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In today's disruptive climate, it is more important than ever to create a space where policy makers can engage, share and listen, and the OECD is honoured to welcome parliamentarians, who play a central role in shaping policies that ultimately improve people's lives. Your experience and the views of your citizens are vital to the work of the OECD to help us provide better policy advice and promote dialogue.

This is why we invite you to join us on 11-12 October 2017 for the OECD Global Parliamentary Network Meeting, to share your unique experience as lawmakers and politicians and to learn from each other and OECD experts. As always, this meeting will be held in conjunction with the OECD Secretary-General's annual address to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe in Strasbourg on 10 October. These two events are held back-to-back to facilitate parliamentary participation in both meetings.

The sessions will cover key areas of OECD work and topics based on your feedback from previous meetings. A draft programme is attached. Please note that this is still subject to change.

This year, we are also offering a new feature during our **reception on 11 October** – a *Marketplace*. Do you have an exciting policy project/initiative in your country or constituency that you want to share with your fellow MPs? If you would like to share your story, let us know and we will tell you more about the format.

You can also take a look at past meetings and participants on our members page.

If you are interested in participating, or if you have any questions, please contact: parliamentarians@oecd.org.