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## STRATEGIC ECONOMIC TALKS GOLF TOURNAMENT 2026

Over the past two years, as part of our **Strategic Economic Talks Program**, we established the Strategic Economic Talks **Golf Tournament** as a recurring highlight. It is our pleasure to invite you to the **3<sup>rd</sup> Strategic Economic Talks Golf Tournament**.

We are delighted to welcome back our special guest, **Austrian professional golfer Markus Brier**, for a second consecutive year. He will share his extensive experience and offer valuable tips to participants throughout the day.

**Date: 7<sup>th</sup> May**

**09:00 AM** – Shared breakfast at the hotel restaurant (optional)

**10:00 AM** – Warm up & driving session with Markus Brier

**11:00 AM** – Tee Off

**FORMAT:** Texas Scramble

**Registration:** Please register no later than 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026 by contacting: [andrea.konstantinova@tpa-group.at](mailto:andrea.konstantinova@tpa-group.at)

**Additional information:** Golf Cart (for 2 persons): EUR 45.00,  
Golf Set Rental: EUR 30.00  
These costs are not covered by the organizer.

**Accommodation:** For accommodation bookings, please contact:  
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Markus Brier (born 5 July 1968 in Vienna, Austria) is an Austrian professional golfer whose career spans more than three decades. In June 2006, he made history by becoming the first Austrian to win on the European Tour, capturing the BA-CA Golf Open at Fontana Golf Club in Vienna. He had already claimed the same event twice when it was part of the Challenge Tour (2002 and 2004).

Brier has continued to compete at a high level on the Legends Tour (formerly the European Senior Tour). He earned his first Legends Tour title at the Farmfoods European Senior Masters in October 2021, and in 2025 he won the Black Desert NI Legends at Galgorm, holding his nerve in strong winds on the final day to claim his first Legends Tour victory since 2021.

Markus Brier's versatility is rare: only a handful of players can boast wins on the Alps Tour, Challenge Tour, European Tour, and Legends Tour – and he is one of them. With two European Tour victories (Fontana and China), he has firmly cemented his place in Austrian golf history. His career-high world ranking of 91 underlines his success in a highly competitive era. Another major highlight: for many years, Markus held the record for the best finish by an Austrian at a major championship, with a tied 12th-place result.

Markus Brier is undoubtedly one of the most extraordinary golfers the sport has ever seen!