

“New Idea, New Opportunity, New Development”

—— *To Celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the Establishment of Diplomatic Relations*

Between China and Croatia

1. *Time: September 14th (Thursday)*

9:00-13:30

Location: Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts (First Floor, National Hall,

Opatička ul.18, 10000, Zagreb

2. *Co-organized by: The Chinese Embassy and Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts*

Sponsored by: Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs of Croatia

3. *Themes:*

● *New Idea---Leaders' Governance of China and Croatia*

● *New Opportunity & New Development---The Belt and Road Initiative*

& China-Croatia Relations

4. *Language: English*

5. *Preliminary Program*

Morning

8:30-9:00 Registration

9:00-9:15 Opening Ceremony

● *Welcome speech by Mr. Zvonko Kusić, President of Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts (7 minutes)*

● *Welcome speech Mr. Xu Yongquan, Deputy Dean of China Center for Contemporary World Studies (7 minutes)*

9:15-10:00 *Keynote speech*

● *Speech by H.E. Mr. Hu Zhaoming, Chinese Ambassador to Croatia (15 minutes)*

● *Speech by H.E. Mr. Vice Skračić, Assistant Minister of Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs (15 minutes)*

● *Speech by H.E. Mr. Stjepan Mesić, Former President of Croatia (15 minutes)*

10:00-10:45 *Theme1: New Idea---Leaders' Governance of China and Croatia*

● *Speech by Mr. Xu Yongquan, Deputy Dean of China Center for Contemporary World Studies (Xi Jinping: The Governance of China, 10 minutes)*

● *Speech by Mr. Fu Dagang, Senior Researcher of China Center for Contemporary World Studies (China's Five Major Development Concepts---Innovation, Co-ordination, Green, Openness and Sharing, 10 minutes)*

- *Speech by Professor. Tihomir Domazet, President of Croatian Institute of Finance and Accounting*
(10 minutes)

Comment

- *Mr. Yu Jin, Dean of China Region Development and Reform Institute*
(China's Strategy of Comprehensively Deepening Reform, 7 minutes)

- *Mr. Zheng Dongchao, Assistant Researcher of China Center for Contemporary World Studies*
(The Idea of Major-country Diplomacy with Chinese Characteristics, 7 minutes)

10:45-11:00 *Coffee Break (Ground Floor)*

11:00-12:30 *Theme 2: New Opportunity & New Development ----The Belt and Road Initiative & China-Croatia Relations*

- *Speech by H.E. Mr. Mato Arlovic, Judge of Constitutional Court of Croatia*
("The potential contribution of the New Silk Road to the strengthening of human rights and freedoms, peace, security and stability in the world", 10 minutes)

- *Speech by Mr. Li Yongqiang, Researcher of China Region Development and Reform Institute*
(The Belt and Road Initiative & China-Croatia Relations, 10 minutes)

- *Speech by Professor Jasna Plevnik, Vice President of GEOECONOMIC*

FORUM

(What the Belt and Road Initiative offers Croatia and its rises,

10 minutes)

- *Speech by Professor Ivo Šlaus, Fellow of Croatian Academy of*

Sciences and Arts

(EU and Croatia in the Belt and Road Initiative , 10 minutes)

- *Speech by Mr. Ante Simonić , Former Croatian Ambassador to China*

(Transport Corridor: China-North Adriatic-Danube, A new Strategic

Chance, 10minutes)

Comment

- *Mr. Kristijan Kotarski, Professor of Faculty of Political Science of*

Zagreb University

(Croatia and China: the challenges to intensifying economic cooperation,

7 minutes)

- *Ms. Jelena Dumičić, Senior associate of Sector for International*

Affairs and EU of Croatian Chamber of Commerce (7minutes)

- *Mr. Meng Weiliang, Dean of Confucius Institute of Zagreb University*

(Belt and Road : The current development and opportunity of the

Confucius Institute at the University of Zagreb, 7minutes)

● *Mr. Andrija Karafilipović, Chairman of the Croatia-China Friendship*

Association

(7minutes)

12:30-13:30 Reception (Ground Floor)