

# Event Speaker Biography



## Dragoș Pîslaru

### **Member of the European Parliament, acting chair of the Employment and Social Affairs Committee (EMPL)**

Dragoș Pîslaru is a Romanian economist and politician. As member of the European Parliament, he is the acting chair of the Employment and Social Affairs Committee (EMPL). He is also an active member of the Economic and Monetary Affairs Committee (ECON) and the Tax Matters (FISC). He has joined the European Parliament in 2019 and now runs the REPER party which is affiliated to the European political family Renew Europe.

He is a graduate of the Faculty of International Economic Relations within the Academy of Economic Studies (ASE) in Bucharest with a Bachelor's Degree in International Economics. He attended postgraduate courses, obtaining a diploma of 'In-depth Studies in European Integration' within the ASE. He holds a Master of Science in International Relations from the London School of Economics and Political Science in the United Kingdom, and a Diploma of Entrepreneurship -Case Study Centered Learning at Harvard Business School. He obtained a PhD in economic sciences with a thesis held at the National Institute of Economic Research, within the Romanian Academy.