

## PROGRAM

## **Opportunities for participation in the VZMD International business-investor programs** *investo.si* & *invest-to.net*

## Dear (potential) participant/member in the investo.si & invest-to.net programs

You are kindly invited to take advantage of the opportunities offered by the international business-investor programs *Invest to Slovenia* – <u>investo.si</u> and *International Investors'* Network – <u>invest-to.net</u> by participating in the projects and including your promotional materials at the following events we have prepared for 2018:

- **ZAGREB** »Slovenia Center I feel Slovenia« alongside with European Handball Championship, January 13–17, 2018;
- HONG KONG, TOKYO, SINGAPORE ALFI Asia Roadshow, January 17–22, 2018 (if enough interest);
- BARCELONA Lean Startup and Open Innovation for Corporations (EBAN), January 18, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- **GENEVA** GSCGI/SAIFA monthly conference, January 26, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- LJUBLJANA Visit of business delegation from Serbia, February 1, 2018;
- BRUSSELS 16th Annual European Financial Services Conference, February 1, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- **NEW YORK** CIFA special event at the United Nations in New York City, along with the 56th Commission for Social Development, February 5, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- **ROME** ANASF's ConsulenTia18, February 6–8, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- GOTHENBURG Connect2Capital Forum 2018 (EBAN), February 7–8, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **GRAND CAYMAN** Cayman Alternative Investment Summit 2016, February 8–9, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- VIENNA 0100 Conference Vienna 2018 (EBAN), February 15, 2018 (if enough interest);
- PARIS Robo-advisors Added Value and Risks conference, February 16, 2018 (if enough interest);
- PADUA EU WBAs: Pitch Padua (EU Women Business Angels), February 19, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **ISTANBUL** World Business Angels Investment Forum with CEO-Preneurship Summit 2018 (WBAF), February 18–20, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- STUTTGART Green Innovation and Investment Forum (EBAN), February 20–21, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **BRUSSELS** Circular Economy Stakeholder Conference: Delivering on the Circular Economy; What's Next, February 20–21, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- TALLIN EU WBAs: Pitch Tallin (EU Women Business Angels), February 21, 2018 (if enough interest);
- ATHENS EU WBAs: Pitch Athens (EU Women Business Angels), February 22, 2018 (if enough interest);
- EDINBURGH Slovenia Investment & Smart Industries Conference, March 6, 2018 (if enough interest);
- LUXEMBOURG European Asset Management Conference (ALFI), March 6–7, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- BARCELONA EU WBAs: Pitch Barcelona (EU Women Business Angels), March 8, 2018 (if enough interest);
- BRUSSELS The 9th Annual European E-Commerce Conference, March 8, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **MADRID** Farmaforum, March 8, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- **PRISTINA** Slovene business delegation to Kosovo, March 12–13, 2018;
- KORTRIJK Tour d'Europe TAVOLA 2018, March 12–13, 2018 (if enough interest);
- PARIS ANACOFI's Convention "Nos métiers autrement, March 15 2018 (if enough interest);
- **TEL AVIV** VIP Coctail Reception of the 1st International Startup Community Leaders Summit 2018, March 19, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- DUBLIN AIMA Global Policy & Regulatory Forum 2018 »Managing a Fragmanted World«, March 19–20, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **BRUSSELS** ecoDa/PwC Conference on "Long-term sustainability: Can Corporate Governance bring magic solutions?", March 20, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- BRUSSELS Better Finance Investor Education Workshop, March 23, 2018;
- UDINE Matching day Udine, March 24, 2018 (if enough interest);
- HELSINKI FiBAN Angel Day & Spring Meeting, March 27, 2018 (if enough interest);











