

**EU AND CENTRAL ASIA
MINISTERS FOR EDUCATION
MEETING
25-26 June 2015, Riga**

AGENDA (draft)

SOM 1 meeting, 26-27 May 2015, Brussels

LATVIA

- Situated in the North of Europe – on the shores of the Baltic Sea
- Capital City: Riga
- Total area: 65 000 km²
- Population: 2 041 763
- Member of the European Union since 2004
- Currency: Member of the Eurozone since 2014 (€)



Venue of the meeting

- VENUE: Latvian National Library – the Castle of Light, Mūkusalas Street 3, Riga; prayer room available
- Simultaneous interpretation: EN/RUS
- Size of delegation: 1 Head of delegation + 1 Senior Official + 1 delegate
- Hotel for delegations: Radisson Blu Daugava Hotel Riga, Kuģu Street 24



Agenda of SOM 2

25 June (Thursday)

Arrival and registration – pick-up service from airport; badges and meeting packs delivered

13:00 Lunch buffet at meeting venue

Afternoon session (14:00 – 18:00)

- Discussion of the communique and the road map
- Proceedings of the EU and Central Asia Ministers for Education meeting
- EU and Central Asia cooperation in education

Buffet dinner for the members of delegations (19:00)

Agenda of the EU and Central Asia Ministers for Education meeting

25 June (Thursday)

19:00 Dinner of ministers hosted by the Minister of Education and Science of the Republic of Latvia Ms.Māriņa Seile

26 June (Friday)

09:00 – 09:30 Opening Session

09:30 – 11:00 1st session «Higher Education»

11:20 – 12:40 2nd session «Vocational Education and Training»

12:40 – 13:00 3rd session «Adoption of the communique and the road map»

15:00 – 18:00 On site visits to the higher education institutions and vocational education and training competence centres of Latvia

19:00 Dinner for ministers and delegations

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Registration for the meeting

- On-line registration system – link, username and password; personal data needed; photo to be uploaded
- Assistance for registration ira.racina@izm.gov.lv mobile phone +371 29414155; phone +371 67047811



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Thank you for your attention!

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