Conference venue: Akademija nauka i umjetnosti Republike Srpske - ANURS  
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General programme

Day one, 24 Oct. Thursday

08:30-16:00  Registration of participants (Main Hall)
09:30-10:00  Opening address and welcome speech at the 7th REDETE conference (Main Hall)
10:00-11:00  Keynotes plenary discussion (Main Hall)
11:00-11:15  Coffee break
11:15-13:00  Keynotes plenary discussion (Main Hall)
13:00-14:00  Lunch
14:00-15:30  Parallel Sessions (Main Hall, Room 1)
Main Hall - Presentation of research papers

Room 1 - A Roundtable discussion on economic development: CIDEA - Strengthening the cooperation between economy and educational institutions

Red hall – Enterprise Europe Network - Meetings of scholars, business leaders and policy makers

15:30-16:00 Coffee break

16:00-17:30 Parallel Sessions (Main Hall, Room 1, Room 2)

Main Hall - Presentation of research papers

Red Hall - Enterprise Europe Network - B2B Meetings

Room 2 – Roundtable BIT Alliance - Strategic positioning of IT industry in B&H and Republic of Srpska

Room 3 – Meeting with Italian Ambassador, Mr. Nicola Minasi

20:00 Gala dinner – Getsby (Hotel BOSNA)
Day two, 25 Oct., Friday

08:00-16:00   Registration of Participants (Main Hall)
09:30-10:45   Keynotes plenary discussion (Main Hall)
10:45-11:00   Coffee break
11:00-12:45   Parallel Sessions (Main Hall, Room 1, Room 2, Room 3, Room 4)
               Main Hall - Presentation of research papers
               Room 2 – Info day – European Entrepreneurship Network (COSME and HORIZON 2020)
12:45-13:45   Lunch
13:45-15:30   Parallel Sessions (Main Hall, Room 1, Room 2, Room 3)
               Main Hall - Presentation of research papers
15:30-16:00  Coffee break
16:00-17:30  Main Hall - Presentation of research papers
17:30       End note and closure of the VII REDETE Conference
20:00       Informal dinner

Day three, 26th Oct. Saturday
Free time, social activities, organised city tour
Key note speakers:

Keynotes plenary discussion (24th of October, 2019. 10:00 – 11:00 Main Hall)

Shampa, Roy-Mukherjee (University of East London) - *The impact of Globalisation on Inequality: A comparative study of OECD and Balkan Countries*

Dimoulas, Kostas (Panteion University of Social and Political Sciences) - *European Monetary Union and the impact of debt crisis in Greece*

Bartlett, William (London School of Economics and Political Science) - *University-Business Cooperation in the Western Balkans: Opportunities and Pitfalls*

Kleinert, Joern (University of Graz) - *Finding the appropriate institutional design - the challenge after 30 years of transition*

Keynotes plenary discussion (24th of October, 2019. 11:15 – 13:00 Main Hall)

Budak, Jelena (Institute of Economics Zagreb)- *Public opinion on tobacco grey market in Western Balkans: a cluster analysis approach*

Bjelić, Predrag (University of Belgrade) - *Global Value Chains and a Changing Landscape of Global Trade*

Rosa, Peter (The University of Edinburgh) – *Family Businesses in the European Union*
Keynotes plenary discussion (25th of October, 2019. 09:30 – 10:45 Main Hall)

Mrak, Mojmir (University of Ljubljana) - European economic governance: past development, current trends and perspectives
Corvello, Vincenzo (University of Calabria) - Start-up Ecosystem: Myths or Realities
Avlijaš, Sonja (Sciences Po University, Paris) - Women, work and the political economy of post-socialist transition to capitalism
Iacobacci, Donato (Ancona University) – Regional Economic Development and Innovation
Detailed programme

24th of October, Thursday

Parallel Sessions

14:00- A Roundtable discussion on economic development: CIDEA - Strengthening the cooperation between economy and educational institutions — (Room 1) Session chairs: Mario Milanović, Martin Bratanić

Group 1: Entrepreneurship, Innovation
14:00-15:30 (Main Hall) Session chairs: Donato Iacobacci, Peter Rosa,

Slobodan Marić, Maja Strugar Jelaća, Ozren Uzelac, Radmila Bjekić (Serbia) – Is There a Place and / or Where is a Place for Entrepreneurship?: A Global Perspective

Gábor Szabó-Szentgrót, Csaba Bereczki, Szilárd Berke (Hungary) – Strategic planning and management practices of start-up managers

Aleksandar Vekić, Jelena Borocki, Angela Fajsi, Srbislav Stojić (Serbia) – Start-up skills as dimension of entrepreneurial attitudes

Monika Tomczyk, Monika Spychalska Wojtkiewicz (Poland) – Cross-Sectoral Partnership for Innovation and Growth: Can Creative Industries support Traditional Sector Innovation?

