Asia, and the Western World. Ministers from many countries.*

*Minister Akunis will sit on the stage in half a circle, alongside 4 other main speakers*

1. **Paul Misener**, VP, Global Innovation Policy and Communications at Amazon.com (USA)
2. **Herman Gref**, President and Chairman of the Executive Board of Sberbank of Russia (Russia)
3. **Dirk Ahlborn**, CEO of Hyperloop Transportation Technologies
4. **Ilya Sachkov**, Group-IB CEO (Russia), has been ranked among the brightest young entrepreneurs under 30 according to Forbes magazine for 2016.

*The audience would be below and around. Medvedev will open and close the session.*

**Speech:** the Minister will carry his main speech (10 min), on the topic of 'What makes Israel a Start Up Nation'.

**13:30 – 14:30 - Lunch**

**and either:**

Informal meeting with President of Skolkovo Foundation **V.F. Vekselberg**

**14:30 – 15:45 - Opening remarks: panel discussion - Start-up Nation: The Story of Israel's Ecosystem Development**

*Hall 4, There will be a round table of 6-7 Israeli participants, with audience around them. The list of speakers will be from the following list (not final yet):*

**Peretz Lavie**, Professor at Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine André Ballard Chair in Biological Psychiatry, Technion President

**Yossi Vardi**, DLD Tel-Aviv

**Elena Donets**, General Director, StarTau, Tel Aviv University Entrepreneurship Center

**Barak Goldshtein**, Venture Partner, Terra Venture Partners, TerraLab Venture, n-Join Research

**Amnon Ortner**, Board Member, Meitav Dash Group

**Carmella Jacoby**, Vice President Innovation & Interdisciplinary Development, and Dean of Design School, COMAS (College of Management Academic Studies)

**Karin Rubinstein**, CEO, Israeli Advanced Technology Industries (IATI)

**Revital Nadiv**, Managing Director, FablabIL

**Meir Perez Pugatch** – Professor at the University of Haifa, Israel

**Yossi Matias**, R&D Head, Google Israel

**Naor Gilon**, Venture Partner at TAC, former Ambassador of Israel to Italy and to San Marino

**Erez Tzur**, Cj-Chair, IATI (Israeli Advanced Technology Industries)

*Zeev Zalevsky, Physicist, Electrical engineer, Inventor of Kinect, Director of Nano Photonics Center Institute of Nanotechnology and Advanced Materials*

**Speech:** the Minister will carry a short opening speech, as the head of the Israeli delegation (1-2 min)

- 16:00-16:30** - **Meeting with the Minister of Education and Science of the Russian Federation O.U. Vasilieva** (tbc)
- 17:30** - **Departure to Private Dinner** with Israel's Ambassador, Zvi Heifetz, and his wife, Sigalia (location will be sent)

**October 27<sup>th</sup> – the second day of the event and Departure from Moscow**

- 10:00-13:30**      **Tour in the Red Square and the Kremlin**  
Guide: Anya, local Hebrew-Speaker tour guide.
- 13:30-14:00**      **Getting to the Tolerance Center, the Jewish Museum**
- 14:00-16:30**      **A tour at the Tolerance Center & Lunch** (probably a meeting with the head Rabbi of Moscow). Departure time depends on traffic; it might be earlier, at 16:00.
- 16:30-19:00**      **Getting to DOMODEDOVO airport**
- 20:35**              **Departure with flight LY614 to Israel**