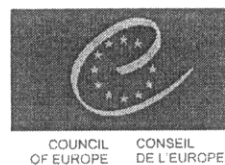


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**South East Europe Regional Conference on
Qualifications Frameworks
of the European Higher Education Area
Belgrade, 01 – 02 November 2007**

PROGRAMME

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Thursday 1 November 2007

VENUE

The conference will be held in the Assembly of the Republic of Serbia, Trg Nikole Pasica (former State Union Assembly) in Belgrade.

WORKING LANGUAGES

English, French and Serbian, with simultaneous interpretation

14 30 Registration of participants

15 00 Opening of the conference

Opening speech

Mr Zoran Lončar, PhD, Minister of Education of the Republic of Serbia

Higher education reform: Interaction of European, regional and national levels

Mr Sjur Bergan, Head of the Department of Higher Education and History Teaching, Council of Europe

Reforming higher education in Europe: the Role of Qualifications Frameworks

Mr Mogens Berg, Denmark, Chair of the Bologna Working Group on Qualifications Frameworks 2003 - 2007

16 15 Coffee break

16 30 Developing national qualifications frameworks

Prof. Branko Kovačević, PhD, Rector, Belgrade University

16 45 Tour-de-table

Each delegation will be given the opportunity to present briefly the situation and plans for the development of their respective national qualifications frameworks (max.10 min.)

18 15 End of first day

20 00 Dinner organised by the Ministry of Education

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10 00 The concept of qualifications

Mr Sjur Bergan, Head of the Department of Higher Education and History Teaching, Council of Europe

10 45 Learning outcomes in national qualifications frameworks

Professor Stephen Adam, United Kingdom, Professor of political science, University of Westminster

11 30 Coffee break

**11 45 Elaborating a national qualifications framework:
The experience of Scotland**

Mr. Gerard Madill, United Kingdom, Policy Adviser, Universities of Scotland

12 30 Lunch break

**14 00 Developing national qualifications frameworks in South
East Europe: the Road Forward**

Discussion of the main issues, led by Mr. Stephen Adam, Mr. Sjur Bergan and representatives of the Ministry of Education of the Republic of Serbia.

15 30 Conclusions

16 00 Closing of the conference