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Kardeljeva ploščad 17

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Programme

08:00 Registration & coffee

9.00 Welcome speeches

Dr. Metka Tekavčič, *Dean of School of Economics and Business, University of Ljubljana*

Dr. Draško Veselinovič, *President of the Board, SBRA*

Dr. Jernej Pikalo, *Minister of Education, Science and Sport*

09:15 Structure of Horizon Europe and improving Slovenian participation

Mag. Peter Volasko, *National coordinator for Horizon 2020 and Horizon Europe, Ministry of Education, Science and Sport*

09:35 Future of the widening programme

Magda de Carli, *European Commission, DG RTD*

10.05 Mission oriented approach & future partnerships in Horizon Europe

Neville Reeve, *European Commission, DG RTD*

10.30 Coffee break

10:45 Round table on Slovenian clusters in European research partnerships:
Perspective of Slovenian Strategic Research and Innovation Platforms

Moderator: Dr. Draško Veselinovič, *President of the Board, SBRA*

- **Smart cities and communities**, Matjaž Logar, *SRIP PMiS*
 - **Networks for the transition into circular economy**, Nina Meglič, *Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Štajerska*
 - **Factories of the Future**, Rudi Panjtar, *Jožef Stefan Institute*
 - **Tourism**, Dr. Boštjan Brumen, *University of Maribor*
 - **Health & Medicine**, Dr. Alenka Rožaj, *Slovenian Innovation Hub – European Economic Interest Grouping*
 - **Materials as End Products**, Dr. Igor Belič, *Inštitut za kovinske materiale in tehnologije - IMT*
 - Neville Reeve, *European Commission, DG RTD*
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12:15 Horizon Europe for SMEs: Can European Innovation Council create unicorns in Europe? Nicolas Sabatier, *European Commission, DG RTD*

12.45 **Coffee break**

12.55 **Open science pillar**
Marie Skłodowska Curie, Dr. Radojka Verčko, *Ministry of Education, Science and Sport*

European Research Council, Dr. Andreja Umek Venturini, *Ministry of Education, Science and Sport*

13.25 **Smart Specialisation Strategy in Horizon Europe**, Aleš Gnamuš, *Joint Research Centre Sevilla*

13.40 **SSH research in Horizon Europe**, Matej Čerpnjak, *DG RTD, European Commission*

13.55 **European Institute of technology and future KICs**, Dr. Romana Jordan, *Jožef Stefan Institute*

14.10 **Q&A**

14.25 – **Light Network Lunch**
15.30