

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

# First CE-Ageing International Conference and Peer Review 20<sup>th</sup> March – 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2012 Hotel Chopin, Bratislava, Slovak Republic

## **LANGUAGE**

Conference will be held in English. Interpretation will be provided into Slovak. Interpretation in english World Café group won't be available.

# **ACCOMMODATION / HOTEL INFORMATION**

An accomodation won't be provided through the project budget. Information on the hotel at <a href="http://www.chopinhotel.sk/en/home/">http://www.chopinhotel.sk/en/home/</a>

## **Address:**

Chopin Hotel Bratislava Galvaniho 28 821 04 Bratislava

Phone: +421 2 322 99 100

## Price of accommodation:

single room - 74 EUR/night double/twin room - 89 EUR/night

Price includes: accomodation, breakfast, all taxes, free parking

More information about the venue, map and directions: www.bratislavahotels.com/chopin

# Registration of the accommodation and transfer from the airport is binding!

## **FOOD**

dinner on  $20^{th}$  March 2012 dinner on  $21^{st}$  March 2012 will be provided through the project budget lunch on  $22^{nd}$  March 2012

Lunch on 21<sup>st</sup> March 2012 will be ordered in the hotel for those participants, who choose it in the registration list and won`t be provided through the project budget.

#### **TRAVEL**

Travel arrangements to Bratislava have to be arranged by participants and the costs of travel have to be covered by participants.

# By Plane

Letisko M. R. Štefánika – Airport Bratislava <a href="http://www.airportbratislava.sk/en/passengers/">http://www.airportbratislava.sk/en/passengers/</a> Vienna International Airport <a href="http://www.viennaairport.com">www.viennaairport.com</a>

## By Train or by Bus

There are direct international train and bus connections between Bratislava and quite a lot European capital cities. For more information and timetables visit <a href="http://cp.atlas.sk/vlakbus/spojenie/">http://cp.atlas.sk/vlakbus/spojenie/</a>

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# Hotel offers transport from the airport.

Transfer from Schwechat airport (Vienna) - hotel Chopin: 60 EUR/one way Transfer from Bratislava airport: taxi recomended (cca. 5-7 EUR/one way) Registration and more information about transfers: <a href="http://www.bratislavahotels.com/bratislava">http://www.bratislavahotels.com/bratislava</a> travel services request.php,

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## **Public transport directions to the hotel**

From Bratislava Airport:

Take bus no. 61 (direction hlavna stanica) and get off at the Avion Shopping Park stop (4 stops, 5 min).

## From Main Railway Station:

Take bus no. 61 (direction letisko/ airport) and get off at the Avion Shopping Park stop (13 stops, 17 min).

#### From Bus Station:

Take trolleybus no. 208 (direction Cintorin Ruzinov) and get off at the Prievozska stop (4 stops, 5 min). Change to bus no. 96 (direction Airport) and get off at Avion Shopping Park stop (10 stops, 17 min).

## Public transport available in proximity of Chopin Hotel Bratislava:

Buses: 61, 67 (Stará Ivánska stop).

## General about World Café

World Café is the discussion method mainly used for large conferences. Its aim is to engage participants in direct meaningful discussions. Strong side of this approach is linking and discussion of the people who would probably not have met otherwise. World Café offers the opportunity for shared visions, sharing experience and looking for advice on the challenges and problems in implementing change.

The World Café approach is reminds the café environment. People sit around the tables, usually by 5-7. Participants undergo the series of discussion 3-4 rounds, each round lasting 20 to 30 minutes. Discussion focuses on one or more specific questions that are personally meaningful to participants. During each discussion round, one of the participants remains at the table as a "host" and the main ideas documenter and the other discutants to move to another table discussion for each round. Diversity of experience and various institutional and ideological perspectives of discussants give an opportunity analyze the problems from new angle to discover the more complex and new solutions to emerging problems.

The participations will be divided to three groups. The first group will discuss in english, the second will be slovak group for people who don't speak english and for the people in the third group will be provided the alternate program.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The official website of the project is <a href="www.ce-ageing.eu">www.ce-ageing.eu</a>
You can find more information on Central Office of Labour, Social Affairs and Family at <a href="www.upsvar.sk">www.upsvar.sk</a>

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You can find more information on Slovak Republic at www.slovensko.com You can find more information on Bratislava at www.bratislava.sk

Currency: EUR

Power voltage: 230 Volt.

Looking forward to seeing you in Bratislava.

Best regards,

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