



Slovensko predsedstvo EU 2008
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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

The International Round-table:

»SPORT FOR ALL AS THE ELEMENT OF INTERCULTURAL DIALOGUE«

Stimulate the Intercultural dialogue in EU with SFA activities and include into the EU integration.

Sport for all becomes a popular tool used for further integration, inclusion, for the development of society and social cohesion. Sport for all supports health-care and health-promotion activities, sustainable development, youth programmes, formal and non-formal education, more professions have a connection to sport, sport also founds new working

positions, give the contribution to the social safety and more and more approaches we can find.

The intention of the Round table is to answer the question »How to involve Sport for all into the Intercultural dialogue?«, particularly in 2008 in the European year of Intercultural Dialogue.



The International Round-table is organised by Sports union of Slovenia (SUS) in cooperation with the International Sport and Culture Association (ISCA); Confederation of European Sport Sante (CESS) and Ministry of Education and Sport of Slovenia on behalf of the Slovenian Presidency of the European Council.

Ljubljana,
15 th - 16 th
May 2008

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The aim of the round table

The event is part of Slovenian Presidency of EU 2008, part of international cooperation between Sport NGOs and part of understanding that sport is creating intercultural dialogue.

The International Round-table: **»SPORT FOR ALL AS THE ELEMENT OF INTERCULTURAL DIALOGUE«** intends to provide a common space for brainstorming about sport as a popular tool and sector in the discussions on intercultural dialogue, about life learning strategy in NGO and in GO and about integration through sport.

The round table will focus particularly on the following issues that are crucial for sustainable development of civil society in EU:

- What is the role of EU and stakeholders in developing a long - term strategy for the sport intervention and activities at local, national and international levels?
- How to encourage the civil society organisations for intercultural interventions?
- How to promote the civil society organisations not only in the EU project implementation but also in shaping the EU programmes and policies?
- How could civil society organisations contribute to the role of sport in promoting social integration with common language and as a platform for social democracy?

The round table will result in policy recommendation on building civil dialogue and partnership relations between civil society, national governments and EU institutions as well as determine opportunities and possibilities in:

- creating the international plan, national programmes and support plans,
- long-term commitments,
- involvement beyond the critical mass,
- realistic goals and
- partnerships and networking.

Who is organising the event?



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Who should attend?

The round table is expected to attract European Union Sport Directors, sport managers, experts and decision makers, policy designers in sport and health policy from NGO which have the sports as tool in discussions on intercultural dialogue from EU and South East Europe and other NGO representatives, public and private donors as well as the officials from EU governments and EU Institutions.

ROUND TABLE PROGRAMME

Thursday, 15 th May 2008

*Grand Hall, Ministry of Education and Sport of Slovenia,
Masarykova street 16, Ljubljana*

13.00	Accreditation
14.00	Welcome speech, Miro Ukmar, SUS - President of Sports Union of Slovenia
14.10	Opening speech, Simon Starcek, Director-General of Sport Directorate of Ministry of Education and Sport in Slovenia
14.20	Address of EU representative, Jacob Kornbeck, EAC - European Commision, Sport Unit
Plenary part	
14.30	Mogens Kirkeby , ISCA – International Sport and Culture Association »Sport is a popular tool and sector in the discussions on intercultural dialogue«
15.00	Carlo Balestri , UISP – Unione Italiana Sport per Tutti, »Social dialogue in Sport for All«
15.30	Prof. Herbert Hartmann , IASFA – International Academy of Sport For All »Integration through Sport«
16.00	Coffee break
16.30	Antoni Llop Padila , CESS - Confederation of Europenne Sport Sante »Social managment in sport for all and intercultural dialogue«
17.00	Dr. Milan Hosta , SUS - Sports Union of Slovenia, Academy of Sport for all »Sport for all, discrimination and intolerance«
17.30	Debate
Moderators: Zoran Verovnik, Ministry for Education and Sport of Slovenia Jacob Schouenborg, ISCA - International Culture and Sport Association Iztok Retar, SUS - Sports Union of Slovenia	
18.30	Banquet with exhibition of projects and best practices »National and Local implementation actions: integration and intercultural dialogue, lifelong learning practise...« in the lobby during the event.

The exhibition will present work, projects and/ or organizations. There is no additional cost for presenting at the exhibition and it is opportunity as added value to the round table. There will be

provided with a table and posting board which can be used for presenting information, photos, flyers, brochures, etc. Electricity is available on limited basis if requested in advance.

