

PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMUNITY OF EUROPE (P.A.C.E.)

6th Annual P.A.C.E. meeting | 6th - 7th May, 2016 | Bucharest, Romania

AGENDA

Day 1: Friday May 6, 2016

Location: Athenee Palace Hilton Hotel, Regina Maria Hall

First session*: 11:30 – 13.30

- Welcome and opening remarks (11.30 12.15)
 - Ms. Laura Florea Chairman of the Romanian Lobbying Registry Association (5')
 - Ms. Micol Bertoni P.A.C.E. Secretary General (10')
 - High Representative of the European Commission for Better Regulation, Interinstitutional Relations, the Rule of Law and the Charter of Fundamental Rights (tbc - 20')
 - Ms Angela Filote Representative of the European Commission (10')
- Country presentations (10 minutes each): (12.15 -13.30)
 - o Italy (Mr. Giuseppe Mazzei)
 - Spain (Ms. Maria Rosa Rotondo)
 - Croatia (Mr. Natko Vlahovic)
 - o Serbia (Ms. Ana Bovan & Mr. Nenad Vukovic)
 - o Austria (Mr. Peter Köppl)
- OECD Update and developments (tbc- 15')
- Mr. Adrian Baboi-Stroe State Secretary, Ministry of Justice
- Mr. Cornel Călinescu coordinator of the Technical Secretariat of the National Anticorruption Strategy, Ministry of Justice (10')

Lunch Break: 13.30 - 14.15 p.m.

Remark: agenda will remain flexible as changes might become necessary



* A visit of the Parliament Palace will be scheduled in the morning starting at 10 a.m.

Second session: 14.45 – 16.15 p.m.

- Country presentations (10 minutes each) (14.45-15.35)
 - Slovenia (Mr. Mihael Cigler)
 - o Montenegro (Mr. Kostadin Pusara)
 - o Czech Republic (Mr. Vaclav Nekvapil)
 - Romania (Mr. Roberto Musneci)
 - France (Mr. Eric Schell)
 - o Poland (Jadczyszyn Agnieszka & Ilona Klejnowska-Kamińska)
- SEAP & EPACA (Mr.Philip Sheppard & Mr.Karl Isaksson) Update and developments (10')
- Transparency International Update and developments (tbc -10')
- Ms Violeta Alexandru Minister for Public Consultation and Civic Dialogue (10')

16.15 – 16:45 Coffee break

Third session: 16.45 – 18.15

- Country presentations (10 minutes each) (16.45 18.15):
 - Germany (Mr. Dominik Meier)
 - Netherlands (Mr. Peter Van Keulen)
 - Cyprus (Ms. Mary Pyrgos)
 - Estonia (Mr. Ott Lumi & Mr. Andreas Kaju)
 - o Bulgaria (Mr. Lyubomir Alamanov & Mr. Boris Karakushev)
 - o Greece (Mr. Konstantinos Limperis and Mr. Yannis Sarantis)
 - Portugal (Mr. Joaquim Martins-Lampreia)
 - Switzerland (Mr. Stefan Kilchenmann)
- Ms Gabriela Drăgan Director, European Institute of Romania (10')
- Ms Angela Filote Representative of the European Commission (10')

20.00: Dinner and drinks - Location: (To be decided)



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Day 2: Saturday May 7, 2016 - Internal meeting (reserved to PACE Members)

Location: Marriott Grand Hotel

Morning session: 10.00 - 14.30

- 10:00 13:00: discussion on PACE further steps, rules of affiliation and next annual meeting in 2017;
- 13.00 14.30: Lunch



Visiting Romania!

Optional touristic trip for P.A.C.E Members

Programme

Participants will have the extraordinary opportunity to visit two of the most famous castles in the world. All the costs related to the trip are not included and will have to be paid beforehand, under conditions that will be subsequently communicated to participants.

Please express your initial interest for the following activities at: mihaela.buligan@pointpa.ro

Visit Bucharest (to be paid during the visit)

6th May 2016

- The Parliament Palace is the second largest building in the world after the Pentagon. The visit will be scheduled in the morning, starting at 10.00 a.m.
- During the conference, partners of the delegates can also visit Bucharest hop on hop off tour.

Visit two of the most famous castles in Europe (to be paid in advance)

Approximate cost 650 Euro/person

7th May 2016

 Sinaia: in the afternoon delegates will leave to Sinaia. Accommodation and Dinner in Sinaia. https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sinaia

8th May 2016

- Peles Castle (the Royal Castle): visit during the morning -<u>https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peles_Castle</u>
- Lunch <u>http://www.cabana-vanatorilor.ro/index.html</u>
- Bran Castle (Dracula's Castle): visit during the afternoon. <u>http://www.bran-castle.com</u>
- Return to Bucharest Dinner and overnight accommodation in Bucharest (TBD)

9th May 2016

Departures