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XV ECPD International Conference
THE UN AGENDA 2030
TO TRANSFORM THE WORLD
(Belgrade City Hall, 25 October 2019)

AGENDA

Chair of the Conference: **Prof. Dr. Federico Mayor**
ECPD Executive Director: **Prof. Dr. Negoslav P. Ostojić**
Conference Director: **Dr. Roberto Savio**
Rapporteurs: **Prof. Dr. Arthur Dahl / Dr. Manuela Mesa**

09:00-9:45 *Registration of participants*

10:00 – 10:45 **OPENING CEREMONY** **CHAIR'S OPENING ADDRESS AND KEYNOTE SPEECHES**

Prof. Dr. Federico Mayor, President, ECPD Council (video link)
Former Director General UNESCO, President of the Foundation for Culture of Peace

Prof. Dr. Slavica Djukić-Dejanović
Minister in the Government of the Republic of Serbia

Prof. Dr. Francisco Rojas, Rector of the UN University for Peace

Prof. Dr. Erhard Busek, Vice-Chancellor of Austria a.d.,
President of the Institute for the Danube Region and Central Europe
**Conflict and Crises in Europe and the World – and How to Manage It! What Means
Sustainability? Are There Limits for Europe? Globalization, Digitalization and What Next?**

Prof. Dr. Arthur Dahl, President, International Environment Forum, Switzerland

10:45 – 11.45 **PANEL I - ECONOMIC GROWTH** **(SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS 8 AND 9)**

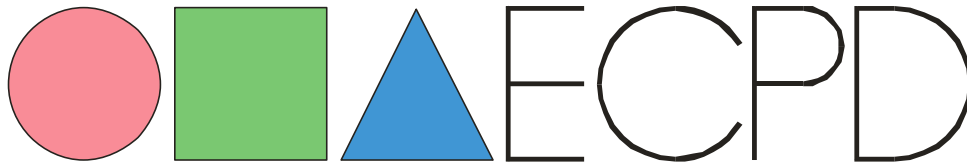
CO-CHAIRS: **Prof. Dr. Erhard Busek / Prof. Dr. Yoji Koyama**, Niigata University, Japan

Sustainable Development and the Crisis of Global Economic System
Academician Ljubiša Adamović, Professor ECPD

The Role of Slovenia in the Western Balkans
Prof. Dr. Jožef Kunič, Honorary President, Slovenian Association for International Relations

New Economics of Small Open Economies
Prof. Dr. Tihomir Domazet, University of Zagreb, Croatia

Academics and Sustainable Development Goals
Prof. Dr. Marjan Svetličič, Professor Emeritus, University of Ljubljana



Core values for delivery of the Sustainable Development Goals

Prof. Dr. Farhang Tahzib, Director of Public Health, West Sussex Primary Care Trust, UK

The Challenges of Economic Democracy and Democratic Firms

Prof. Dr. Blagoje Spirkovski, FON University, Skopje, North Macedonia

11:45 – 12:00 Coffee break

**12:00 – 13:00 PANEL II - HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT
(SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 AND 10)**

CO-CHAIRS: Prof. Dr. Arthur Dahl / Prof. Dr. Don Wallace

**Massive Outflow of People from EU Periphery and Its Depopulation:
Implication for the European Integration**

Prof. Dr. Yoji Koyama

The Problems of the Strengthening the Stability on the Postsowijet Area

Prof. Dr. Boris Shmelev, Russian Academy for Sciences and Arts, Russian Federation

Agenda 2030 and New Humanism

Prof. Dr. Darko Tanasković, Former Ambassador of Serbia to UNESCO

Global Transformation: Emergencies, Dilemmas and Decisions

Dr. Richard Pagett, Future States, Wiltshire, United Kingdom, Professor ECPD

The Meaning of War Violence Against Women and Children:

Individual, Family and Social Perspective

Prof. Dr. Mila Goldner Vukov, FRANZCP and ATODS, Queensland, Australia

**13:00 – 14:00 PANEL III - ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE
(SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS 6, 7, 11, 12, 13 AND 15)**

CO-CHAIRS: Prof. Dr. Geoffrey Lipman / Prof. Dr. Richard Pagett

Climate Friendly Travel - Tomorrow's Imperative Today

Prof. Dr. Geoffrey Lipman, Creative Disruption Architect, The SUN^x Program

Climate Change – Desertification and Degradation

Dr. Nigel Carter, President En-Venture, UK, Senior Lecturer ECPD

The Greek Crisis: Lessons Learnt from a Case of Unsustainable Growth

Prof. Dr. Georges Prévélakis, Université Paris 1 – Pantheon Sorbonne, Paris, France

The SDGs, the Anthropocene, and Paradigm Shifts

Prof. Dr. Merle Lefkoff, Founder and Executive Director, Center for Emergent Diplomacy

**Making Cities Inclusive, Safe and Sustainable – the Creative Intertextual
Communicative Approach**

Prof. Dr. Christo Kaftandjiev, Kazakhstan Humanitarian Juridical Innovative University (KazHJIU)