ROUND TABLE PROGRAMME

Friday, 16th May 2008

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09.30	Workshop: »Cross-Sectoral Policies in the field of intercultural dialogue, integration through sport for all«
Goals:	The objective is to emphasise cross-sectoral cooperation and partnership building to attain better results in the implementation of integration and intercultural dialogue policies.
Moderator:	Mogens Kirkeby, ISCA - International Culture and Sport Association
Issues for the debate:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is the role of EU and stakeholders in developing a long - term strategy for the sport intervention and activities at local, national and international levels? • How to encourage the Sport for all - civil society organisations for intercultural interventions? • How to promote the Sport for all organisations not only in the EU project implementation but also in shaping the EU programmes and policies? • How could Sport for all organisations contribute to the role of sport in promoting social integration with common language and as a platform for democracy?
10.30	Coffee break
11.00	Good practice presentations from South East Europe »Cross-Sectoral Policies in the field of intercultural dialogue, integration through sport for all«
Moderator:	Saska Benedicic Tomat, SUS - Sports Union of Slovenia
Presenters from:	Sports Union of Bosnia and Herzegovina Montenegro SFA Association Sport Union of SBK/KSV, Bosnia Association Sport For All Serbia, Faculty of Sport Belgrade Croatian SFA Association GARD, Macedonia and others...
Issues for the presentations:	How the Sport for all Associations cooperate with public authorities? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is the mechanism of cooperation between governmental institutions, national authorities and the sport for all sector? • What partnership models are in the region and what are their relative importance? • Presentations of different approaches in national projects on the base sport as a tool for healthcare and health promotion. • Presentations of different approaches in national projects on the base sport as a tool for intercultural dialogue and integration.
12.30	Round Table Conclusions - »Ljubljana Sport For All recommendations«
13.00	Journalist Conference
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1. Registration

All participants, i.e. both the official delegation members and any other guests (e.g. partners) are invited to register **by 5 May 2008** at the latest using the enclosed registration form.

At the Information desk in the Grand Hall in Ministry of Education and sport, Masarykova 16 in Ljubljana, participants and other registered guest will receive their registration badges. The registration badges must be worn throughout the event as participants will otherwise not be able to access the venue.

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13.00 Accreditation*


With the registration and accreditation badge you get free participation in the Round table at 15th and 16th of May, all materials, beverage and banquets according to the programme. The organizers will not cover the accommodation and transportation costs for participants.

2. Arrival/Transportation

Participants (arriving by plane) will be subject to the usual border procedure. There will be no special transportation for participants and no specific luggage – handling arrangements and participants shall be responsible for transport arrangement from the airport to the Hotel in Ljubljana and viceversa.

There will be no special transportation or direction for participants arriving by car and no specific luggage – handling arrangements and participants shall be responsible for transport arrangement to the center of Ljubljana. You can find a map/links of Ljubljana and recommended Hotels further on.

The venue for the event is in the centre Ljubljana, not far away from Hotels. Follow the map.



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3. Accommodation

The Participants have to book the room for themselves. The organisers recommend the following Hotels:

GRAND HOTEL UNION - BUSINESS

Miklošičeva 3, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenia

T: +386 1 308 1170

F: +386 1 308 1914

E: hotel.business@gh-union.si

W: www.gh-union.si

CITY HOTEL LJUBLJANA

Dalmatinova 15, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenia

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E: info@cityhotel.si

HOTEL PARK

Tabor 9, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenia

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BEST WESTERN PREMIER HOTEL SLON

Slovenska cesta 34, Ljubljana, Slovenia

T: +386 (0)1 470 11 00

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GRAND HOTEL UNION GARNI

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F: +386 (0)1 230 11 81

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HOTEL LEV

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T: +386 (0)1 433 21 55

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E: info@hotel-lev.si

W: www.hotel-lev.si

HOSTEL CELICA

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E: info@souhostel.com

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4. »Round table« venue

The round table will take place at the Ministry of Education and Sport, Masarykova street 16 in Ljubljana in Grand Hall.

Ministry of Education and Sport

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Coffee breaks and banquets will be organised in accordance with the programme within the Ministry area. There will also be a designated area on the venue, where you will be able to leave the coats and store your luggage.

5. Interpretation

The working language at the event will be English – no interpretation provided.

6. Contacts

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Find the venue on the map:

http://zemljevid.najdi.si/search_maps.jsp?q=ljubljana+masarykova+cesta&tab=maps

MAPS of Ljubljana and Hotels on the link:

<http://turizem.gis.ljubljana.si/>

or

http://turizem.gis.ljubljana.si/web/profile.aspx?id=MOL_Turizem@Ljubljana&culture=en-US

Other links:

Ljubljana Airport | www.lju-airport.si
Rent a car | www.europcar.si
Railway | www.slo-zeleznice.si
Ljubljana Bus Station | www.ap-ljubljana.si
Ljubljana Tourist Information Centre | www.ljubljana-tourism.si
Slovenian Tourist Board | www.slovenia.info
Automobile Association of Slovenia | www.amzs.si
Opera and ballet | www.opera.si
Health Assistance | www.zdravstvena-asistenca.si
Water Park Atlantis | www.atlantis-vodnomesto.si

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APPLICATION FORM FOR ACCREDITATION

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Mr/Mrs/Ms:

Title:

First name:

Last name:

Position:

Organisation:

Organisation's website:

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