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## **Conference « Philanthropy and taxation »**

Organized by the Geneva Centre for Philanthropy, University of Geneva  
26-27 November 2020  
Geneva, Switzerland

### [Preliminary programme](#)

*The timing of the conference events may be subject to modifications*

## **DAY 1 (26 November 2020)**

### **PRE-CONFERENCE EVENT**

9h00 - 12h00: Workshop of junior scholars

### **BRAINSTORMING SESSION**

14h30 – 16h30: Experts' brainstorming session on selected topics

### **PUBLIC CONFERENCE**

*N.B.: this part of the Conference will be open to public. The timing can still change slightly.*

18h00: Opening

18h10: Keynote speech - Mr. Pascal Saint-Amans, Director of the Centre for Tax Policy and Administration, OECD

18h50: Questions and panel discussion

19h20: Closing

20h00: Dinner with speakers, experts, organisational committee and guests

## DAY 2 (27 November 2020)

### SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

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8h30: **Workshop 1:** Are tax incentives for philanthropy justified?

10h00: Break

10h30: **Workshop 2:** Which types of tax incentives for philanthropic activities are conceivable and what is their respective efficiency?

12h00: Lunch

13h30: **Workshop 3:** Cross-border philanthropy and tax barriers: should they be eliminated?

15h00: Break

15h30: **Workshop 4:** What is the role of tax incentives in corporate philanthropy and social entrepreneurship?

17h00: Closing

17h30: Post-conference social programme