

**Invitation of the
Institute for the Danube Region and Central Europe (IDM)**



**Conference
in the framework of the ASO-Project
Higher Education, Human Capital and
Development Processes in Kosovo**

Date: Friday, January 22nd, 2010

Venue: National and University Library of Kosova
Sheshi "Hasan Prishtina" p.n., 10000 Prishtinë

Registration:

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Programme

9.00 Opening

Mujë RUGOVA, Rector of University of Prishtina
Friedhelm FRISCHENSCHLAGER, Board Member of the IDM
Naser MRASORI, Vice Rector for International Cooperation, Univ. of Prishtina

9.15 Keynote Speech

Enver HOXHAI, Minister of Education, Science and Technology

9.45 Coffee Break

10.00 Presentation of the Project and Publication:

“Impact of Higher Education and Human Capital on the Economic and Political
Development in Kosovo”
Friedhelm FRISCHENSCHLAGER, Board Member of the IDM and
Wolfgang BENEDEK, Editor of the ASO-Publication; Founding Member and
Chairman of WUS Austria; Professor at the University of Graz

**10.30 Session 1: Relationship of Higher Education/Human Capital and
Reform Processes in Kosovo**

Moderation: Artan BEHRAMI, Journalist of Express
Jana BAĆEVIĆ, Centre for Education Policy/CEP, Belgrade
Bekim BALIQI, Department of Political Science, University of Prishtina
Avdullah HOTI, Faculty of Economy, University of Prishtina
Ivan DAMJANOVSKI, Institute for Democracy “Societas Civilis”, Skopje

12.30 Lunch

**14.30 Session 2: Higher Education and Human Capital in Kosovo:
Challenges, Potentials, Recommendations**

Moderation: Avdulla ALIJA, Ministry of Education, Science and Technology
Johann GÜNTHER, Agency for European Integration, Prishtina
But DEDAJ, World University Service Austria/WUS, Prishtina Office
Jusuf THAÇI, Author of the BIRN Report “Situation and Problems at the
University of Prishtina” (t.b.c.)
Muhamet MUSTAFA, Institute for Development Research/Rinvest, University of
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