

APEC Business Advisory Council Meeting

APRIL 23– 26, 2025

Toronto, Canada

Delta Hotels Toronto

APRIL 23, 2025

1430–1500

Opening Staffers' Meeting

1500–1600

Opening Chairs' Meeting

1600–1800

**ABAC X Digital Trust Advisory
Roundtable**

*Theme: Now & Next 2025 Preliminary
Discussion and special deep dive on
powering the digital economy*

1830–2000

Welcome Reception

*Manulife Headquarters
ABAC's Red Carpet Welcome to
Toronto
Sponsored by Manulife*



**Please note, some events are closed-door for ABAC members only; please refer to your invitation or sponsorship agreement for more information.*

ABAC II

Toronto, Canada

APRIL 24, 2025

0830-1000

Opening Ceremony and Plenary

Sponsored by CIBC

Economic Outlook presented by
Andrew Grantham, Senior Economist,
CIBC

1030-1230

Regional Economic Integration Working Group Meeting

1230-1400

Investing in Deep Tech in the APEC region Luncheon

*Sponsored by Saltagen Ventures,
supported by Creative Destruction
Labs*

Two panel discussions with startup
founders and VCs.

1400-1600

AI & Digital Innovation Working Group Meeting

1615-1800

Site Visit- Canada's Innovation Ecosystem

MaRS Centre in the Discovery District
Program includes a tour of the MaRS
Centre, meeting local innovative
start-ups, and a networking session

1830-2030

A True North Reception & Tour

Distillery District

*Theme: Canadiana- a look at Canada's
national historic site*

Sponsored by DREAM CA



ABAC II

Toronto, Canada

APRIL 25, 2025

0815-1015

Bio & Health Working Group Meeting

1030-1230

Finance & Economics Working Group Meeting

1230-1400

Critical Resource Partnership Luncheon

Sponsored by GeologicAI

Panel discussions on the technology solutions and partnerships that are instrumental in shaping the future and processing of the Asia-Pacific region

1400-1600

Sustainability Working Group Meeting

1615-1800

Site Visit- 'Hollywood North'

Pinewood Studios

The visit includes a tour of a production set, and a visit to Sheridan College's Institute of Technology Screen Industries Research and Training Centre

1815-2200

Gala Dinner

Theme: The Future of Trade

