

INVITATION



The *University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences* (BOKU) in Vienna in cooperation with the *Republic Agency for Spatial Planning* in Belgrade and the *Vienna University of Technology*, is inviting to a symposium with Prof. Dr. Borislav Stojkov – Director of the Agency for Spatial Planning in Serbia about a

SYMPOSIUM

“SPATIAL PLANNING IN THE DANUBE REGION. A COMPARISON OF SERBIA AND AUSTRIA”

On Thursday, December 2nd 2010, 3 p.m. s.t.
Venue: Universität für Bodenkultur - BOKU, Festsaal
Gregor Mendelstrasse 33, 3. Stock, 1180 Wien

This is an invitation to a follow-up symposium of the “Balkan” conference, which took place at the *University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences* in 2004. The strategic concept of this conference was to promote a higher degree of territorial integration across European regions, with the target to achieve a sustainable, harmonious and balanced development. This year we continue on this idea with a symposium to ask the question: “what we can learn from each other in terms of Spatial Planning.”



Programme

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- 15:00 **Welcome –**
Univ.Prof. DI Dr. Josef Glössl,
Vicerector of the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences
- 15:05 **Introduction into the Symposium**
Univ. Prof. DI Dr. i.R. Werner Kvarda
Institute of Soil Science – University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences
- 15:10 **Presentation of the Serbian Spatial Plan**
Univ. Prof. Dr. Borislav Stojkov
Director of the Agency for Spatial Planning in Serbia
- 15:45 **Austrian Spatial Development Strategy in a European Perspective**
DI Christof Schremmer
Austrian Institute for Regional Studies and Spatial Planning
- 16:20 **The Serbian Spatial Plan in a European Perspective**
Dr. Oliver Dulic (enquired)
Minister of Environment and Spatial Planning of Serbia
- 16:35 **Environment and Spatial Development as a national and European Agenda**
DI Nikolaus Berlakovich (enquired)
Minister of Environment of Austria
- 16:50 **Challenges of European Cohesion Policy in the Danube Region**
Dr. Erhard Busek
Institute for the Danube Region and Central Europe
- 17:30 **Tea and coffee break**

18:00 **Panel Discussion:** statements á 7-9 minutes

Challenges of polycentric development in the Danube Region

Univ.Prof. Dr. Rudolf Giffinger,
Centre of Regional Science – Vienna University of Technology

The Danube Strategy: making and perspective

Dr. DI Kurt Puchinger
Director of the Urban Planning Department, City Council for Urban Development
Vienna

Cross-border Regional Development

Ao. Univ. Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Blaas
Centre of Public Finance and Infrastructure Policy - Vienna University of
Technology

Moderator:

Univ. Prof. DI Dr. i.R. Werner Kvarda
Institute of Soil Science – University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences

18:30 **Final Discussion**

18:45 **Resumé**

19:00 **End of the meeting**

We will ask you to send us your reply:
Registration until November 15th 2010 at the following email-address –
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