

Conference

October 17th, 18th 2013 • Ljubljana Castle, Slovenia



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Agenda

FUTURE OF **CITIES**

SUSTAINABLE - SMART - INCLUSIVE

MANAGING WATER & TRANSPORT IN THE DANUBE REGION

ORGANISERS:



City of
Ljubljana

PARTNERS:



Evropa 2 Ljubljana



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8:30 – 9:00 Registration & Gathering

Official Opening of Ljubljana Forum 2013

9:00 – 9:30 Introduction & Welcome address

Mr. Blaž Golob, Chairman of Ljubljana Forum
Mr. Zoran Jankovič, Mayor, City of Ljubljana
Mr. Stanko Stepišnik, Minister, Ministry of Economic Development and Technology, Republic of Slovenia
Mr. Hendrik van der Kamp, President, ECTP-CEU (European Council of Spatial Planners)
Mr. Tone Peršak, Mayor, President NALAS - SEE Region Municipality Association
Strategic dimension of cooperation among Europeans
Mr. Igor Simčič, Founder of Esimit Europa project

Session I:

Global Challenges & Responses of Cities in Managing Water & Transport

Moderator: **Mr. Blaž Golob**, Chairman of Ljubljana Forum

9:30 – 10:30 Territorial foresight: successful tool in Managing Water & Transport

Mr. Ibon Zugasti, President, European College of Foresight
Enabling modern city utilities, EU Regulations and eGovernment
Mr. Alexander Prosser, prof.dr., WU, Vienna University
Smarter Transportation for a Smarter City
Mr. Mark Chetwood, Vice President, Industries and Value Creation, CEE, IBM
From the Abacus to the Cloud - The re-making of a city
Mr. Lorenzo Madrid, Senior Consultant, Redmond USA, GFS Institute
Full FERRMED Corridors in EU Core Network
Mr. Joan Amorós, Secretary General, FERRMED

Session II:

Sustainable development model of EU & South East Europe 2020

Multilevel governance, cross border co-operation (EU – State – City/Municipality level)

Moderator: **Mr. Hendrik van der Kamp**, President, ECTP-CEU (European Council of Spatial Planners)

10:30 – 11:30 From Ljubljana Gap to Ljubljana Gate

Mr. Miran Gajšek, Head of Planning Municipality of Ljubljana, Co-chairman of Ljubljana Forum
Macroregions and Growth and Jobs Agenda 2020
Mrs. Andreja Jerina, MSc, State Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture & Environment
Multilevel governance for Sustainable Urban Mobility in the EU
Mr. Mark Major, DG MOVE, European Commission
International Sava River Basin Commission – A Joint Vision and Program for Sustainable Development of the Region
Mr. Dejan Komatina, PhD, Secretary, International Sava River Basin Commission

Transport Corridors in the Danube region - Is coordination needed?

Mr. Franc Žepič, MSc, Priority Area Coordinator, EU Danube Strategy, Ministry for Infrastructure and Spatial Planning

11:30 – 11:45 Coffe Break

Session III: Round Table of Mayors - City Good Practice Cases*

Moderator: **Ms. Alenka Žumber Klopčič**, Editor in Chief and Director, Energetika.net

11:45 – 13:00 **Mr. Zoran Jankovič**, Mayor of Ljubljana
Mr. Milan Ftáčnik, CSc Mayor of Bratislava
Mr. Miomir Mugoša, dr., Mayor of Podgorica
Mr. Marko Filipović, Deputy Mayor of Rijeka
Ms. Boika Kadreva, Director of Territorial Planning Department, City of Sofia

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch Break

Session IV: Industry solutions for sustainable – smart – inclusive Cities

Moderator: **Mr. An Krumberger**, co-founder and Director, World 2033

14:30 – 15:30 **Smarter Cities Citizen Inclusion: Citizen Collaboration & Social Media Analytics**
Mr. Michele Leonardi, PhD, IBM, Chief Operational Officer, IBM Slovenia
VO-KA: Achievements and current challenges
Mrs. Brigita Jamnik, PhD, VO-KA, Ljubljana
Ground water - a hidden treasure
Mr. Marko Komac, PhD, Director, Geological Survey of Slovenia
HSE and HPP on the middle Sava River – possibilities of the sustainable development
Mr. Matjaž Eberlinc, PhD, Assistant Executive Manager R&D, HSE

Protection, regulation and utilisation of the Sava river from Slovenian border to the city of Sisak

Mr. Leo Penović, MEng, General Manager, HEP RVNP

15:30 – 15:45 Coffe Break

15:45 – 16:30 **BMW I, the megacity vehicle.**
Mr. Lothar Schupet, CEO, BMW Group Slovenia
Sustainability guaranteed through smart solution with innovative partners
Mr. Christof Droste, Managing Director, Hella Saturnus Slovenia

Innovative Solutions for Creating Smarter Cities

Mr. David García Ternero, CEO & Co-founder, Wellness Telecom

Port of Koper - Industry solutions for sustainable – smart – inclusive Cities

Mr. Mitja Dujc, Sales and Marketing Dept., Port of Koper

16:30 – 17:00 Closure of the 1st Day

18:00 – 19:00 Optional visit to the City Museum of Ljubljana
Exhibition:

