

REWIRING THE WORLD

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Every January, the world converges on Davos—the stage where ideas are announced, positions are signaled, and the future is narrated in public. Yet the decisions that endure are rarely made under spotlights. They are shaped in quieter rooms—where trust is high, access is controlled, and people can speak without performing.

REWIRING THE WORLD | DAVOS WEF WEEK 2026 is built for that second space. Convened alongside the WEF Annual Meeting, it brings global leaders together not to repeat headlines, but to interrogate what is actually changing beneath them. Participation is **by invitation and confirmed registration only** (required for security), so the room remains intentionally small, credible, and protected—designed for candour, not choreography.

Because globalisation is no longer a default—it is a negotiation. Trade is politicised. AI is outrunning governance. Capital is re-pricing trust. Demography is rewriting productivity. In a world being rewired in real time, the advantage shifts from visibility to architecture: who aligns, who cooperates, who sets the rules that others end up following.

This is why the dialogue is **Swiss–Asian anchored and globally informed**, convening ambassadors, CEOs/chairs, long-horizon investors, policymakers, and system thinkers from **Asia, Europe, the Americas, Africa, and the Middle East** around one defining question: **If the world is being rewired, who is designing the new architecture—and what rules will hold?**

And this is why we meet in **Klostern**. Davos is the stage; Klostern is the strategy. Minutes away, yet worlds apart in atmosphere, Klostern offers what Davos cannot during WEF week: strategic distance, privacy, and the calm required for real thinking. **Close enough to power, far enough from noise**, it allows the conversation to move from statements to substance, from networking to alignment, from analysis to pathways that can actually be executed.

REWIRING THE WORLD is not “another Davos event.” It is the deliberate counterpoint—where leaders step out of the crowd to do the harder work: building shared clarity, forming trusted lines of cooperation, and translating fragmentation into decisions that hold.

Swiss-anchored. Globally informed. Decision-shaping.

Time: 14:00–18:00 , 21 January 2026

Venue: Silveretta Parkhotel Klostern. DavosKlostern, Switzerland

Format: exclusive, closed door and high-end dialogue, invitation-Only, limited Seats for CEOs and Diplomates, between Switzerland/Europe, and Asian countries.

Rule: Chatham House | No slides | Candid system-level exchange

Organizers: SwissCham ASIA, DavosKlostern, Singularity Academy, ASEAN Association

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(PARTICIPANTS are based on invitation, and required to register, due to the security reasons)

AGENDA | 14:00–18:00 | January 21. 2026

14:00–14:30

Arrival | From Davos noise to Klosters clarity

Discreet arrival and strategic reception—alignment, not performance.

14:30–14:45

Opening Frame | The end of “business as usual”

SwissCham ASIA sets the mandate: design thinking, not commentary.

14:45–15:15

System Opening | What is breaking, what is emerging

Three voices (Diplomat | CEO/Chair | System thinker).

Provocation: Which global assumption is obsolete—and what rule is replacing it?

Moderator crystallises three system tensions for the room.

15:15–16:15

Strategic Wiring Tables | Turn fragmentation into architecture

Curated tables (6–8), cross-regional by design.

- Sovereignty vs Interdependence; Technology vs Governance
- Capital vs Credibility; Demography vs Productivity

Deliverable: One uncomfortable truth and one design principle per table.

16:15–16:30

Break | Reset before synthesis



Coffee and quiet bilateral exchanges.

Tables appoint Diplomat + CEO rapporteurs.

16:30–17:15

The Re-Wiring Moment | Collective intelligence

Joint table reports.

Live synthesis into a Global Re-Wiring Map.

17:15–17:45

Strategic Continuity | Beyond Davos

Off-record round.

SwissCham ASIA becomes the continuity platform.

17:45–18:00

Closing | Quiet conclusions

Launch of post-event output:

“Re-Wiring the World — The Davos Brief 2026”

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