



26–28 August 2022
Ljubljana, Slovenia
29–30 August
Bled, Slovenia

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PROGRAMME

| Friday, 26 August |

15:15 – 16:00 | Meeting point for the Young BSF participants at the hotel and walk to the National Assembly of Slovenia

• B&B Hotel Ljubljana Park, Reception

16:00 – 16:45 | Introductory remarks and opening of the Young BSF

National Assembly of Slovenia

Welcome address by **Urška Klakočar Zupančič**, President of the National Assembly of Slovenia

Opening remarks by **Peter Grk**, Secretary-General of the Bled Strategic Forum

Chaired by **Jernej Grahor**, BSF project manager responsible for Young BSF

16:45 – 18:00 | Young BSF opening discussion: Challenges and opportunities within our democracies

National Assembly of Slovenia

Dolores Kores, Director office of the Republic of Slovenia for Youth

Katja Geršak, Executive director of the Centre for European Perspective

Urška Klakočar Zupančič, President of the National Assembly of Slovenia **TBC**

Moderated by **Lucija Karnelutti**, EU Youth Delegate at the United Nations **TBC**

18:00 – 18:30 | Walk to the dinner venue

18:30 – 20:00 | Dinner

Restaurant venue in Ljubljana city centre **TBC**

20:00 – 21:30 | Ljubljana city tour/scavenger hunt

Ljubljana city centre

21:30 – | Networking

Ljubljana city centre

| Saturday, 27 August 2022 |

8:00 – 8:30 | Morning coffee and registration

City hotel Ljubljana

8:30 – 9:00 | Introduction to the day and ice breaker

City hotel Ljubljana

Chaired by **Jernej Grahor**, BSF project manager responsible for Young BSF

9:00 – 10:00 | First pillar: Joint solutions for joint challenges - Panel discussion with stakeholders

City hotel Ljubljana

Lilla Judit Bartuszek, Fenntartható Városok (Sustainable cities)

Staša Mesec, Government Office for Development and Cohesion Policy and European Union Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian region (EUSAIR)

Stela Ademi, Project Manager, Cooperation and Development Institute
Representative of the Water diplomacy 4.0 lab, Global Diplomacy Lab

Moderated by **Irena Topalli**, Manager of International Relations, Tirana EYC 2022, National Youth Congress of Albania

10:00 – 11:30 | First pillar: Joint solutions for joint challenges: World café

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11:30 – 12:00 | Coffee break

City hotel Ljubljana

12:00 – 13:15 | First pillar: Joint solutions for joint challenges - Group work

City hotel Ljubljana

13:15 – 15:00 | Lunch and free time

City hotel Ljubljana

15:00 – 16:00 | Second pillar: Prosperity through diversity - Panel discussion with stakeholders

City hotel Ljubljana

Ana Pavlič, Institute for the Study of Gender Equality

Anica Mikuš Kos, Slovenian Philanthropy ^{TBC}

Leila Bičakčič, Center for Investigative Journalism

representative from marginalised group and/or representative with migrant status ^{TBC}
diversity expert and trainer

Moderated by **Jan Kulenovič**, Programme consultant and expert

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17:30 – 18:00 | Coffee break

City hotel Ljubljana

18:00 – 19:15 | Second pillar: Prosperity through diversity - Group work

City hotel Ljubljana

19:15 – 20:30 | Free time and walk to the dinner venue

20:30 – 22:00 | Dinner and networking

Restaurant venue in Ljubljana city centre ^{TBC}

| Sunday, 28 August 2022 |

8:00 – 8:30 | Morning coffee

City hotel Ljubljana

8:30 – 9:00 | Introduction to the day and ice breaker

City hotel Ljubljana

Chaired by **Jernej Grahor**, BSF project manager responsible for Young BSF

9:00 – 10:00 | Third pillar: Mirror, mirror on the wall, who is the fairest of them all - Panel discussion with stakeholders

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10:00 – 11:30 | Third pillar: Mirror, mirror on the wall, who is the fairest of them all:

World café

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City hotel Ljubljana

12:00 – 13:15 | Third pillar: Mirror, mirror on the wall, who is the fairest of them all -

Group work

City hotel Ljubljana

13:15 – 14:30 | Lunch and free time

City hotel Ljubljana

14:30 – 15:30 | Fourth pillar: Media literacy and Information society - Panel discussion with stakeholders

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Darko Brkan, ZaštoNE

Dejan Verčič, Faculty of Social Sciences of the University of Ljubljana, and Partner at Herman & partnerji, Slovenija

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18:45 – 19:00 | Walk to dinner venue

19:00 – 20:30 | Dinner, packing time and free time

Restaurant venue Hotel ^{TBC}

20:30 – 21:30 | Drive to Bled

Bus transfer

21:30 – 22:00 | Registration at the hotel

Lovec Hotel, Bled

22:00 – | Optional networking

Bled

| Monday, 29 August 2022 |

8:00 – 9:30 | Optional time for team work preparation

Lovec Hotel, Bled

9:30 – 10:00 | Morning coffee

Lovec Hotel, Bled

10:00 – 10:45 | Young BSF closing discussion part 1 - Sharing Young BSF work results

Lovec Hotel, Bled

Young BSF representative team A

Young BSF representative team B

Young BSF representative team C

Young BSF representative team D
Young BSF representative team E

Moderated by **Dafina Peci**, Executive Director, National Youth Congress of Albania

10:45 – 12:00 | Young BSF closing discussion part 2 - Fishbowl discussion

@ Lovec Hotel, Bled

Dolores Kores, Director office of the Republic of Slovenia for Youth

Igor Papič, Minister for Education, Sport and Science of Slovenia ^{TBC}

Young BSF representative

Moderated by **Dafina Peci**, Executive Director, National Youth Congress of Albania

12:00 – 12:15 | Closing of the Young BSF 2022

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12:15 – 13:15 | Networking lunch

Lovec Hotel, Bled

13:15 – 14:00 | Free time and preparation for Bled Strategic Forum opening ceremony

Lovec Hotel, Bled

14:00 - | Participation within Bled Strategic Forum Programme

Bled Festival Hall

| Tuesday, 30 August 2022 |

9:00 - | Participation within Bled Strategic Forum Programme

Rikli Balance Hotel, Bled

