

Vienna Economic Forum is proud to cooperate with:



Serbian Association of Economists is proud to cooperate with:



Special thanks to:



Media Partners:



INTERNATIONAL  
NON-GOVERNMENTAL  
ORGANISATION

CONSULTATIVE STATUS  
WITH THE ECONOMIC AND  
SOCIAL COUNCIL OF THE  
UNITED NATIONS (ECOSOC)

REGISTERED IN THE  
TRANSPARENCY REGISTER  
OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT  
AND EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Vienna Economic Forum

Stubenring 16/3

1010 Vienna

Austria

T: +43 (1) 714 10 14 11

F: +43 (1) 714 10 14 19

E: office@vienna-economic-forum.com

H: www.vienna-economic-forum.com

Serbian Association of Economists

Dobrinjska 11/I

Belgrade

Serbia

T: +381 11 2644 980 / +381 11 3613 409

F: +381 11 3629 689

E: office@ses.org.rs

H: www.ses.org.rs

With friendly support of:



## VIENNA ECONOMIC TALKS BELGRADE MEETING 2017

UNDER PATRONAGE OF  
JEAN-CLAUDE JUNCKER  
PRESIDENT OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION

21-22 May 2017

Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia  
Resavska 13-15, Belgrade



With friendly support of:



Working Languages: English and Serbian  
Simultaneous translation will be provided

PROGRAM

Official Carrier: Austrian [OS773](#) – Vienna–Belgrade – 21 May – 1:05 p.m.–2:10 p.m. [CODE: VET17](#)

SUNDAY, 21 MAY 2017

	<b>LOCATION</b> Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia, Resavska 13–15, Belgrade 11000
5:00–5:45 p.m.	<b>REGISTRATION</b> all participants
5:45 p.m.	<b>FAMILY PHOTO</b> (upon invitation)
6:00–7:30 p.m.	<b>FIRST EVENING SESSION</b>

“THE RESPONSIBILITY TO BE REGIONALLY CONNECTED”

Moderation

Amb. Victor JACKOVICH, Jackovich International LLC, USA, Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Welcome Address

Mr. Marko ČADEŽ, President of Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia

Introductory Statement

H.E. Dr. Zorana MIHAJLOVIĆ, Deputy Prime Minister of the Government of Serbia

Participants at the Discussion

Dr. Gabriel LANSKY, Partner, Lansky, Ganzger + partner, Austria, Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum  
Mrs. Dubravka NĚGRE, Head of Western Balkan Regional Office of the European Investment Bank (EIB) in Belgrade

Dr. Ludwig NIESSEN, Member of the Board, Wiener Börse, Austria, Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Amb. Gazmend TURDIU, Deputy Secretary General of Regional Cooperation Council (RCC), Sarajevo

Prof. Dr. Dragan DJURIČIN, Faculty of Economics, University of Belgrade, Member of the Presidency of Serbian Association of Economists

Mr. Ali KILIÇ, Mayor of Maltepe, Istanbul, Turkey

Q AND A SESSION

with the Audience (led by the Moderator)

8:00 p.m.	<b>WELCOME RECEPTION</b> for all participants of Vienna Economic Talks – Belgrade Meeting 2017 hosted by the Board of Vienna Economic Forum
	<b>LOCATION</b> Hotel Metropol, Nikola Tesla Conference Room, Bulevar Kralja Aleksandra 69, Belgrade 11000
	<b>Possibilities for Bilateral Meetings, organized for Vienna Economic Forum Members and Members of Serbian Association of Economists.</b>

MONDAY, 22 MAY 2017

	<b>LOCATION</b> Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia, Resavska 13–15, Belgrade 11000
8:00–8:45 a.m.	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
8:45 a.m.	<b>FAMILY PHOTO</b> (upon invitation)
9:00–11:00 a.m.	<b>FIRST OPENING SESSION</b>

“REGIONAL COOPERATION ON A EUROPEAN PATH”

Moderation

Prof. Dr. Miroljub LABUS, Law Faculty, University of Belgrade, Serbia, Member of the Presidency of Serbian Association of Economists

Greeting Words

Amb. Dr. Elena KIRTICHEVA, Member of the Board, Secretary General of Vienna Economic Forum

Mr. Aleksandar VLAHOVIĆ, President of Serbian Association of Economists

Participants at the Discussion

Mr. Oskar BENEDIKT, Acting Head of the Delegation of the European Union in Serbia

Dr. Ognian DONEV, CEO Sopharma PLC, Bulgaria, Vice-President of Vienna Economic Forum

Mr. Daniel BERG, Director for Serbia, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

Ms. Nataša MIKUŠ ŽIGMAN, State Secretary of Ministry of Economy, Entrepreneurship and Crafts, Croatia

	<b>Mr. Emmanuel FOREST</b> , CEO, Bouygues Europe, Belgium, Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum <b>Mr. Gordan MILINIĆ</b> , Director, Foreign Investment Promotion Agency, Bosnia and Herzegovina
	<b>Q AND A SESSION</b> with the Audience (led by the Moderator)

11:00–11:30 a.m.	<b>NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK</b> hosted by Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia
11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.	<b>SECOND PLENARY SESSION</b>

“EXPLORE REGIONAL INVESTMENT CHANCES – NOW!”

Moderation

Dr. Milan PARIVODIĆ, Parivodić Advokati, Serbia, Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Impulse Statement

H.E. Mr. Goran KNEŽEVIĆ, Minister of Economy of Government of Serbia

Participants at the Discussion

Dr. Willibald PLESSER, Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP, Austria, Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Mr. Zoran DRAKULIĆ, President, Serbian Business Club Privrednik, Serbia

Mr. Aleksandar MEDJEDOVIĆ, Chairman, Turkish-Serbian Business Council – Foreign Economic Relations Board of Turkey (DEIK), Member of Vienna Economic Forum

Mr. Kemal KAFADAR, Senior Advisor, Investment Support and Promotion Agency of Turkey (ISPAT), Member of the Board of Vienna Economic Forum

Mr. Marco HERNANDEZ, Programme Leader, Equitable Growth, Finance and Institutions, Vienna Office of World Bank

Q AND A SESSION

with the Audience (led by the Moderator)

1:30–2:30 p.m.	<b>NETWORKING LUNCH</b> hosted by the Delegation of the European Union in Serbia
2:30 p.m.	<b>END of Vienna Economic Talks – Belgrade Meeting 2017</b>

Official Carrier: Austrian [OS736](#) – Belgrade–Vienna – 22 May – 6:20 p.m.–7:40 p.m. [CODE: VET17](#)