

IBM INNOVATION FORUM

Wednesday July 9, 2025, 11:30 AM - 21:30 PM

Asteria Domus, Glyfada

AGENDA

TECHNICAL SESSIONS

11:30 - 12:00 | Registration & Welcome

12:00 - 13:35 | Dive into Tech

12:00 - 12:45

Track 1

Architecting the Future: Gain technical insight on RedHat OpenShift Container Platform for Virtualization

George Cassar, Customer Success and Technical Sales Manager, IBM

Track 2

Empower Your Enterprise with Agentic AI: watsonx Orchestrate in Action

Melina Elena Mazaraki, Customer Success Manager, IBM

5' Break

12:50 - 13:35

Track 1

Infrastructure Lifecycle management through HashiCorp Terraform

George Mavrovitis, Architect, IBM

Track 2

Bridging the gap between legacy systems and next-gen integration patterns with webMethods

Danai Efthymiopoulou, Automation Technical Sales Specialist, IBM

5' Break

13:40 - 14:45 | Partnering for Impact

Success Story: Why IT Financial Management Matters More Than Ever

Andreas Tsagkaris, Chief Technology Officer, Performance Technologies

Success Story: IT Power Maximization & Automation

Manos Kokolakis, Customer Success Manager, InTTrust

Panel Discussion - Beyond 2025: Future-Ready Tech Strategies from IBM Business Partners:

Nikitas Kladakis, General Manager, Adacom

Kostas Fotinopoulos, Technical Director, Byte

Ilias Mamouras, Technology and R&D Director, Predicta

Dimitris Pappas, Chief Technology Officer, iKnowHow

Moderator: George Cassar, Customer Success and Technical Sales Manager, IBM

14:45 - 15:30 | Light Lunch & Networking

MAIN SESSION

15:30 - 16:00 | Registration - Main Session

Event Host

Epistimi Christodouloupoulou, Financial Services Technology Leader, IBM

16:00 - 16:15 | Welcome to IBM Innovation Forum

Dimitris Pimpas, General Manager, IBM Greece and Cyprus

16:15 - 17:00 | Automation and Application Modernization in a hybrid world: a necessary urgency

Application Modernization Concepts & Best Practices

Yiannis Zogalis, Hybrid Cloud Management Service Line Leader, IBM

Maximize your operational resiliency with AI-powered observability tools

Elias Stavropoulos, IBM Technology Account Technical Leader, IBM

Customer Testimonial – NBG Application Resource Optimization in Action

Dimitris Kalpaxis, Msc MBA, Head of Sector – NBG Group IT Operations and Infrastructure Division

Spyros Poulimenos, Customer Success Manager, IBM

Tie your tech investments to clear business value

Antonis Economides, Automation Sales Specialist, IBM

17:00 - 17:30 | BREAKTHROUGH with IBM for RISE with SAP

IBM Journey to SAP Rise

Dimosthenis Androulakis, Supply Chain Practice Leader, IBM Greece & Cyprus

Simplify the journey with a unified point of accountability

Anna-Maria Perisorati, Cloud Platform Sales Specialist, IBM

Customer Testimonial - KAFKAS S.A

Nikos Platis, IT Director, KAFKAS S.A

Dimosthenis Androulakis, Supply Chain Practice Leader, IBM Greece & Cyprus

17:30 - 17:45 | Coffee Break

17:45 - 18:45 | Scale trusted AI

AI Journey and industry use cases

Olympia Giannoukaki, Delivery Manager, Business Strategy & Client Relations, IBM

Christos Michas, Data & AI FSS Sales Leader, IBM

Customer Testimonial - Interamerican

Marios Sintichakis, Information Technology Strategy & Governance Leader,
INTERAMERICAN

Christos Michas, Data & AI FSS Sales Leader, IBM

Customer Testimonial - Alpha Bank

Michalis Mikelakis, Head of Advanced Analytics & AI, CVDM Division, Alpha Bank

Valia Demesticha, Software Sales Manager, IBM

Doing the right AI & Doing AI right

Sofia Argiti, Data & AI Specialist, IBM

18:45 - 19:00 | 2025 CEO Study: 5 mindshifts to supercharge business growth

Aggelos Vlachopoulos, Manager of IBM Technology, Greece & Cyprus

19:00 - 19:45 | Customer Panel: Path to Innovation – Executive Insights on Transformation

Giannis Vasilatos, Chief Operating Officer, Eurolife FFH

Michalis Tsarbopoulos, Chief Digital Officer, Alpha Bank

Haris Chatzikokkinos, Deputy General Manager, Head of Group Procurement, Eurobank

Spyros Poulidas, Vice President, Data & AI, IBM EMEA

Moderator: Dimitris Primpas, General Manager, IBM Greece and Cyprus

19:45 - 20:00 | Closing Remarks: Humanity in the Loop: Inventing the Future Together

Dimitris Dimitriades, Futurist

20:00 | Dinner and Cocktails