## Belt and Road Summit 2021 (1 - 2 September 2021) Overview of Events

Theme: Driving Growth Through Fostering Regional & International Trade

1 September 2021 (Wednesday)		
Morning – the Summit Plenaries		
0900-1000	Opening Session	
1000-1100	Policy Dialogue A panel of policymakers representing major Belt and Road economies will share their views on promoting growth through trade and multilateral partnership from their respective country's perspective.	
1100-1230	Business Plenary - Belt and Road and RCEP: Enhancing Regional Business Connectivity  A panel of renowned business leaders representing Hong Kong, Mainland China and overseas will discuss how the Belt and Road Initiative and the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP) can contribute to rebuilding global business connectivity and promoting growth in the post-pandemic era.	

## Afternoon

Thematic Breakout Sessions features various topics based on industry needs and enterprises' interests, including infrastructure, opportunities for SMEs, overseas Economic and Trade Cooperation Zones, risk management, project financing, biotechnology, digital technology etc.

In **Project Pitching Sessions**, project owners from around the world will showcase their project ventures, bringing investors and service professionals a holistic view of investment prospects in different regions and sectors.

Afternoon	Thematic Breakout Sessions	Project Pitching Session	
2 September 2021 (Thursday)			
Morning	Business Plenary - Connecting the Belt and Road & Greater Bay Area through Hong Kong		
	A panel of renowned business leaders representing Hong Kong, Mainland China and overseas will discuss how the Belt and Road Initiative and the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macau Greater Bay Area development may contribute to rebuilding global business connectivity and promoting growth in the post-pandemic era.		
	Thematic Breakout Sessions	Other Concurrent Belt and Road related Events	
Afternoon	Thematic Breakout Sessions	Project Pitching Sessions	