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**Venue:**

Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Maribor - Razlagova 20, 2000 Maribor, Slovenia

**Main Host/Organizer:**

Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Maribor, Slovenia



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<b>First day, October 18<sup>th</sup> 2024</b>	<b>Individual arrival of delegates</b>
<b>09:30 – 10:00</b>	<b>Registration &amp; Welcome Drink</b>
<b>10:00 – 12:00</b>	<b>Opening Ceremony &amp; Plenary Session One</b>
<p><b>WELCOME ADDRESS</b>  <b>Domagoj Cingula</b>, esd Conference  <b>Prof. dr. rer. pol. Jernej Belak</b>, Vice-dean for International Cooperation, University of Maribor</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>DIGITALISATION AS A DRIVER OF EXPECTED PERFORMANCES IN SMEs</b>  <b>Isidora Milosevic, Anđelka Stojanovic, Ivana Petkovski</b></li> <li><b>TAX POLICY AND ECONOMIC GROWTH – A REVIEW OF THE LITERATURE</b>  <b>Nelly Popova</b></li> <li><b>INDIVIDUAL FORCES MEDIATING AND MODERATING THE IMPACT OF TRAINING EFFECTIVENESS ON INNOVATIVE WORK BEHAVIOR: A REVIEW AND FUTURE RESEARCH DIRECTIONS</b>  <b>Salim O. Al-Khaldi, Adil S. Al-Busaidi, Alexandre Anatolievich Bachkirov</b></li> <li><b>THE INFLUENCE OF WOMEN ON THE ECONOMY - SELECTED ASPECTS</b>  <b>Urszula Grzega</b></li> <li><b>SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND LOGISTICS</b>  <b>Tesa Baranasic, Vesna Sesar, Anica Hunjet, Romana Korez Vide</b></li> <li><b>EVALUATING THE FEASIBILITY OF VIRTUAL REALITY INTEGRATION IN MEDIMURJE COUNTY'S TOURISM SECTOR</b>  <b>Filip Živaljic, Eva Trstenjak, Mirjana Trstenjak</b></li> <li><b>MANDATORY PENSION SCHEMES: AN ASSESSMENT WITHIN THE OVERLAPPING GENERATIONS FRAMEWORK</b>  <b>Ana Pavkovic, Mihovil Andelinovic</b></li> </ol>	
<b>12:00 – 15:00</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b> <b>Conference Lunch</b>
<b>Second day, October 12<sup>th</sup> 2024</b>	<b>Free Time for Delegates</b>