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Invitation to the UNESCO BSP Coordinators+ Conference Tartu, Estonia, 17-19 November, 2022

Dear UNESCO BSP National Coordinators, dear members of BSP Youth,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to the next physical BSP Coordinators+ Conference.

Date:

Thursday, 17 November, 2022, 16:00 h until Saturday, 19 November, 2022, 12:00 h

Place:

Hotel Tartu Soola 3, 51004 Tartu, Estonia +372 731 4300 <u>https://tartuhotell.ee</u> and Tartu Nature House / Tartu loodusmaja Lille 10, 51010 Tartu, Estonia <u>https://www.tartuloodusmaja.ee/en/</u>

The walking distance between Hotel Tartu and Tartu Nature House is 800 m or 10 minutes.

Programme:

The conference programme is attached.

Important: Suggestions and comments regarding the programme prior to the conference are welcome! Please write to Martin Jarrath <u>martin.jarrath@b-s-p.org</u>.

Who is invited?

BSP National Coordinators and a national delegation of teachers and students including BSP Youth, a total number of <u>three persons</u> from each BSP country.

BSP Teachers, Youth and all others: Please contact your BSP National Coordinator soon if you are interested in participating in the Tartu Conference.

Accommodation and Board

You will be accommodated in single rooms in Hotel Tartu. However, we would like to encourage you to name a person you would share your room with. Accommodation and Board throughout the conference are free of charge.

Financing

We kindly thank the German Commission for UNESCO for the financial support of this conference of the Baltic Sea Project and the German ASPnet Coordination for great cooperation on this important matter.

Travelling to Tartu

We kindly ask you to participate in the Tartu conference throughout the whole period from Thursday, 16:00 h local time until Saturday, 12:00 h. If the plane is the only reasonable option for you because of the distance you can take a flight to Tallinn or Riga and then travel to Tartu by bus or train. There are plenty of options for travelling from Tallinn to Tartu, and only a few from Riga to Tartu.

If you need any assistance with planning, please contact the Estonian BSP National Coordinator Maria Ivanova <u>maria.ivanova@tartuloodusmaja.ee</u>.

Travel expenses

We wish to refund your travel expenses until the end of November 2022.

Please be aware that for all countries travel expenses will be covered up to a maximum amount. This amount is $150 \in$ for the neighbouring area (Latvia, Lithuania, southern Finland) and $250 \in$ for all others. In case of booking a flight, please do a research on the prices and make a screenshot with at least three different options before deciding for the booking. Taxi bills cannot be refunded.

Questions and suggestions

For any questions and suggestions regarding logistics, travel and travel expenses please contact Martin Jarrath <u>martin.jarrath@b-s-p.org</u>.

Signing up

Please sign up using the following form: <u>https://borderregions.org/ bsp/Signup-Tartu.docx</u>.

@BSP National Coordinators: Please send the filled-in forms of your delegation to <u>martin.jarrath@b-s-p.org</u> until 10 November, 2022.

@BSP Youth and all others: Please send your filled-in form to your BSP National Coordinator as soon as possible.

We look forward to seeing and working with you in Tartu in November!

Best wishes to all of you!

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