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Friends,

Being part of the EACC network gives you unique access to decision and policy makers from across the U.S. and Europe. Join us 9/9 to hear about the EU's strategy and forecast for economic recovery with top officials from the EU Mission to the U.S. We had a great virtual *Stammtisch* last week and hope you join us for the next one September 3 -- mark your calendar now!

Members In The News:

Congratulations to EACC member firms [AMEND Consulting](#) and [Rhinestahl](#) for your inclusion on the Cincinnati Business Courier's "Fast 55" list of the fastest growing private companies in our region! And speaking of growth, congratulations to [ProMach](#) on another acquisition (of Michigan's Fogg Filling).

Finally, the EU continues to assert leadership in protecting privacy and in competition policy. This week we highlighted an area where those two intersect, with the European Commission investigating Google's proposed acquisition of Fitbit.

FEATURED EVENT:



EACC Network Webinar - Navigating the Recovery: How Europe is Coming out Stronger from the Pandemic September 9

Join top EU economists in Washington, D.C. as they discuss the outlook for the European economy, the key measures taken by the European Union, and some of the risks facing the economic recovery. The presentation will include a detailed look at the European Commission's Summer Economic Forecast, discuss the details of the historic agreement on the Recovery Plan and other policy measures put forward by the European Commission and the European Central Bank. The program will offer an opportunity for Q&A.

This is webinar is funded by the European Union.

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UPCOMING EACC EVENTS



Thursday,
September 3
[EACC Networking: Virtual Stammtisch](#)

INTERNATIONAL NEWS



EUROPEAN COMMISSION OPENS INVESTIGATION INTO THE PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF FITBIT BY GOOGLE
At the intersection of privacy and competition policy, the EU recently announced an investigation of Google's proposed acquisition of Fitbit. The Commission's announcement raises concerns that Google could use data about one's daily health habits to distort competition. Follow the link below to read the full announcement.

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All the best!

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