Maja Ivanović-Djukić, Suzana Stefanović & Vesna Janković-Milić (Serbia) - Solving the Puzzle Of Entrepreneurship Development and Economic Growth in Emerging Markets
Katarina Štavlić, Mirjana Radman Funarić (Croatia) – Innovativeness of microentrepreneurs

Vincenzo Corvello (Italy) - Start-up Ecosystem: Myths or Realities

**Enterprise Europe Network - Meetings of scholars, business leaders and policy makers**
14:00 – 15:30 (Room 1) – Moderator – Vladislav Marjanović (Europe Enterprise Network Serbia, Faculty of Economics NIS)

Aleksandar Vukovic - Enterprise Europe Network – opportunity for SMEs in Republic of Srpska

Jovo Ateljević – Enhancing the innovation management capacities of SMEs (Horizon 2020)

Vladimir Subotic – Internationalization and Innovation of IT sector in BiH

Nikolina Mijic – COSME program

Miloš Trkulja – The Challenge of the Digital Transformation Process for the domestic IT industry

Zoran Joldzic – GMP enterijeri – experience from cooperation with University of Banja Luka

Dragana Ilibasic – Role of Innovation Centre Banja Luka in transfer technologies
Dijana Vuleta – NIGDP d.o.o. Banja Luka – Digital innovation platform

Other representatives from business sector

**Group 2: Adjusting structural Adjustment**

*16:00-17:30 (Main Hall) Session chairs: Sonja Avlijaš, Maja Ivanović-Dukić,*

**Violetta Ivanitskaya (Russia) - The soft budget constraint in post-communist countries: case of Russia and Czech Republic**

Sović, Almir (Austria) - Social justice and neoliberal society

Budak, Jelena; Rajh, Edo; Buturac, Goran & Brković, Anamarija (Croatia) - Public opinion on tobacco gray market in Western Balkans: a cluster analysis approach

Radim Valenčík, Jan Mertl, Lenka Říhová, Radim Valenčík (Czech Republic) - Pension system’s reform as the path to increasing the creative teams’ innovative potential in Czechia

Amra Nuhanovic, Jasmila Pasic (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - The Crisis of The European Union And Its Impact On The Integration Process Of Bosnia And Herzegovina

Ilija Stojanovic, Nasiha Osmanovic, Jovo Ateljević (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - Moderated Mediation Effects of Economic Freedom on FDI under different levels of Political Stability

Miloš Šolaja (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - De Facto States in the World Economic Order

Zoran Borović (Bosnia and Herzegovina) – Measuring Tax Progressivity in OECD
Entreprise Europe Network - Meetings of scholars, business leaders and policy makers  
16:00 – 17:30 (Room 1)
Entrepreneurial Success Stories

Academic and Business Meetings

Roundtable BIT Alliance - Strategic positioning of IT industry in B&H and Republic of Srpska  
16:00 – 17:30 (Room 2)

Meeting with Italian Ambassador, Mr. Nicolas Minasi  
16:00 – 17:30 (Room 3)

25th of October, Friday

Parallel Sessions

Group 3: Business education, Human resources  
11:00-12:45 (Main Hall) Session chairs: Jelena Budak, Nikša Alfirović

Hana Janáková, Monika Zatrochová (Slovakia) - Improving competitiveness of university graduates in consideration of study fields
Novo Plkalović, Dragan Plkalović (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - University in the Republic of Srpska and economy of knowledge

Niksa Alfirevic, Sasa Petkovic, Damir Mihanovic (Croatia) - Higher Education students' understanding of natural and social sustainability: Preliminary empirical research in South East Europe

