**Günther Oettinger, EU Commissioner for Digital Economy and Society**

Oettinger has had a longstanding political career and several high profile roles, most notably the European Commissioner for Energy from 2010 to 2014, and is currently the Commissioner for Digital Economy an Society. He has a background in Law and acted as a lawyer and CEO of an audit and tax consultancy. He is responsible for the ongoing reform of the EU’s telecom rules, supporting the deployment of high-quality, digital infrastructure and the development of measures to ensure online communications are more secure.

