

CFA SOCIETY MACROECONOMIC FORECAST 2017

Under the Auspices of Slovak National Bank Vice Governor, Ján Tóth

29 March 2017 at 17:30

Mercure Bratislava Centrum Hotel, Zabotova street 2, Bratislava 1

Featuring as keynote speakers:

Ján Tóth | Marek Prokopec

EVENT SCHEDULE:

- 17:30** Welcome Drink
- 18:00** **Welcome Remarks – Marek Jindra, CFA**, President of the CFA Society Czech Republic
- 18:10** **Jan Toth Presentation**
- 18:55** Q&A
- 19:05** Coffee Break
- 19:20** **Marek Prokopec, CFA, Presentation**
- 20:05** Q&A
- 20:15** Closing Remarks/Networking Dinner

SPEAKERS:

Opening Remarks:

Marek Jindra, CFA, Master of Ceremonies

Keynote Speakers:

Ján Tóth, Vice Governor, Slovak National Bank

Topic: "Macroeconomic Outlook 2017"

Subtopic: "Will interest rates go back up to their original levels?"

Marek Prokopec, CFA, Chief Executive Officer at Tatra Asset Management

Topic: "Investment Outlook - Various Points of View"



REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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Please book your place through the registration link above **by Sunday, March 19, 2017.**



Ján Tóth
Vice Governor, Slovak National Bank

Mr Jan Toth is Deputy Governor of the National Bank of Slovakia (NBS), the central bank of Slovakia. Before taking up his current position in 2012, Mr Toth served as chief economist at Slovakia's Finance Ministry from 2010. The country recorded an exceptionally strong consolidation effort of 2.6% of GDP in 2011. He played an important role in uncovering a VAT gap, which later resulted in an improved collection of 1% of GDP. A public pension reform with automatic stabilisers was also prepared during his time at the ministry, as were a constitutional debt brake and the creation of an independent fiscal council.

Mr Toth joined the ministry after a 12-year career in the commercial banking sector, which included working as chief economist for Slovakia for ING Bank (then ING Barings), UniCredit, and Tatra Bank (a member of the Austrian Raiffeisen group) and was the Chairman of the Slovak Association of Economic Analysts. Mr Toth has MAs in Economics, from The Ohio State University, and Management, from Comenius University in Bratislava.



Marek Prokopec, CFA
Chief Executive Officer at Tatra Asset Management

Marek Prokopec (1976) is Chief Executive Officer of the Tatra Asset Management, správ. spol., a.s. and Doplnková dôchodková spoločnosť Tatra banky, a.s. Formerly he was Portfolio Manager, then Head of Portfolio Management Dept. and Chief Investment Officer in these companies. In years 2014 – 2016 he was Chief Executive Officer of the Raiffeisen Invest Croatia.

In 1999 Marek Prokopec graduated at the Comenius University, Bratislava - Faculty of Mathematics, Physics and Informatics. He has been a member of the CFA Institute since 2006.