The President, Toomas Hendrik Ilves, will depart for Davos, Switzerland, where he will remain until Saturday at the World Economic Forum, which brings together the world's leading economic and political leaders.

The Estonian Head of State will participate in the forum at the invitation of its founder and organiser, Professor Klaus Schwab, and will address panels that focus on geopolitics, economy, information technology, e-governance and Ukraine.

The World Economic Forum (WEF) is a Swiss-based non-profit organisation that organises a top annual meeting each January in Davos, eastern Switzerland. International business leaders, leading politicians, intellectuals and journalists meet at various events to discuss the economic challenges that the world faces. Estonia is taking part in the meeting at the level of Head of State for the second year.

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