- LUXEMBOURG ALFI Leading Edge Conference »FinTech & Data A new wave of technological innovations shaping the Investment Fund Industry«, March 28, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- **SKOPJE** Slovene business delegation to Macedonia, April 3–5, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- SINGAPORE 9th Annual Affordable Housing Projects, April 3–6, 2018 (if enough interest);
- BRUSSELS Systemic Risk Protection: Is the Picture Complete? Did We Over or Under Regulate?, April 12, 2018;
- **BERLIN** 28th Conference of the »German Association of the Insured (BdV Bund der Versicherten e. V.)«, April 12–13, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- SOFIA 22nd European Corporate Governance Conference, April 19, 2018 (if enough interest);
- HANNOVER EEN Brokerage Event during Hannover Messe 2018, April 23–27, 2018
- LJUBLJANA Slovene-Kazahstanian Business Forum, April 24, 2018;
- BARCELONA EU-Startups Summit, April 24, 2018 (if enough interest);
- GÖTEBORG EBAN Investment Seminar The Future of Co-Created eHealth, April 25, 2018 (if enough interest);
- SOFIJA The Eurofi High Level Seminar 2018, 25–27 April, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **TRIER** ERA seminar on »Corporate Governance for Banks in the Post-Crisis Environment«, April 26–27, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- LUXEMBOURG »Building the real economy« Conference (LPEA), April 25, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **ISRAEL** CEE Women in VC's Trip to Israel for Women Investors, Maj 1–3, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- LONDON ALFI London Conference & Cocktail, May 2–3, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- **NAIROBI** AFRIWOOD 2018 Africa's Woodworking and Furniture Manufacturing Exhibitiion, May 3–5, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- MILAN Business conference dedicated to the promotion of healthy food from Slovenia and Slovenian growers / producers from neighboring countries, May 10–11, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- KOSTANJEVICA NA KRKI and MARIBOR 3rd International Circular Change Conference, May 10–11, 2018;
- MARIBOR PODIM Conference 2018, May 14–16, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- MONACO 2018 CIFA International Forum, May 21–23, 2018 (if enough interest);
- LONDON London cocktail & conference (ALFI), May 23, 2018 (if enough interest);
- PARIS OECD Forum, May 29–30, 2018 (if enough interest);
- HELSINKI Arctic15, May 30–31, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **UNITED KINGDOM** Automotive delegation to the UK, organised by the British Slovenian Chamber of Commerce and Spirit Slovenia, June 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- **BRUSSELS** Conference on the topic of »The Future of Capital Markets in the European Union: towards deeper integration?«. June 6, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- LIVERPOOL International Business Festival 2018, June 12–28, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- LISBON 6th Joint ESAs Consumer Protection Day, June 22, 2018 (if enough interest);
- SOFIA EBAN Sofia Annual Congress, June 25–27, 2018 (if enough interest);
- **BOLOGNA –** 3rd ECN CrowdCamp »The European Dimension of Civic Crowdfunding«, June 28–29, 2018 (*if enough interest*);
- BRUSSELS BETTER FINANCE General Assembly and Investor Education Conference, July 2–3, 2018;
- BLED 13th Bled Strategic Forum, September 10–11, 2018;
- SOFIJA 17th Meeting of the General Assembly and the Board of Directors of the IFSPD, September 14–16, 2018;
- LUXEMBOURG ALFI Global Distribution Conference, September 25–26, 2018 (if enough interest);
- BARCELONA Manage for Impact Conference, September 27.-28, 2018 (if enough interest);
- DUBROVNIK Follow the Entrepreneur Investor Summit, Oktober 9–10, 2018 (if enough interest);
- PARIS WFI Annual Congress more information to follow;
- LUXEMBOURG ALFI Private Equity and Real Estate Conference, November 20–21, 2018 (if enough interest);











## You are kindly invited to take part in our international business-investor programs. Below is a list of the successfully completed presentations and activities in the previous years:

