

PROGRAMME

LIST OF EVENTS

Dubrovnik Cluster of Events in Higher Education includes the following events

- [Regional Strategic Forum](#) (26 September 2012)
- [Regional Expert Forum](#) (28 September 2012)

26 September 2012

Regional Strategic Forum

with participation of HEIs/HEAs leadership, representatives of international organisation and independent higher education experts

This one day summit event is comprised of three Panels: an introductory **Café Panel** in the morning, **Central Panel** in the afternoon, and **After Eight Panel** in the evening).

Chairs General: **Muiris O'Connor**, Principal Officer, Policy and Planning, Higher Education Authority of Ireland, and **Aleksa Bjeliš**, Rector, University of Zagreb and Vice-President of Magna Charta Observatory Council

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Morning session: Café Panel

This introductory Panel involves a number of panellists from the Region aiming to outline current state in regional benchmarking and cooperation in higher education, and to explore to which extent there is an institutionalised 'collective voice', beyond the Bologna Process. The conclusions from this session will serve as one of the inputs for the Central Panel.

Venue: CAAS Inner Courtyard

10:00-11:30 To which extent the Region shares good practice in higher education structural reform and does it have an institutionalised 'collective voice'?

Moderators: **Aleksa Bjeliš** (University of Zagreb), **Rajani Naidoo** (University of Bath), (tbc), **Mladen Dragašević** (RCC), **Mike Dawney** (independent expert) and **Ladislav Novak** (University of Novi Sad)

Afternoon session: Central Panel

This Central Panel is aiming to discuss milestones, areas outlined to be included, methodology for action and implementation logistic concerning the of the *Regional Roadmap in Higher Education* and term of reference, governance, funding and action plan related to the *Regional Platform for Benchmarking and Cooperation in Higher Education*.

Venue: CAAS, Conference Hall

28 September 2012

Regional Expert Forum

with participation of higher education experts from EU and WB.

This one day event aiming to summarise key features of the current structural reform in higher education in the Region and disseminate findings collated in five countries (Albania, B&H, Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia) through a comprehensive Questionnaire developed under the scheme of EC funded STREW project.

Venue: CAAS, first floor, Room No:4

Chairs General: **Mike Dawney** (Middlesex University, London, UK), **Melita Kovacevic** (University of Zagreb, Croatia)

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15:00–16:00 Introductory speeches

- *Mike Dawney* (Middlesex University, London) Key features of the current structural reform in higher education in the WB Region (reflection on the STREW Reports)
- *Melita Kovacevic* (University of Zagreb), In the course of the professionalisation of administration and management of higher education

16:00–17:00 Discussion

17:00–18:00 Agreement on the initial Set of Recommendations