

FMG Newsletter Mar&Apr 2024

Interview Series: MC13 and beyond

In March, the Friends of Multilateralism Group (FMG) has successfully conducted two-way interviews after MC13 on its outcomes on different issues, the challenges ahead for the multilateral trading system, and how the WTO should be reformed on the way forward.

- 01. Trade and Geopolitics
- 02. Review of MC13 Outcomes
- 03. WTO Reform
- 04. Trade in Services
- 05. Industrial Policy
- 06. Dispute Settlement Reform
- 07. Agriculture
- 08. Investment Facilitation for Development
- 09. E-commerce
- 10. Trade and Gender

Other Events:

- April 16th: FMG Online Brainstorming Session on **Trade in Services** and MC13
- March 26th: FMG Online Brainstorming Session on **DSU Reform** and MC13
- March 11th: FMG Online Brainstorming Session on **Review of MC13 Results**

News:

- FMG Launches Its Second One-pager Input Paper: **The Underestimated Costs of Protectionism**
- Victor Do Prado Received the Order of the Rising Sun, Gold Rays with Rosette Conferred by Ambassador Oike Atsuyuki, Permanent Representative of Japan to the International Organizations in Geneva
- Bernard Hoekman was Awarded an Advanced Grant from European Research Council (ERC)

Latest Publications:

- *China Shock 2.0: What the West should and should not worry about* (John Clarke)
- *WTO still going. But recharging needed.* (Anabel González)
- *Failure of WTO Ministerial Highlights Systemic Issues* (Evan Rogerson)
- *When the US fell out of love with Geneva* (John Clarke)
- *Making Argentina “Great Again” Will Be No Small Task* (Hector Torres)

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