- ✓ **PARIS** Business events alongside with World Handball Championship, January 2017;
- ✓ KRANJSKA GORA International B2B Meetings Slovenia & Winter Games 2017, February 2017;
- ✓ BRUSSELS Better Finance General Assembly and International Conference, May 2017;
- ✓ JOHANNESBURG, PRETORIA, DURBAN The Circular Economy Mission to South Africa, May 2017;
- ✓ LJUBLJANA Slovenian-Indian Business Forum, May 2017;
- ✓ TBILISI Business delegation to Georgia, May 2017;
- ✓ CANNES Cannes Film Festival & 2017 Cannes Red Carpet Collection, May 2017;
- ✓ PARIS <u>OECD Forum</u>, June 2017;
- ✓ MALAGA <u>2017 EBAN Annual Congress</u>, June 2017;
- ✓ ISTANBUL Meeting of the Board of Directors and the General Assembly BSCSIF, June 2017;
- ✓ OTTAWA <u>Business delegation to Canada</u>, June 2017;
- ✓ TORONTO <u>Business delegation to Canada</u>, June 2017;
- ✓ WASHINGTON <u>30th IUHF World Congress 2017</u>, June 2017;
- ✓ MALAGA 2017 EBAN Annual Congress, June 2017;
- ✓ BLED 12th Bled Strategic Forum, September 2017;
- ✓ STOCKHOLM World Federation of Investors (WFI) Annual Meeting, September 2017;
- ✓ LJUBLJANA International Conference Investment Opportunities In Slovenia 2017, September 2017;
- ✓ ST. JULIAN'S <u>Better Finance International Conference</u>, October 2017;
- ✓ BRDO 12. Slovenian Economy Summit, November 2017;
- BRDO »Moving Slovenia the future of infrastructure, trasport and mobility« Business Logistics international conference, November 2017;
- ✓ WROCLAW »Slovenian Center I feel Slovenia« alongside with European Handball Championship (investo.tv: EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT), January 2016;
- ✓ GRAND CAYMAN Cayman Alternative Investment Summit 2016, February 2016;
- ✓ LONDON EBA 5th year anniversary conference, February 2016;
- PARIS meeting of the Consultative Working Group of the Corporate Finance Standing Committee at ESMA, February 2016;
- ✓ BRUSSELS Better Finance meeting, February 2016;
- ✓ KRAKOW <u>2. Europan Congress of Regions</u>, April 2016;
- ✓ STOCKHOLM General Assembly and Conference of European Federation of Investors` and Financial Services Users (Better Finance), April 2016;
- ✓ BERLIN Wissenschaftstagung 2016, April 2016;
- ✓ SANTIAGO Circular Economy Mission to Santiago de Chile, April 2016;
- ✓ WINNIPEG <u>Centrallia</u>, May 2016;
- ✓ PARIS <u>OECD Forum</u>, May 2016;
- ✓ MONACO International Forum of CIFA Convention of Independent Financial Advisors, June 2016;
- ✓ ST. JULIAN'S FESE Convention, June 2016;
- ✓ BUCHAREST General Assembly and Board of Directors Meeting of BSCSIF, June 2016
- ✓ BLED <u>Bled Strategic Forum</u>, September 2016;
- ✓ **PARIS** <u>4th Joint ESAs Consumer Protection Day</u>, September 2016;
- ✓ **BRUSSELS** <u>Better Finance International Conference</u>, September 2016;
- ✓ BUDAPEST European Congress of the European Federation of Building Societies, October 2016;
- ✓ MADRID World Federation of Investors (WFI) Annual Meeting, November 2016;
- ✓ MADRID International Financial Litigation Network Congress, November 2016;
- ✓ WIESBADEN International Investors Conference, December 2016;
- ✓ DOHA <u>Slovenian business day in Doha</u>, January 2015;
- ✓ VITEBSK Innovations. Investment. Prospects. International Forum, March 2015;
- ✓ **DUBAI** <u>Visit business delegation of Republic of Slovenia</u>, March 2015;
- ✓ BRUSSELS Better Finance Conference »A Capital Markets Union for Growth, Jobs and Citizens«, May 2015;











✓ **EINDHOVEN** – EBAN Annual Congress, May 2015;

