The 7th ASEM Education Ministers' Meeting (ASEMME7)

“Connecting education: inclusion, mobility and excellence in support of the Sustainable Development Goals”

15 - 16 May 2019, Bucharest, Romania

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Agenda

Wednesday, 15 May 2019 (ASEMME7 – Day 1)
Venue: Palace of the Parliament, I.C. Bratianu Hall

09:00 – 13:30
Registration of participants – Entrance lobby
Bilateral and Working Group Meetings (by appointment only) – Take Ionescu Hall/Human Rights Hall

12:30 – 13:30
Lunch – Brancovenesc Hall

13:30 – 14:00
Welcome speeches – I.C. Bratianu Hall
Mrs Vasilica-Viorica DĂNCILĂ, Prime-Minister of Romania
Mrs Ecaterina ANDRONESCU, Minister of National Education, Romania

14:00 – 14:30
Introduction speeches – I.C. Bratianu Hall
Mr Tibor NAVRACSICS, Commissioner for Education, Culture, Youth and Sport, European Commission
Assoc. Prof. Sophon NAPATHORN, Vice-Minister, Ministry of Education of Thailand
Mr Remus PRICOPIE, former Minister of National Education of Romania, Rector of the National University of Political Science and Public Administration (SNSPA) - the host of the 7th ASEF Rectors' Conference and Students' Forum (ARC7) – ARC7 Policy Recommendations

14:30 – 15:30
Family Photo - 1st floor lobby
Guided tour of the Palace of the Parliament
Coffee Break – Take Ionescu Hall

15:30 – 17:00
Plenary Session I – I.C. Bratianu Hall
Mobility for everyone: balanced and inclusive mobility in the digital era

- Asia
H.E. Mr Park Baeg Beom, Vice Minister of Education, Republic of Korea - Education policies in Korea for inclusion and innovation
H.E. Mr Ainun Na’im, Secretary General, Ministry of Research, Technology and Higher Education, Republic of Indonesia

- Europe
H.E. Mr Evarist Bartolo, Minister for Education and Employment Malta
Thursday, 16 May 2019 (ASEMME7 – Day 2)
Venue: Palace of the Parliament, I.C. Bratianu Hall

9:00 – 10:15 Parallel sessions

Working meeting for ministers/ vice-ministers/ state secretaries/ deputy state secretaries/ European Commission - Human Rights Hall

Presentation of ASEM Connectivity portal – Mr. William Becker, European Commission - Joint Research Centre

Informal political discussion on the Bucharest Ministerial Statement

10:15 – 10:45 Coffee Break – Take Ionescu Hall

10:45 – 12:30 Plenary Session II – I.C. Bratianu Hall
Towards the Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development: How can the ASEM Education Process contribute?

- Europe
  H.E. Mr Nadhim Zahawi, Minister, Department for Education, United Kingdom - Towards the Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development: How can the ASEM Education Process contribute?
  H.E Dr. philol. Ilga Suplinska, Minister of Education and Science, Latvia
Asia

H.E. Mr Natalia Bocharova, Vice-Minister of Science and Higher Education, the Russian Federation
H.E. Mr Undersecretary Revsee Escobedo, Vice Minister, Department of Education, the Philippines.

12:30 – 13:00 Adoption of the Chair’s Conclusions and presentation of the Bucharest Ministerial Statement – I.C. Bratianu Hall

13:00 – 13:15 Closing remarks – I.C. Bratianu Hall

13:15 – 14:30 Lunch – Brancovenesc Hall

14:15 – 15:00 Bilateral and Working Group Meetings (by appointment only) – Take Ionescu Hall/ Human Rights Hall

15:00 – 16:30 Cultural visit - Guided walking tour of Bucharest (optional)