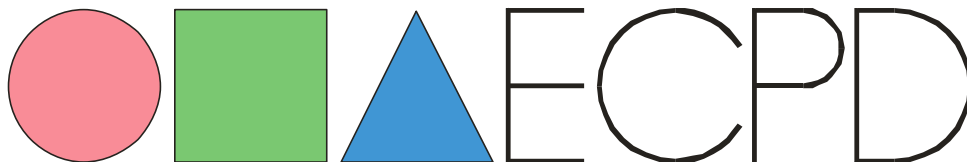
Sustainable Development through Improved Innovation Ecosystem

Prof. Dr. Boris Cizelj, DOBA Business School, Alma Mater Europaea, Maribor, President KEN

**Montenegro as an Ecological State - Intentions and Projects that this Constitutional
and Fundamental Commitment of the Community to Respect the Place**

Prof. Dr. Miodrag Vuković, Chair, Committee on International Relations, Parliament of Montenegro

14:00 – 15:15 Lunch break



**15:15 – 17:00 PANEL IV - INSTITUTIONS, FINANCE AND COOPERATION
(SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS 16 AND 17)**

CO-CHAIRS: Prof. Dr. Jonathan Bradley / Prof. Dr. Horst Mahr

**The Rule of Law as a Fundamental Sustainable Development Goal:
Challenges of the Balkan Countries**

Academician Prof. Dr. Vlado Kambovski, Macedonian Academy of Sciences and Arts, Skopje

The New World Disorder. Leadership Needed, Urgently

Prof. Dr. Horst Mahr, Chairman, Foreign Affairs Association, Munich, Germany

**Challenges and Opportunities to implement SDG 16: Promoting Peaceful
and Inclusive Societies**

*Prof. Dr. Manuela Mesa, Director, Center for Education and Research for Peace,
Culture for Peace Foundation*

The Crisis of Multilateralism and Xenophobia, Nationalism and Populism

Dr. Roberto Savio, Director of ECPD International Relations

French-German Partnership and Enlargement of EU in the Western Balkans

Prof. Dr. Nano Ružin, Rector, FON University, North Macedonia

**Reconciliation - a Prerequisite for the Integration of Western Balkans in the
EU Stream of Values and Development Patterns**

Prof. Dr. Silvo Devetak, University of Maribor, Slovenia

Global Challenges in Front of Agenda 2030

Prof. Dr. Zahari Zahariev, President, Slavyani Foundation, Bulgaria

Specific Chinese Vision for Agenda 2030

Prof. Dr. Nikolai Tomov, Director, Slavyani Foundation, Bulgaria

West and Terrorism

Prof. Dr. Boško Bojović, School of Higher Education for Social Sciences, Paris, France

17:15 – 17:30 Coffee break

17:30 – 18:30 Continuation of the PANEL IV

CO-CHAIRS: Dr. Manuela Mesa / Dr. Roberto Savio

**Achieving the UN 2030 Goals: Public Spirited Leadership and
Administrative Blessing**

Prof. Dr. Vern Redekop, Saint Paul University, Canada

Albania's Path Towards Achieving the UN Agenda 2030

Academician Prof. Dr. Paskal Milo, Albanian Academy of Sciences and Arts, Tirana

**Reassessment of the Security-Development Nexus: UN's Sustainable Development
Goals and Human Security**

Prof. Jovan Manasijevski, Faculty of Political Sciences, former Minister of Labour and Social Policy

The UN 2030 Agenda from a UK Urban Perspective

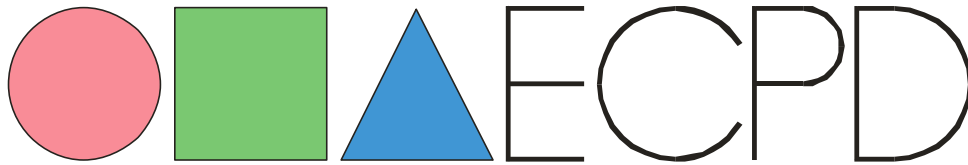
Danny Briottet, Project Manager, Music Producer & Broadcaster, London, UK

The United Kingdom: A Reliable Partner for Global Transformation

Dr Nicolas Maclean, CMG, Council Member, Federal Trust, Chief Executive of MWM, Strategy

18:30 – 19:15 FINAL DISCUSSION

Moderator: Prof. Dr. Arthur Dahl



19:15 - 19:45 **CLOSING SESSION**
CHAIR'S CONCLUDING REMARKS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
Federico Mayor, President of the ECPD Council

20:00 - 21:30 **Reception and violin concert by Miha Pogačnik**
Slovenian maestro violinist and Ambassador of Culture

hosted by:

Prof. Dr. Federico Mayor, President of the ECPD Council / Chairman of the
Conference

Prof. Dr. Negoslav P. Ostojić, ECPD Executive Director



Speeches are strictly limited to **8 minutes**, discussions **2 minute**

Working language: English and Serbo-Croat simultaneous translation

Note: Submitted papers and selected discussion contributions will be published in the Conference Proceedings