- ✓ MADRID III Congress of the International Financial Litigation Network (IFLN), May 2015;
- ✓ MADRID <u>AEMEC Congress</u>, May 2015;
- ✓ BAKU General Assembly and Board of Directors Meeting of BSCSIF, May 2015;
- ✓ TIRANA- Access to Finance for Startups of South East Europe (Investment delegation), May 2015;
- ✓ PRISTHINA- Access to Finance for Startups of South East Europe (Investment delegation), May 2015;
- ✓ **SKOPJE** <u>Access to Finance for Startups of South East Europe</u> (Investment delegation), May 2015;
- ✓ PARIS <u>OECD Forum</u>, June 2015;
- ✓ TAIPEI <u>Mission for Growth to Taipei</u>, June 2015;
- ✓ MILANO WFI Annual Meeting & EXPO Milano 2015, October 2015;
- ✓ SAN FRANCISCO <u>ALFI US Roadshow</u>, November 2015;
- ✓ CHICAGO <u>ALFI US Roadshow</u>, November 2015;
- ✓ NEW YORK Luxembourg Private Equity Roadshow, Opening of the office of the Consulate of the Republic of Slovenia, ALFI US Roadshow, November 2015;
- ✓ WASHINGTON <u>A Taste of Slovenia: Embassy Slovenia Dinner Reception</u>, November 2015;
- ✓ **LONDON** <u>Meeting of International Financial Litigation Network</u>, November 2015;
- ✓ LJUBLJANA <u>3rd PwC Fraud Forum</u>, November 2015;
- ✓ PARIS <u>General Assembly and Conference of the European Federation of Investors and Financial Services Users</u> (Better Finance), December 2015;
- ✓ BRUSSELS The Belgium-Slovenia Business Axis: A New Economic Motor to drive Europe's Recovery, December 2015;
- ✓ **BRUSSELS** European Small and Mid-Cap Awards 2015, December 2015;
- ✓ MADRID International Investment Conference of the Spanish Association of Minority Shareholders AEMEC and the European Federation of Financial Services Users (EuroFinUse), February 2014;
- ✓ **OUAGADOUGOU** International Business Forum AFRICALLIA 2014, February 2014;
- ✓ BRUSSELS International Conference of the European Federation of Financial Services Users in the European Parliament, March 2014;
- ✓ BRATISLAVA <u>Business delegation to Slovakia</u>, March 2014;
- ✓ NEW DELHI India-Central Europe Business Forum, March 2014;
- ✓ COPENHAGEN Eurovision, Invest to Slovenia (investo.si), May 2014;
- ✓ PARIZ <u>OECD Forum</u>, May 2014;
- ✓ NEW YORK Congress of the International Financial Litigation Network (IFLN), May 2014;
- ✓ TEHRAN <u>Visit economic delegation during the visit of the President of the National Assembly</u>, May 2014;
- ✓ TEL AVIV <u>Investment Conference</u>, May 2014;
- ✓ **BELGRADE** Visit by the economic delegation of Republic of Slovenia, May 2014;
- ✓ BRATISLAVA Slovenian Wine promotion, June 2014;
- ✓ BUENOS AIRES Meeting of economists watching the football matches between Slovenia and Argentina, June 2014;
- ✓ MONTEVIDEO Meeting of economists watching the football matches between Slovenia and Uruguay, June 2014;
- ✓ REYKJAVIK International Conference of the European Federation of Financial Services Users (EuroFinuse), June 2014;
- ✓ BLED 2. Seminar Think-Tank, and Strategic Forum, September 2014;
- ✓ GRODNO International Investment Forum, September 2014;
- ✓ YAROSLAVL <u>Visit business delegation of Republic of Slovenia</u>, September 2014;
- ✓ BRUSSELS Private Pension: The Real Returns, September 2014;
- VIENNA International Investment Conference and Annual Assembly of the World Federation of Investors (WFI), September 2014;
- ✓ WARSAW Warsaw Capital Market Summit 2014, October 2014;
- ✓ RADENCI <u>SEE MEET Pomurje 2014</u>, November 2014;
- ✓ HELSINKI EBAN Congress, November 2014;
- ✓ CAPE VERDE Enterprise's Mission for Growth, November 2014;
- ✓ BRUSSELS European Small and Mid-Cap Awards 2014, November 2014;
- ✓ WIESBADEN International Investment Conference, December 2014;
- ✓ PARIS ECN Crowdfunding Convention, December 2014;
- ✓ ISTANBUL <u>European Business Angels Investment Forum 2014</u>, December 2014;











