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Mr **Ori Schwartz** is the Head of the OECD Competition Division since 2021. In this role he oversees the work to promote sound competition enforcement and procompetitive regulatory policies, and support the OECD's Competition Committee.

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