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is hereby inviting you to the international scholarly conference

Sustainable Development XII:

“Europe 2030 – Ambitions, Visions and Reality”

under the patronage of the European Parliament,
the Minister of Regional Development of the Czech Republic Mrs. Klára Dostálová,
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Date:

13th – 15th October 2021

Place:

České Budějovice



The conference is addressed to the scholars, students, public institution officers, nonprofit organisation workers as well as entrepreneurs.

Aims of conference:

The conference *Sustainable Development* is a platform for meeting the scholars and professionals dealing with the contemporary European topics, Czech and Slovak ones particularly. Regarding this, the conference is aimed at the following in 2021:

- To characterize the overall strategic view of Europe and its future course in the period by 2030 in political, economic, social, security and environmental dimensions, including the position and role of the Czech Republic.
- To assess the plans and course of new European Commission, including the position and priorities of the Czech Republic, preparation of the Czech Presidency of the EU. To discuss the priorities and state of preparations of the new programming period 2020-2027.
- To assess the current situation, issues and challenges of the EU in 2021 (COVID-19 and its implications, deepening of Czech integration within the EU, state of democracy in the EU, participation of citizens in European integration, issues of Schengen cooperation, Europol, Eurojust, cooperation in selected EU policies, institutional reforms, various ideas about the future of the EU, fear of further EU enlargement and migration, the sustainability of the EU's fundamental freedoms, the internal and external security of the EU, the development of European regions, the impacts of Brexit, etc.).
- To identify and analyze the possibilities of other quality and quantity development of the living standard of the citizens of the EU countries in terms of the current economic development.
- To commemorate important events of Czech statehood.

Official conference languages: Czech, Slovak, English, German, Russian, Polish

OUTLINE OF THE CONFERENCE

- 13th October 2021 - arrival of participants, optional trip, informal meeting of participants
- 14th October 2021 - registration, plenary session, lunch, panel sessions, party
- 15th October 2021 - panel sessions, conclusions of conference, lunch, closing of conference

KEY CONFERENCE PANELS

- I. Agenda 2030 and Goals of Sustainable Development (14th October 2021)**
- II. Current Issues and Challenges of European Union (14th October 2021)**
- III. Current Challenges of Development and Future Course of Modern Democracy (14th October 2021)**
- IV. Freedom and Safety Protection of Europe (14th October 2021)**
- V. Uncovering, Documenting, Proving and Prevention of Committing Crime and Other Anti-Social Activities – Recent Opportunities and Challenges (14th October 2021)**
- VI. Current Issues of Law and Statehood (14th October 2021)**
- VII. Current Security Management Issues (14th October 2021)**
- VIII. Impacts of COVID-19 on EU Countries and Regions (14th October 2021)**
- IX. Digitization, Industrialization and Innovation (14th October 2021)**

ACCOMPANYING CONFERENCE PANELS

- X. Current Trends and Challenges in Economics, Management and Public Administration (14th October 2021)**
- XI. Sustainable Urban and Regional Development in EU Member States (14th October 2021)**
- XII. Civic Participation in Public Administration – Past, Present and Future (Elections, Referendum, New Types of Participation in the Digital Age...) (15th October 2021)**
- XIII. Round Table of Civic Education in Sustainable Development (15th October 2021)**
- XIV. Current Issues and Challenges of EU – Special Student Panel for Bachelor and Master Undergraduates (13th October 2021)**

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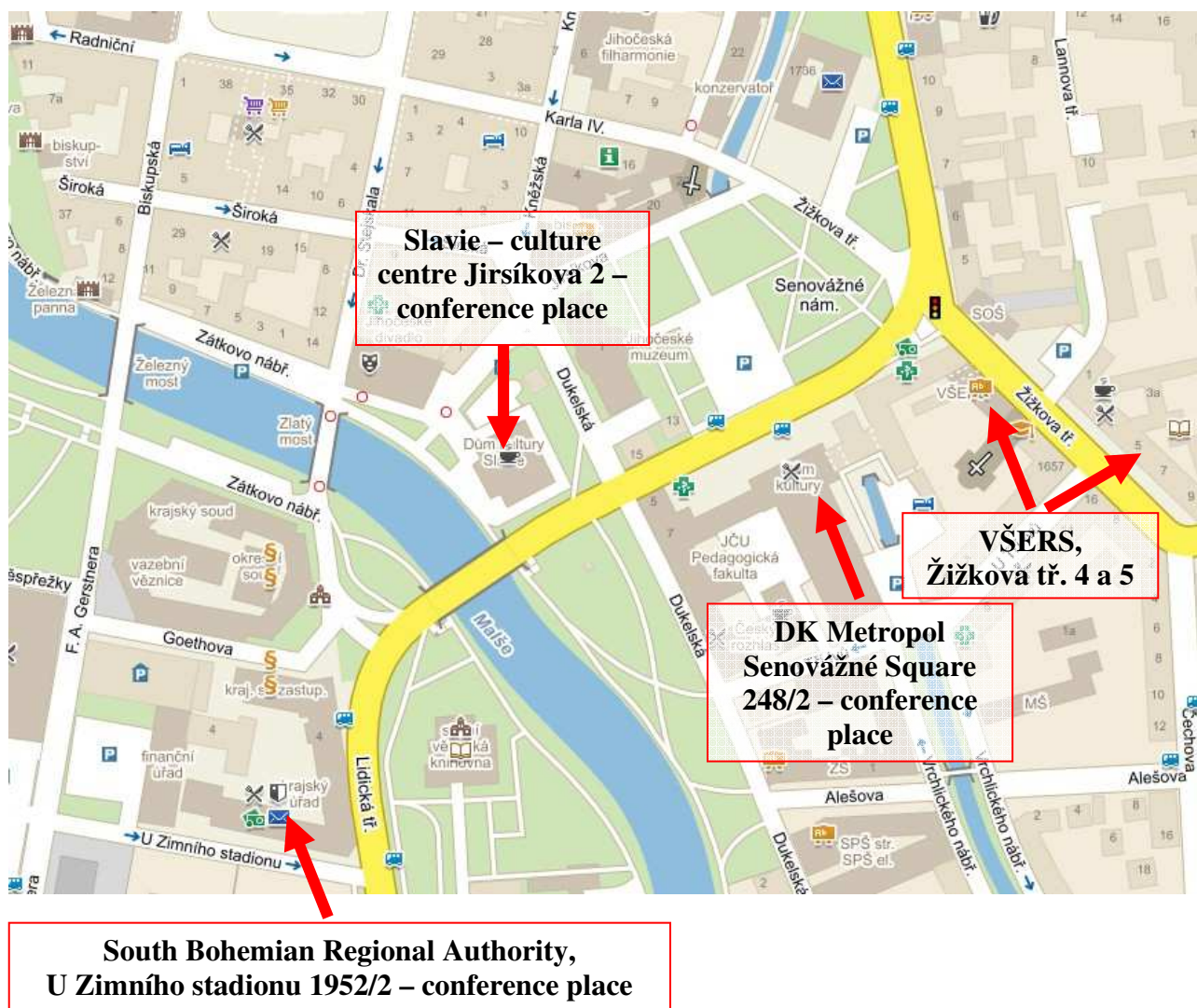
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The accommodation is paid by all the participants on their own. If interested, you can be provided with more detailed information individually on the accommodation facilities in České Budějovice. There are agreements with some hotels that provide conference participants with the accommodation for discount prices. More information is available at the Rectorate of The College of European and Regional Studies (rektorat@vsers.cz).

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