The World's Oldest Wooden Wheel 5200 years

Ljubljana Forum Reception & Award Ceremony - Ljubljana Castle

Parallel Sessions V:

Session V.a:

Knowledge for Development - R&D solutions and NGOs participation for development of Cities

Moderator: *Mr. Miroslav Polzer, Secretary General, IAAI*

9:00 - 10:00 **Knowledge for Development of Mobility and Transport in CEE region - Slovenian perspective**

Mr. Aleš Groznik, prof.dr., Faculty of Economics, Department of Information Sciences, University of Ljubljana

NGOs - a dynamic force for smart and attractive cities

Mrs. Helene von Reibnitz, CEO, Scenarios & Visions Consulting

NGOs as participatory intermediaries for development of Cities

Mr. Simon Delakorda, Director, Institute for eParticipation

The Urban Potential of a Transport Interchange - Vienna's most complex actual masterplan cooperative planning methods

Mr. Peter Lorenz, Peter Lorenz Ateliers

Session V.b:

Opportunities for Sustainable & Smart Growth "Sava River Basin - Four Countries' Agreement"

Discussion on the priority regional projects of the International Sava River Basin Commission (ISRBC)**

Moderated by: *Mr. Dejan Komatina, PhD, Secretary, ISRBC*
Mr. Mitja Bricelj, PhD, Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Environment, Republic of Slovenia

Discussion

Session VI:

Financial instruments and business models for development of Cities

Moderator: *Ms. Milica Đaković, Executive Director, E3 Consulting Ltd.*

10:00 - 11:00 **Sustainable Urban Development in the Danube Region - the EIB's Role**

Mr. László Baranyay, Vice President, European Investment Bank

JESSICA - A financial instrument for city investments

Mr. Christos Kontogeorgos, Head of Holding Funds Advisory Central and South-Eastern Europe, Jessica and Investment Funds, European Investment Bank

From SEE 2007 - 2013 toward Danube 2014 - 2020: transnational cooperation in action
Ms. Roberta Calcina, Project Manager, SEE Joint Technical Secretariat

Financial instruments and business models for development of Cities

Mr. Jurij Kobal, CEO, DIKOS

11:00 - 11:15 Coffee break

Session VII:

Exchange of project ideas

6 projects on Future of Cities - Managing Water & Transport

Moderator: *Mr. Frane Šesnić, Director, Development Agency Zagreb*

11:15 - 12:30 **Innovative Valley Ljubljana**, presented by *Mr. Stane Pejovnik*, prof.dr., Professor, Faculty of Chemistry and Chemical Technology, University of Ljubljana

Intermodal Logistics Terminal Ljubljana -

The ILT Project, presented by *Mr. Janko*

Pirkovič, Director, BTC Logistic centre and *Mr. Milan Jelenc*, MSc, Member of the Management Board, Slovenian Railways

Spatial Development Concept of the Sava River Basin Area, presented by *Ms. Sandra*

Jakopec & *Mr. Zoran Hebar*, Association of Croatian Urban Planners, *Ms. Breda Mihelič*, PhD, Director, Urban Planning Institute of the Republic of Slovenia, *Ms. Barbara Mušič* and

Mr. Boštjan Cotič, Town and Spatial Association of Slovenia and *Mr. Dušan Minić*, Serbian Society of Urban Planners

Public Transport in Ljubljana Urban Region, presented by *Ms. Lilijana Madjar*, CEO

Ljubljana Urban Region, *Mr. Jure Miljevič*, *Mr. Cveto Gregorc*, MSc, & *Mr. Bruno Bensa*, Omega Consult

Working together for creation of new jobs in Ljubljana, presented by *Ms. Barbara Vrtačnik*

& *Mr. Sandi Meke*, Institute of the Republic of Slovenia for Employment, Regional Office Ljubljana

Sava River Basin Strategy, presented by *Mr. Mitja Bricelj*, PhD, Secretary, Environment Directorate / Water Department, Ministry of Agriculture and Environment

12:30 - 13:15 **Round table on job creation in Europe:**

Sustainable - Smart - Inclusive Europe enabling job creation through the proper Management of Cities & Regions

Moderator: *Mr. Blaž Golob*, Chairman of Ljubljana Forum

Round Table Participants:

Ms. Tanja Fajon, Member of the European Parliament

Mr. Boris Podrecca, Atelier Podrecca

Mr. Miran Gajšek, Head of Planning Municipality of Ljubljana, Co-chairman of Ljubljana Forum

Closure of the Conference

13:15 **Conclusions of Ljubljana Forum 2013**



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objectives of the conference:

Objective 1: To present global challenges & European sustainable development model through job creation

Objective 2: To enable concrete co-operation among different stakeholders for prosperity of cities & regions

Objective 3: To present industry solutions for enabling prosperity of cities

Objective 4: To identify, support and finance projects for EU perspective 2014-2020

Objective 5: To connect, bring about new initiatives and move forward