

RSA Central and Eastern Europe (CEE) Conference 2024 Dynamically Changing Regions in an Ever-Changing World

11th – 13th September 2024

University of Dubrovnik, Department of Economics and Business,
Lapadska obala 7, Dubrovnik, 20000, Croatia

Preliminary Programme

Wednesday, 11 September 2024

13:00–15:00 Tours of Dubrovnik (optional) – TBC (Separate registration required)

15:00-17:00 Registration

16:00-17:30 EEGA Side Event - Opening Plenary

18:00-20:00 Welcome Reception – TBC (Separate registration required)

Thursday, 12th September 2024

08:00-17:00 Registration

09:00–09:15 **Welcome to the conference**

Speakers: TBC

09:15–10:45 **Opening Plenary – Future Challenges for Cohesion Policy**

Speakers: Anna Wagner, DG Regio, Head of Unit, Policy Development and
Economic Analysis

Ida Musiałkowska, Poznań University of Economics and Business,
Poland

Representative of the Ministry of Regional Development and EU Funds

Chair: Marijana Sumpor, Director of Euro Ekspertiza, Member of the City of Zagreb
Assembly, Croatia

10:45–11:15 Coffee Break

11:15–12:45 Parallel Paper Session 1

12:45–14:00 Lunch Break

14:00-15:30 Parallel Paper Session 2

15:30-16:00 Coffee Break

16:00-17:30 Parallel Paper Session 3

19:30-22:30 Conference Dinner – TBC (Separate registration required)

Friday, 13th September 2024

08:30-13:00 Registration

09:00-10:30 Parallel Paper Session 4

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break
11:00-12:30 Parallel Paper Session 5
12:30-13:15 Lunch
13:15-14:45 Closing Plenary – Smart Specialisation in Central and Eastern Europe
Speakers: Maria Giovanna Brandanno, Gran Sasso Science Institute, Italy
Tamás Sebestyén, University of Pécs, Hungary
Ron Boschma, Utrecht University, The Netherlands
Chair: Jozsef Benedek, Universitatea Babeş-Bolyai, Romania
14:45-15:00 Conference Close
Speakers: TBC
15:00-17:00 Technical Tours – TBC (Separate registration required)

Saturday, 14th September 2024

08:30-15:00 Post-conference tours (more information available soon)