



Institute of European Studies and Hanns Seidel Stiftung conference

WESTERN BALKANS IN THE COMING YEARS, KEY FOR EUROPEAN UNION'S SURVIVAL AND DEVELOPMENT

13 December 2018, Hotel Zira, Belgrade, Ruzveltova 35, Mikonos hall

9:45-10:15 Arrival of the participants and guests

10:15-10:30 Organizers' welcome notes

Lutz Kober, Director of Hanns Seidel Stiftung in Serbia and MontenegroDr Misa Djurkovic, Director of the Institute of European StudiesDr Slobodan Zecevic, organizer, Institute of European Studies

10:30-11:30 **I panel** – IS EUROPE IN 1930? POLITICAL CONFLICT BETWEEN 'UNIONISTS' AND 'NATIONALISTS' IN THE CONTEXT OF THE 2019 EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT ELECTIONS

Prof. dr Mihajlo Crnobrnja, Chairman of the European Movement in Serbia **Dr Dusko Lopandic**, Ambassador

Dr Slobodan Zecevic, Principal Research Fellow at the Institute of European Studies

Moderator – dr Misa Djurkovic, Director of the Institute of European Studies

11:30-11:45 coffee break

11:45-13:00 **II panel** – DYNAMICS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION ENLARGEMENT **Suzana Grubjesic**, Secretary General of the European Movement in Serbia **Mr Srdjan Majstorovic**, Chariman of the Board of the European Policy Centre





Mr Igor Davidovic, Ambassador, Think Tank Banja Luka

Dr Dragoljub Todic, Principal Research Fellow at the Institute of International Politics and Economics

Moderator - dr Slobodan Zecevic, Principal Research Fellow at the Institute of European Studies

13:00-13:15 coffee break

13:15-14:15 **III panel** – WESTERN BALKANS AS THE VANGUARD OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

Prof. dr Dragan Djukanovic, Associate Professor at Faculty of Political Sciences of the University of Belgrade

Dr Marko Savkovic, Program Director at the Belgrade Fund for Political Excellence **Mr Rajko Petrovic**, Research Trainee at the Institute of European Studies

Moderator – dr Milan Igrutinovic, Research Assistant at the Institute of European Studies

14:15-15:15 lunch break

15:15-16:15 IV panel – GREAT POWERS AND THE WESTERN BALKANS

Dr Dusan Prorokovic, Research Associate at the Institute of International Politics and Economics

Prof. dr Milos Solaja, Associate Professor at the Faculty of Political Sciences of the University of Banja Luka

Dr Jadranka Jelincic, Chairman of the Board at the Center for Applied European Studies Moderator – dr Milan Igrutinovic, Research Assistant at the Institute of European Studies

16.15-16:30 Conclusions