

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

Opportunities for participation in VZMD International Investors' Programmes *investo.si* and *invest-to.net* in the year 2014

Dear (potential) participant/ member in the *investo.si* programme

You are invited to take advantage of the opportunities offered by the international business-investment programmes *Invest to Slovenia* - investo.si and *International Investors' Network* - invest-to.net by participating in the projects and including your promotional materials at the following events that we are preparing for the year 2014:

- **LUXEMBOURG** – International Conference of the Alternative Investment Management Association, January 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **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** – 12th European Financial Services Conference, February 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **BUCHAREST** – Business Forum France/South Eastern Europe, February 2014;
- **BRUSSELS** - 15th Forum on Europe, March 2014;
- **BRUSSELS** – International Conference of the European Federation of Financial Services Users (EuroFinUse) in the European Parliament, March 2014;
- **LJUBLJANA** – Business Conference Network of Ideas, March 2014
- **MONOŠTER** – Business delegation to Hungary, March 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **NAPLES** - Mission For Growth, March 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **NAPLES** - Forum Agenti Mediterranean, March 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **BRATISLAVA** – Business delegation to Slovakia, March 2014;
- **LONDON** – International Conference Entrepreneur Country Forum 2014, March 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **LONDON** - 2nd Investing in Turkey Forum 2014, April 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **MAKNES** – International SIAM Fair in Morocco, April 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **BUENOS AIRES, SAO PAULO** – A business delegation visit, April 2014;
- **DUBLIN** – International Conference of the European Business Angels Network EBAN 2013, May 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **LONDON** – Conference of the Association of the Luxembourg Fund Industry (ALFI), May 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **EDINBURGH** – ALFI Roadshow, Maj 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **NEW YORK** – Congress of the International Financial Litigation Network (IFLN), May 2014;
- **SAMARKAND, TAŠKENT** – a visit of business delegation to Uzbekistan, May 2014;
- **JOKOHAMA** - Automotive Engineering Exposition, Maj 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **TEL AVIV** - Investment Conference, May 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **REYKJAVIK** – International Conference of the European Federation of Financial Services Users (EuroFinuse), June 2014;
- **BUENOS AIRES, MONTEVIDEO** – Meeting of economists watching the football matches between Slovenia vs. Argentina and Uruguay, June 2014 (*provided there is enough interest*);
- **VIENNA** – International Investment Conference and Annual Assembly of the World Federation of Investors (WFI), September 2014;
- **WIESBADEN** – International Investment Conference, December 2014;

You are kindly invited to take part in our international business-investment programmes in the year 2014. Below is a list of the successfully completed presentations and activities in the year 2013:

- ✓ **BAKU** – [A business delegation](#) 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** – [A business delegation](#) accompanying the Minister of Economic Development and Technology during his visit to India (their presence was in the framework of Memorandum about Cooperation between VZMD and ICPE), January 2013;
- ✓ **TOKIO** – [A business delegation](#) 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 »[Audit Reform - Impact on Investors](#)« 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: EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT*), 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 – [A business delegation visit](#) accompanying the President of the Republic of Slovenia during his visit with the President of the Republic of Croatia (*investo.tv*: [EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT](#)), May 2013;
- ✓ BUCHAREST – [International World Bank Conference](#), June 2013;
- ✓ ASTANA, ALMATY – [A business delegation](#) accompanying the Slovenian Foreign Minister during his visit to the Republic of Kazakhstan, June 2013;
- ✓ BLEJ – [Bled Strategic Forum](#) (*investo.tv*: [EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT](#)), September 2013;
- ✓ KIEV – [A business delegation visit](#) in Ukraine, September 2013;
- ✓ MADRID – [International Investor Conference](#) and Annual Assembly of the World Federation of Investors (WFI), September 2013;
- ✓ MOSCOW – [Slovene-Russian Business and Investment Forum](#), October 2013;
- ✓ VIENNA – International Investment Conference EuroFinUse: »[The Financial Repression of Savers and Investors](#)« (*investo.tv*: [EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT](#)), October 2013,
- ✓ CAPE TOWN - [KEN Global Forum 2013](#), October 2013;
- ✓ TORONTO – [A business delegation visit to Canada](#), 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 – [Slovene-Russian Business and Investors' Conference](#), December 2013;
- ✓ MINSK – [Business Delegation to Belarus](#), December 2013.

You are kindly invited to take the advantage of the opportunities offered by the two international business-investment programmes *investo.si* and *invest-to.net* in 2014 as well. Membership in the two mentioned international programmes enables your company or institution and projects, for which you are seeking partners or investors, to be presented on both web portals in English language. You will also be able to produce and use [vzmd.tv](#) and [investo.tv](#) professional video materials, and include of 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 "[investo Expo](#)", promotional leaflets, folders and web portals of sister investors' organizations, etc. (an example of a presentation of the Slovenian companies at the [Slovenian Day at Warsaw Stock Exchange](#) and some Slovene investment projects included in *investo.si* on the web portal of the [Russian Association of Shareholders and Investors](#) – one of the 57 sister associations in the framework of *invest-to.net*).