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- ✓ BAKU <u>A business delegation</u> accompanying the Slovenian Prime Minister during his visit with the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan (*investo.tv: EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT*), January 2013;
- NEW DELHI <u>A business delegation</u> accompanying the Minister of Economic Development and Technology during his visit to India (their presence was within the framework of Memorandum about Cooperation between VZMD and ICPE), January 2013;
- ✓ TOKIO <u>A business delegation</u> accompanying the President of the Republic of Slovenia during his visit with the Japanese Emperor and the Japanese Prime Minister, March 2013;
- ✓ BRUSSELS International Conference »<u>Audit Reform Impact on Investors</u>« and General Assembly of the European Federation of Financial Services Users (EuroFinuse), (*investo.tv: EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT*), March 2013;
- ✓ LJUBLJANA Financial Fair Kapital (investo.tv: <u>EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT</u>), April 2013;
- ✓ VIENNA International Investors' Conference of the European Business Angels Network 2013, May 2013;
- ✓ LJUBLJANA International Conference »Europe for Africa & Africa for World« (investo.tv: EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT), May 2013;
- ✓ ZAGREB <u>A business delegation visit</u> accompanying the President of the Republic of Slovenia during his visit with the President of the Republic of Croatia (*investo.tv:* <u>EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT</u>), May 2013;
- ✓ BUCHAREST International World Bank Conference, June 2013;
- ✓ ASTANA <u>Kazakhstan-Slovenia Business Conference</u>, June 2013;
- ALMATY <u>A business delegation</u> accompanying the Slovenian Foreign Minister during his visit to the Republic of Kazakhstan, June 2013;
- ✓ BLED <u>Bled Strategic Forum</u> (*investo.tv*: <u>EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT</u>), September 2013;
- ✓ KIEV <u>A business delegation visit</u> in Ukraine, September 2013;
- MADRID <u>International Investor Conference</u> and Annual Assembly of the World Federation of Investors (WFI), September 2013;
- ✓ MOSCOW <u>Slovene-Russian Business and Investment Forum</u>, October 2013;
- ✓ VIENNA International Investment Conference EuroFinUse: »<u>The Financial Repression of Savers and Investors</u>« (*investo.tv: EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT*), October 2013,
- ✓ CAPE TOWN KEN Global Forum 2013, October 2013;
- ✓ **TORONTO** <u>A business delegation visit to Canada</u>, November 2013;
- ✓ BUCHAREST Economic and Trade Forum: China Central and Eastern European Countries, along with the meeting between the Prime Ministers of the Central and Eastern Europe and China, November 2013;
- ✓ MOSCOW <u>Slovene-Russian Business and Investors'Conference</u>, December 2013;
- ✓ MINSK <u>Business Delegation to Belarus</u>, December 2013.

You are kindly invited to take advantage of the opportunities offered by the two international business-investor programs *investo.si* and *invest-to.net*. *Membership in the two mentioned international programs enables* **your company or institution** *and projects, for which you are seeking partners or investors, to be presented on both web portals* in the English language. You will also be able to produce and use <u>VZMD.tv</u> and <u>investo.TV</u> professional video materials, and include your informational and promotional materials at important investment fairs, meetings of representatives of national and transnational investors' and shareholders' organizations. You will have the possibility of active presentations in several countries, presentations in the magazine "<u>investo Expo</u>", promotional leaflets, folders and web portals of fellow investors' organizations, etc. (an example of a presentation of the Slovenian companies at the <u>Slovenian Day at Warsaw Stock Exchange</u> and <u>Slovenian Day in Denmark</u>, some Slovenian investment projects included in *investo.si* on the web portal of the <u>Russian Association of Shareholders and Investors</u> – one of the 70 fellow associations within the framework of invest-to.net).











The program *investo*.*si* was established by the PanSlovenian Shareholders' & Investors' Association (VZMD) in 2008, prior to the first investors' conference and the <u>investo Expo</u>« convention, and it took place at the annual session of the Euroshareholders in Ljubljana. Since then, we have arranged notable **presentations of business opportunities and Slovenian investment potentials in** Albania, Argentina, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Belarus, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, China, Cayman Islands, Croatia, Denmark, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Great Britain, Hungary, Iceland, India, Iran, Israel, Italy, Japan, Katar, Kazakhstan, Kosovo, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Malta, Monaco, the Netherlands, Poland, Qatar, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Taiwan, Turkey, Uruguay, Ukraine, the USA and the United Arab Emirates, while a strong presence in the international investment market at similar conventions, fairs, conferences and presentations is planned to also continue in the future on all five continents (you are welcome to view video reports on: http://www.VZMD.TVand www.investo.TV).

Companies and institutions included in the *investo.si* programe can, apart from the presentations on <u>investo.si</u> and <u>invest-to.net</u> portals, promotional materials, etc., also establish direct contacts with the representatives of the European Association of Shareholders (Euroshareholders), European Federation of Investors and Financial Services Users (Better Finance), World Federation of Investors (WFI) and individual national shareholders' associations and investors, as well as with partner associations: International Knowledge Economy Network (KEN), International Center for Promotion of Enterprises (ICPE), European Organization of Issuing Securities (EuropeanIssuers), European Business Angels Network (EBAN), International Foundation for Sustainable Peace and Development (IFSPD), Hadriae TAU, Association of the Luxembourg Fund Industry (ALFI), International Financial Litigation Network (IFLN), etc.

You are most welcome to take part in our activities and all those who would like to participate in our events should contact the VZMD *investo.si* coordinator Mr. Matevž Tratar by telephone +386 31 770 771 or by e-mail: <u>tratar@investo.si</u>. You can also arrange a date for a meeting and detailed presentation of the programs and planned activities.

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