

TAX RESEARCH CONFERENCE

Current Trends in the Taxation of Individual

26 October, 2026 – **The Link Hall, MBR**

Agenda

- 08:30 – 09:00 **Registration**
- 09:00 – 09:15 **Opening Address**
Dr Ivan Grixti PhD (Soton) *(Head of the Tax Research Unit)*
- 09:15 – 10:00 **Keynote Address – Current International Trends in the Taxation of Individuals**
Professor Arun Advani *(Director of CenTax; Professor of Economics, University of Warwick; Co-chair, Discover Economics)*
- 10:00 – 10:45 **Wealth Taxation in Small Island Open Economies: Risks, Opportunities and Policy Choices**
Mr Aldo Farrugia *(Director General in Legal, Technical and International Affairs, MTCA)*
- 10:45 - 11:15 *Coffee break*
- 11:15 – 12:00 **Taxation of Employment (and self-employment) Income: Topical Domestic & Cross border Considerations**
Dr Edward Attard *(Chairperson MIT Direct Tax Committee (Personal Tax Sub-Committee))*
- 12:00 – 12:45 **Taxation of Internationally Mobile Wealth – A Maltese Perspective**
Dr Rebecca Diacono *(Committee Member, MIT Direct Tax Committee (Personal Tax Sub-Committee))*
- 12:45 – 13:15 **Panel Discussion**
Professor Arun Advani; Dr Edward Attard; Mr Aldo Farrugia; Dr Rebecca Diacono
- 13:15 – 13:30 **Q&A**
- 13:30 – 13:40 **Closing Remarks**
Mr Joseph Caruana *(Commissioner for Tax and Customs)*
- 13:40 – 15:30 *Networking Lunch*

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