The programme *investo.si* was established in 2008 by the PanSlovenian Shareholders' Association (VZMD), prior to [the first investors' conference](#) and the »[investo Expo](#)« [convention](#), and it took place at the annual session of Euroshareholders in Ljubljana. Since then, we have arranged notable **presentations of business opportunities and Slovene investment potentials in [Austria](#), [Azerbaijan](#), [Belgium](#), [Belarus](#), [Bulgaria](#), [Brazil](#), [France](#), [Holland](#), [Croatia](#), [Italy](#), [Japan](#), [the Republic of South Africa](#), [Canada](#), [Kazakhstan](#), [Lebanon](#), [Luxemburg](#), [Germany](#), [Poland](#), [Romania](#), [Russia](#), [Slovenia](#), [Spain](#), [Turkey](#), [Ukraine](#), [Great Britain](#), [the USA](#) and [the United Arab Emirates](#)**, while strong presence in the international investment market at similar conventions, fairs, conferences and presentations is planned to also continue in the future (you are welcome to view video reports on: [www.vzmd.tv](#) and [www.investo.tv](#)).

Slovenian companies and institutions included in the *investo.si* programme can, apart from the presentations on [investo.si](#) and [invest-to.net](#) portals, promotional materials, etc., also establish **direct contacts with the representatives of the European Association of Shareholders (Euroshareholders)**, European Federation of Financial Services Users (**EuroFinUse**), World Federation of Investors (**WFI**), and individual national shareholders' associations and investors, and also with partner associations: International Knowledge Economy Network (**KEN**), International Centre for Promotion of Enterprises (**ICPE**), European Organisation of Issuing Securities (**EuropeanIssuers**), European Business Angels Network (**EBAN**), 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 770771 or by e-mail: tratar@investo.si. You can also arrange with Mr Tratar a date for a meeting and detailed presentation of the programmes and planned activities.

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Other Notable International Activities:

[VIENNA – international conference »The Financial Repression of Savers and Investors«, also with Triglav Insurance Company representative, and Mr Verbič's discussion about the radical encroachment upon the rights of Slovene and European shareholders – the active role of the VZMD international business-investment programmes](#) (Vienna, October 2013)



[EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT from an international conference »Europe for Africa & Africa for World« – an active role of VZMD and its international investors' programs investo.si and invest-to.net](#) (Ljubljana, May 2013)



[VIENNA – EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT from the European meeting of venture and start-up capital funds and the congress of business angels' network EBAN 2013 – an active role of VZMD and its international investors' programs investo.si and invest-to.net](#) (Ljubljana, May 2013)



[VIDEO REPORT – Variegated happening at the 19th financial fair KAPITAL 2013 at Cankar Hall, along two-day presentation of the international investors’ programs and the lecture of VZMD President \(Ljubljana, April 2013\)](#)



[VIDEO REPORT – exclusively from the European Parliament: the EuroFinUse international conference and the Election Assembly, the announcement of the new President and Board of directors of this influential European association, into which a representative of Slovenia is also re-elected \(Brussels, March 2013\)](#)



[EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT from Slovenian - Azerbaijani Business Forum in Baku \(Baku, January 2013\)](#)



[EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT from European Issuers International Conference on »The future of European Equity Markets« at the Milan Stock Exchange – programs investo.si in invest-to.net also at the upcoming International Investors’ Conference in Wiesbaden \(Milano, November 2012\)](#)



[EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT of "International Conference on Benefits and Challenges of Public Private Partnerships for improving Energy Efficiency" – key statements of prominent participants](#) (Ljubljana, October 2012)



[EXCLUSIVE VIDEO REPORT - Investors' week and the view of business potentials and investment opportunities during the visit of distinguished international guests at the Slovenian coast](#) (Postojna, Koper, Piran, September 2012)



[VIDEO REPORT "Ljubljana declaration" – historic decision on unification of 50 organizations of shareholders and investors under one association and VZMD award »Polet« for »Model corporate governance in multinational corporation« to Gorenje company](#) (Ljubljana, September 21 2012)



[Gala reception and dinner before International Conference on financial education and investors' exposition »investo Expo«](#) (Ljubljana, September 19 2012)



[VIDEO REPORT - Prominent Participants of Two Key International Conferences in Bled, India and Slovenia as Business Partners and CloudForum, Show Interest in the Investors' Week in September in Slovenia \(Bled, March 2012\)](#)



[VIDEO REPORT - International Conference at the Brussels Stock Exchange Stimulated Investors' Representatives and Institutions to Participate at the Investors' Week 2012 in September in Slovenia \(Brussels, March 2012\)](#)



["Slovenian Day at the Warsaw Stock Exchange \(WSE\)" Exceptional Interest of Funds, Investors, and the Financial Media for Slovenian Companies and Its Investment Environment - The Introduction of investo.si - Invest to Slovenia's Newly Founded Affiliate, investo.me - Invest to Montenegro \(Warsaw, October 2011\)](#)



[SLOVENIA PRAISED IN PARIS – acclaimed presentation of reputable Slovenian companies at the largest European investment convention, Actionaria, and the General Assembly of the World Federation of Investors Corporation \(WFIC\) – VZMD.TV EXCLUSIVE BROADCAST \(Paris, December 2010\)](#)



www.vzmd.si – More on the VZMD – PanSlovenian Shareholders' Association

www.vzmd.tv and www.investo.tv – Over 300 videos from VZMD.TV and investo.tv

www.investo.si – More on the *investo.si* – Invest to Slovenia Program

www.invest-to.net – More on the network of 55 national organizations of shareholders and investors – *invest-to.net*

