



European Democrat Students

Winter University 2012

"Democratization Process in the Balkans – Promoting European Values and Human Rights"

February 21 – 26, 2012
Zagreb, Croatia

Draft Programme

Tuesday, February 21, 2012 *(all activities will be held in the hotel)*

- 11.00-15.00 Training of working group leaders and selected participants
- 15.00-18.00 Arrival of participants and check in
- 18.00-18.30 Welcome speech of chairman Juraj Antal (EDS) and Mateo Ivanac (SO HSS)
- 18.30-19.15 History of the Balkan terminology – what is that?
(Nenad Vajzović, Vice Chairman of EDS and SO HSS)
- 19.30-20.30 Welcome Dinner
- 20.30-21.00 Welcome to Croatia
(short presentation by Nenad Vajzović, Vice Chairman of EDS and Vice Chairman of SO HSS)
Presentation of participants, ice-breaking activities

Wednesday, February 22, 2012

- 08.00-08.45 Breakfast
- 09.00-10.00 Official Opening of the Conference by Ivo Josipović – President of Croatia (City Hall)
- 10.00-10.30 Transfer to the headquarters of HSS
- 10.30-12.30 Working session (Working groups sessions Policy for Europe, Human rights, High education about Democratization process in Balkans)
- 12.30-13.15 Lunch
- 13.15-19.00 PWGs
- 20.00 Dinner hosted by Neda Prpić Gamiršek - Honorary chairwoman of HSS

Thursday, February 23, 2012

- 08.00-09.00 Breakfast
- 09.00-09.30 Transfer to Croatian Parliament (Hrvatski Sabor)
- 09.30-12.00 Meeting with the Committee for Human Rights
- 12.30-13.30 Lunch

- 13.30-15.00 "Corruption as a Violation of Human Rights" (Lecture by Anton Florijan Barišić, President of the Centre for Excellence in Development, Zagreb)
- 15.00-15.15. Coffee break
- 15.15-17.00 Workshops (Moderated by Ivana Pukšec, project coordinator at Chronos Info)
- 17.00-17.15 Break
- 17.15-18.30 Summarization
- 20.00 Dinner

Friday, February 24, 2012 (*Location will be organized by Hanns Seidel Stiftung*)

- 08.00-09.00 Breakfast
- 09.00-12.30 Working groups session 2 (PWGs)
- 12.30-14.00 Lunch
- 13.15-16.00 Round table
- 16.00-16.30 Coffee break
- 16.30-17.00 Summary session of round table
- 19.00 Dinner (*Restaurant "Stari fijaker"*)

Saturday, February 25, 2012

(activities before lunch will be held in the hotel)

- 08.00-09.00 Breakfast
- 09.00-10.15 *20 years of Democratization process on balcans part 1 "Minorities in Croatia"* (Lecture by Milorad Pupovac - representative of the Independent Democratic Serb Party (SDSS) in the Croatian Parliament) - *to be confirmed*
- 10.15-10.30 Coffee break
- 10.30-12.00 "Monitoring of minorities human rights in Croatia" (Presentation by Obrad Ivanović from Serbian Democratic Forum (SDF))
- 12.30-14.00 Lunch (*Pivnica Medvedgrad*)
- 14.00-14.30 Transfer to *Palača Dverce*
- 14.30-19.30 Council Meeting
- 19.30-20.30 Preparations for gala dinner
- 20.30-21.00 Transfer to *Museum Mimara*
- 21.00 Gala dinner