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Global Policy Series:
Belgrade, Serbia

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ABOUT

Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program

The Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program, a Fulbright exchange, enhances leadership among international professionals who collaborate to address local and global challenges and foster change for the collective good. Through academic study and professional development with U.S. counterparts, this growing global network shares best practices and builds expertise in fields of critical importance to advance societal and institutional capacity, promote human rights and freedoms, ensure sustainable environments, and develop thriving communities.

Humphrey Alumni Global Policy Series

In anticipation of the Humphrey Fellowship Program's 45th Anniversary in 2023-2024, the Humphrey Fellowship is launching the Humphrey Alumni Global Policy Series. This policy series will convene Humphrey alumni across world regions to address crucial global concerns and challenges at the national, regional, and local levels.

The first Global Policy Series will take place in Belgrade, Serbia, from September 16-17, 2022, and will focus on public health, education, economic development, and other critical issues. This event will include roundtable dialogues, engagement with key stakeholders, and collaborative networking.

Venue: [Hotel Golden Tulip Zira, Ruzveltova 35, Belgrade, Serbia](#)

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2022

6:00 PM- 8:00 PM **Welcome Cocktail & Buffet Dinner**
Remarks:
H.E. Ambassador of the United States, Christopher Hill
Anthony Koliha, Director, Office of Global Educations
Programs, U.S. Department of State
Humphrey Alumni: Elira Canga and Pavle Zelic
Venue: Hotel restaurant and terrace, 2nd floor

11:30 AM-1:00 PM **Misinformation and Disinformation Panel Discussion**
Venue: Mikonos Hall, 2nd floor

1:00- 2:00 PM **Buffet Lunch** at Hotel Restaurant, 2nd floor

2:00-3:30 PM **Education and Economic Development Panel Discussion**
Venue: Mikonos Hall, 2nd floor

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2022

7:30-9:00 AM **Breakfast** (for participants staying at the hotel)
Venue: Hotel restaurant, 2nd floor

9:00-9:30 AM **Opening Remarks**
Anthony Koliha, Director, Office of Global Educations
Programs, U.S. Department of State

Keynote Remarks
Philip Beekman, Public Affairs Officer,
U.S. Embassy Belgrade

Agenda Overview
Elira Canga and Pavle Zelic
Venue: Mikonos Hall, 2nd floor

9:30-11:00 AM **Public and Environmental Health Panel Discussion**
Venue: Mikonos Hall, 2nd floor

11:00-11:30 AM **Coffee Break**

3:30-5:00 PM **Takeaways, Conclusions and Action Plan**
Venue: Mikonos Hall, 2nd floor

5:00-5:30 PM **Closing Remarks**
Holly Zardus, Cultural Affairs Officer,
U.S. Embassy Belgrade
Venue: Mikonos Hall, 2nd floor

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

Participants leave Belgrade.



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September 16-18, 2022

WELCOME REMARKS & BUFFET DINNER

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HOTEL RESTAURANT AND TERRACE, 2ND FLOOR



Christopher R. Hill,
United States Ambassador to Serbia



Elira Çanga
Communications and Media Expert



Anthony Koliha
Director, Office of Global Educational
Programs, Bureau of Educational and
Cultural Affairs, U.S. Department of State



Pavle Zelic
Manager for International Cooperation,
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HOTEL RESTAURANT, 2ND FLOOR

OPENING REMARKS



Anthony Koliha

Director, Office of Global
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Educational and Cultural Affairs,
U.S. Department of State

AGENDA OVERVIEW



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KEYNOTE REMARKS



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MIKONOS HALL, 2ND FLOOR

PUBLIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PANEL DISCUSSION

Moderator

Pavle Zelic

Manager for International Cooperation, European Integrations and Public Relations, Medicines and Medical Devices Agency of Serbia

Panelists

Arian Boci, Head of Sector, Research Development and Telehealth, National Bioengineering and Telehealth Center

Boban Bragorski, Policy Manager, American Chamber of Commerce in North Macedonia

Tanja Popovicki, CEO and Founder, Enviro Consulting

Marina Ridjic, Assistant Representative at UNFPA



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Moderator

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Communications and Media Expert

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2022

2:00-3:30 PM

MIKONOS HALL, 2ND FLOOR

EDUCATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PANEL DISCUSSION

Moderator

Marijan Mistic, Teacher, Gimnazija "Svetozar Markovic"

Panelists

Nevila Xhindi, Head of the Department for Public Administration, Mediterranean University of Albania

Mario Milakovic, Co-Founder, Coordinator & Board Member of Super Bake

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Tatjana Trebec, Head of Academic Services, University of Primorska



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TAKEAWAYS, CONCLUSIONS AND ACTION PLAN

Moderator

Elira Çanga

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Pavle Zelic

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CLOSING REMARKS

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Cultural Affairs Officer, U.S. Embassy Belgrade