Mid-Atlantic - Eurasia Business Council (MAEBC/MARBC)

23rd Annual Eurasian - American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT)
May 30 – June 7, 2019
Philadelphia, PA; New York, NY; Mid-Atlantic Region

Welcoming Ceremony and Opening Sessions
June 3, 2019
Mayor's Reception Room, Philadelphia City Hall
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Philadelphia City Hall, Mayor’s Reception Room,
Broad and Market Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

The 23rd Annual Eurasian - American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT) will take place from May 30 - June 7, 2019 in Philadelphia, PA, Washington, D.C., New York, NY, and the Mid-Atlantic Region. It will focus on information technology, biotechnology, the pharmaceutical industry, medical equipment, life sciences, alternative energy, nanotechnology, the chemical industry, educational technology, and entrepreneurship. The RANIT is a multi-industry event, highlighting increased involvement by key Eurasian and American policy-makers. In 2019 RANIT will also highlights the Mid-Atlantic - Eurasia Business Council’s 25th Anniversary Celebration.

The Welcoming Ceremony and Sessions for the 23rd Annual Eurasian - American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT) will be held on June 3 in the Mayor’s Reception Room at Philadelphia City Hall. The Welcoming Ceremony and Sessions will feature a multi-country delegation from Eurasian countries, along with panels presenting Eurasian companies.

Other key 23rd Annual RANIT events will include Eurasian – American Technology & Entrepreneurship Conference, Eurasian Economic Union Session, Eurasian/Russian – American Life Sciences Innovation Roundtable, and the Eurasian - American Innovation Technology Commercialization Roundtable. The Mid-Atlantic – Eurasia Business Council will be partnering, organizing programs, and facilitating Eurasian participation in the World Trade Week NYC and 2019 BIO International Convention. This year’s 23rd Annual RANIT will include the Days of Eurasian - American Innovation Entrepreneurship Cooperation (RAVC Spring 2019).

For registration visit https://ma-rbc.ticketleap.com/23rd-ranit-welcoming-ceremony-and-opening-sessions/
For information about the 23rd RANIT, please contact Mid-Atlantic - Eurasia Business Council by phone: (484) 467-7444, email: val@ma-rbc.org, or visit the MAEBC/MARBC website at: http://www.ma-rbc.org
### Welcoming Remarks

**Mid-Atlantic - Eurasia Business Council's 25th Anniversary**

**Special Guests**

### Session 1

**Innovative Technologies around the World**

**International Cooperation in Research and Innovation: Global Challenges and Opportunities**

### Sessions 2-3

**Market Regulation and Industry Views. International Collaboration Across Various Industries**

**Healthcare Reforms in US and Eurasia**

**Life Sciences, Medical Devices. Top Life Sciences Clusters**

**Development of New Medicines. Cancer Research. Biomedical Science**

**Sustainability, Energy Efficiency and Alternative Energy**

**Information Technology. Telecommunication**

### Session 4

**Eurasia: New Developments**

**Eurasian Economic Union, Eastern Europe, Central Asia, BRICS. European Union, Brexit**

**Belarus, Bulgaria, China, India, Israel, Kazakhstan, South Korea, Russia, Ukraine, Uzbekistan**

### Session 5


### Session 6

**Entrepreneurial Landscape: International Best Practices**

**Educational Innovations - New Models. New Areas for Partnership**

### Closing Remarks
The City of Philadelphia's deep history of diversity enables it to become a proud hub of international business activity. Business leaders from around the world know Philadelphia — the first World Heritage City in the United States — is a place where they will be welcomed and can easily find local residents who are compatriots. Our diversity is a unique strength that, through partnerships with many international business leaders, nurtures economic growth and leads to future economic development.

Founded in 1994, the Mid-Atlantic—Eurasia Business Council (MAEBC) has had major success in its work to foster business relations between Eurasia/Russia and the U.S. Mid-Atlantic region by enabling business leaders in both regions to enhance their platforms across the world. Its landmark event in our region is the annual Eurasian — American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT), which will be held for the 23rd time between Thursday, May 30 to Friday, June 7, 2019. The multi-industry event highlights increased involvement between key policy makers in American and Eurasian countries.

The event will kick off with a welcoming ceremony and opening session in the Mayor's Reception Room at City Hall and the festivities will include several important discussions and roundtables, including the Eurasian — American Technology & Entrepreneurship Conference, the Eurasian Economic Union Session, the Eurasian/Russian — American Life Sciences Innovation Roundtable, the 2019 BIO International Convention, and the Eurasian — American Innovation Technology Commercialization Roundtable. The delegations will also head to New York City for a World Trade Week NYC and the Days of Eurasian — American Innovation Entrepreneurship Cooperation.

The events will focus on information technology, biotechnology, the pharmaceutical industry, medical equipment, life sciences, alternative energy, nanotechnology, the chemical industry, educational technology, and entrepreneurship. Important discussions with business leaders, policymakers, financiers, and technology corporations will be featured in order to promote technological cooperation between American and international businesses. This year the participants will celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Mid-Atlantic — Eurasia Business Council.

**THEREFORE...**

I, James F. Kenney, Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, do hereby proclaim Thursday, May 30 to Friday, June 7, 2019 to be

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in Philadelphia and urge all citizens to be aware of the importance of this dialogue in fostering the development of Eurasian-American industries, and the economic benefits it brings our City and the surrounding Mid-Atlantic region.

Given under my hand and the seal of the City of Philadelphia on this thirtieth day of May, two thousand and nineteen