Will Bartlett (Serbia) - University-Business Cooperation in the Western Balkans: Opportunities and Pitfalls

Ozren Trišić (Bosnia and Herzegovina) – Strategies for University Success

Info day – European Entrepreneurship Network (COSME and HORIZON 2020)
11:00 – 12:45 (Room 1)

Group 4: Finance, Accounting, Management
11:00-12:45 (Room 2)  Session chairs: Novo Plkalović, Zoran Borović,

Tajana Serdar Raković, Jelena Poljasević (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - The Assessment of the Financial Sustainability of Local Municipalities

Ljubisa Vladusic, Boško Mekinjić, Novo Plkalović (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - Determinants of the level of interest rates in the banking sector of the Republic of Srpska

Mia Glamuzina, Marko Santic (BiH) - The effect of advertising, as a form of integrated marketing communication, on creating of a touristic destination image

Sanja Rocco, Aleksandra Pisnik (Croatia) - Managing Design: the Impact of Design Orientation on Market Success
Sanja Mitić, Branko Rakita (Serbia) - Born global firms in Serbia: role of networks and marketing capabilities

Dragan Milovanovic (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - Challenges for managers in creating new business strategies

Nevena Crnčević (Bosnia and Herzegovina) – Company growth model

Željka Knežević (Bosnia and Herzegovina, World Bank) – Organisation restructuring


11:00 – 12:45 (Room 3)

BIT Alliance – Strategic positioning of IT industry in B&H and Republic of Srpska

11:00 – 12:45 (Room 4)

Group 5: Economic development, Global trade

13:45-15:30 (Main Hall)  Session chairs: Predrag Bjelić, Jelena Trivić

Violetta Ivanitskaya (Russia) - The dynamic programming as a way to find an optimal solution for an economy

Mirjana Dokmanovic, Neven Cveticanin (Serbia) - Food Sovereignty and Economic Democracy – Alternative Approaches to the Economic Challenges in the Balkan Countries

Milos Todorovic, Aleksandar Djordjevic (Serbia) - Globalization, transnational companies and sovereignty
Elma Satrovic, Adnan Muslija, Dragan Gligorić, Sadeq J. Abul, Tamanna Dalwai (Bosnia and Herzegovina) – Innovation, government expenditure and gross capital formation in Turkey

Sović, Almir (Austria) – The State and the learning society

Edward Bace (UK) - Sustainable Development through Community Centred Business Practices: The Albanian Tourism Industry

Sofija Adzic (Serbia) - New Directions of Small Countries Development within the Current Geopolitical Flows

Sanja Alatović (Bosnia and Herzegovina) – Development of a competitiveness measurement model at the subnational level

**European Entrepreneurship Network (COSME and HORIZON 2020)**
13:45 – 15:30 (Room 1)

**Group 6: Challenges for Developing Countries, FDI**
13:45 – 15:30 (Room 2)  Session chairs: Joern Kleinert, William Bartlett

Radoslav Kostev (Bulgaria) - Importance of the transport corridors for the regional development of Southeast Europe

Maja Bacovic (Montenegro) - FDI inflows, Wages and Labor productivity in middle-income Balkan countries

Valentina Giannini, Giulio Cainelli, Donato Iacobucci (Italy) - How local geography shapes firm geography

Paolina Zheleva (Bulgaria) - Brexit dilemmas: the UK leaving the EU or not

Bozana Skoric (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - Exergoeconomic analysis: concept, analysis and significance

Borce Trenovski, Biljana Tashevska, Kristijan Kozheski, Gunter Merdzan - The Link between Productivity And Labor Compensation In Selected Central And Southeast European Countries”
Dragan Milovanovic, Kuč Vukašin (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - Analysis of restructuring and innovation for EU companies: Recommendations for companies in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Nikolina Mijić (Bosnia and Herzegovina) – excellence, impact and implementation of the innovation through the phase 2 H2020 EIC-SME supported by research executive agency under the delegation of the European Commission

Benyamin Poghosyan (Armenia) - China Involvement In The South Caucasus: Geopolitics And Geoeconomics

13:45 – 15:30 (Room 3)

**Group 7 – Presentation of research papers**
16:00 – 17:30 (Main Hall)

16:00 – 17:30 (Room 3)