

THE GLOBAL MARKETS FORUM WEEK AHEAD

JUNE 05 – JUNE 09, 2017

Here's the guide to this week's GMF LiveChats. Guests will be added according to news events. All times are local time zone.

MONDAY		
0900 IST/1130 HKT/0330 GMT	PARIS ACCORD & CHINA	As Donald Trump pulled out of the international alliance to fight climate change, China is widely expected to benefit by filling the leadership void. Xu Yuan, associate professor and leader of the Environmental Policy and Governance Programme in the Institute of Environment, Energy and Sustainability at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, will discuss the specifics of potential boost to China's role and how it may help environmental protection efforts in the country.
1200 IST/1430 HKT/0630 GMT	ASIA & EX-U.S. PARIS ACCORD	How will the exit of the climate agreement by the U.S. change the demand and supply of renewable energy and related equipments? Will that present an opportunity or give a blow to those companies in Asia? Frank Yu, principal consultant from Wood Mackenzie, will discuss potential impacts from the Paris Accord 2.0 on APAC.
0900 GMT/1100 CET	UK ELECTIONS	In the week of the UK general election, we ask with University of Westminster politics professor Anthony Staddon what we can expect.
1000 GMT/1200 CET	FX WEEK AHEAD	FX Buzz analyst Jeremy Boulton analyses G7 currencies.
1230 GMT/0830 EST	POLITICAL ODDS	Reuters analyst Rob Howard weighs the political betting odds for major upcoming events.
1430 GMT/1030 EST	FUND FLOWS	Lipper analysts discuss sectoral churn and indications of where the smart money is headed.
1515 GMT/1115 EST	GLOBAL WEEK AHEAD	Macroeconomist, and off-hours umpire, Kim Rupert is a managing director at Action Economics and calls 'em as she sees 'em - the data due, the policymaker speeches on tap and other events likely to affect global markets in the week ahead.
TUESDAY		
0900 IST/1130 HKT/0330 GMT	YUAN FOCUS	The Chinese currency strengthened significantly against the dollar after the central bank applied a new method to set the daily fixing. The currency gain also came on the heels of a credit rating cut of China by Moody's. OCBC economist Tommy Xie will discuss the outlook of yuan and how the potential rate hike by the Fed plays a role in the latest yuan surge.
0900 GMT/1100 CET	UK ELECTIONS	As the UK prepares for general elections, discuss the role of citizens in the UK economy, particularly for labour, employment and the prospects of universal basic income with Reema Patel, Programme Manager for the RSA's Citizens Economic Council.
1300 GMT/0900 EST	BREXIT UPDATE	We discuss the latest Brexit developments with UK economics correspondent Alistair Smout.
1330 GMT/0930 EST	FED WATCH	Reuters reporters and editors tracking the Federal Reserve take questions on the economics, politics, trade matters and rates policies facing America's central bank and others whose decisions drive markets day in and day out.
WEDNESDAY		



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0930 IST/1200 HKT 1400 AEST/0400 GMT	COMMODITIES FOCUS	Clyde Russell, Reuters Asia commodities and energy columnist, will give us a walkthrough on the latest moves and outlooks of major commodity prices.
1000 GMT/1200 CET	ECB PREVIEW	ING chief economist Carsten Brzeski shares his outlook for the European Central Bank's latest policy announcement.
1030 GMT/1230 CET	CHARTING FX	Take a look at the FX charts with Reuters technical analyst Martin Miller
1300 GMT/0900 EST	EQUITIES WATCH	Join our Reuters correspondents in London and New York for a discussion on the stock markets and company earnings.
1330 GMT/0930 EST	SPORTS CHAT	Reuters sports desk editors and reporters cover the week of competition from the pitch.
1530 GMT/1130 EST	UK ELECTIONS	Former US diplomat Heather Conley, now a senior vice president at the Center for Strategic & International Studies, details the economic, geopolitical and trade stakes for America in Britain's June 8 election.
1730 GMT/1330 EST	POLITICS BY THE NUMBERS	U.S. politics polling editor Chris Kahn parses the data for trends, clues and meaning of the twists and turns of the 2016 elections with an eye to helping Forum members to see beyond the day-to-day campaign noise.
THURSDAY		
1230 GMT/0830 EST	BONDS UPDATE	Reuters interest rate reporter Dhara Ranasinghe delves into government bond markets.
1330 GMT/0930 EST	OIL OUTLOOK	Reuters correspondents Amanda Cooper and Jessica Resnick-Ault take your questions about energy markets in the rapid-fire, weekly segment "Lock, Stock and Barrel".
1500 GMT/1100 EST	SHOWBUZZ	Join Reuters entertainment specialists Jean Tait and Mark Porter for a weekly discussion about music, movies, the theater and all of the showbiz buzz.
1530 GMT/1130 EST	WINE AND DINE	Featuring sommelier Leslie Gevirtz and co-host Richard Leong of Reuters, W&D focuses on innovative chefs, fine beverages and smart restaurants by each week bringing taste makers to the Forum for questions, comments and reminiscences of great meals.
1630 GMT/1230 EST	UK ELECTIONS	In April, UK's PM May announced surprised snap elections in a bid to capitalise on her big lead over the opposition. However recent polls suggest her lead has narrowed down. What if its just a marginal victory in the end or even a loss for PM May? How will markets react? We talk to Chris Zaccarelli, CIO, Cornerstone Wealth.
1700 GMT/1300 EST	CHARTING STOCKS	Stocks Buzz writer Terence is a chartist with a fundamentals bent and each week spots trends, opportunities and risks via the charts.
FRIDAY		
1100 IST/1330 HKT	QUIZ EAST	The first of our Friday quizzes focuses on Asia and the week's top news. Tests your wits and googling speed.
1000 GMT/1200 CET	WEEKAHEAD	Reuters EMEA markets editor Mike Dolan discusses the upcoming week's main market inflection points.
1330 GMT/0930 EST	QUIZ WEST	The second of our Friday quizzes, this one hosted by Steve Slovak, challenges your trivia recall skills.



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