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WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business), Austria

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JOINT INTERNATIONAL WEEK 2018

**Challenges and opportunities of cross-border cooperation in higher
education**

16 - 20 April 2018



Bratislava – Capital of Slovakia



Vienna – Capital of Austria

It is our pleasure to invite you to the **Joint International Week 2018** at **The University of Economics in Bratislava, Slovak Republic**, and at **WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business), Austria**, which will take place from **16 to 20 April 2018**. This event aims to bring together staff from both universities and partner institutions in order to strengthen international networks and exchange ideas.

We look forward to meeting you in Bratislava and Vienna!

Additional Information

Hosting Higher Education Institutions	University of Economics in Bratislava (UEBA) / SK BRATISL03
	WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business) / A WIEN05
Institutional websites	UEBA: www.euba.sk
	WU: www.wu.ac.at/en/
Countries	Slovak Republic, Austria

Dates	16 - 20 April 2018
Maximum number of participants	20
Language	English (a good communication level is required – at least B2)
Deadline for applying	30 November 2017 (Acceptance decision by 15 December 2017)
Accommodation	Not provided in Bratislava or Vienna (in case of interest, we can provide assistance)
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We have prepared a rich program for our guests, including:


◆ **A teaching staff exchange:** (*Available in Bratislava only*) Participants will be offered the opportunity to teach and meet coordinators and contact persons from faculties and administrative units to participate in general activities (consultations with doctoral students) and gain an insight into current research projects.

◆ **A training staff exchange:** Participants will take part in one soft-skills workshop and a workshop on internationalization at UEBA. At WU there will be a workshop on promoting study abroad opportunities to students as well as a talk on the social dimension in the Bologna process. Additionally, we will facilitate meetings with administrative units relating to the professional profile of participants.

◆ **Social Program:** We offer opportunities to explore Slovak and Austrian culture in Bratislava and Vienna.



Preliminary Program



Teaching Staff		Training Staff	
MONDAY / 16 April 2018 / UEBA			
			
Morning	Arrival at the University of Economics in Bratislava, Slovakia		
09:00-10:00	Registration of participants and welcome coffee Main building, 3 rd floor, University of Economics in Bratislava, Slovakia		
10:00-11:00	Opening session UEBA (University of Economics in Bratislava), Slovakia & WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business), Austria Welcome address by the Rector of UEBA & Guest of Honor Introduction to the UEBA / Main building, Meeting Room, 3 rd floor		
11:00-12:00	Campus tour		
12:30-13:30	Lunch at the University of Economics in Bratislava, Slovakia		
14:00-16:00	Who is who: A presentation of participants' home institutions Main building, Meeting Room, 3 rd floor, UEBA		
17:00	Visit of the historical center of Bratislava (guided tour)		

TUESDAY / 17 April 2018 / UEBA			
			
09:00-09:15	Group photo of the participants in front of the University of Economics in Bratislava, Slovakia		
09:15-12:30	Lectures and consultations according to your individual schedule	09:15-12:30	Workshop: Internationalization and the Possibilities of International Academic and Research Cooperation Assembly hall, Meeting Room
	Optional participation in the Internationalization and the Possibilities of International Academic and Research Cooperation workshop		
12:30-13:30	Lunch		
Afternoon	Trip as a possibility to explore Slovak culture (provided by UEBA)		

WEDNESDAY / 18 April 2018 / UEBA			
			
09:15-12:30	Lectures and consultations according to your individual schedule	09:15-12:30	Workshop: Managing Teams , Peter Rusiňák - presentation

	Optional participation in the Managing Teams workshop		coach, American Chamber of Commerce in Slovakia Assembly Hall (Aula), Meeting Room
12:30-13:30	Farewell Lunch in Bratislava as a possibility for informal networking (provided by UEBA)		
Afternoon	Departure from Bratislava to Vienna		

THURSDAY / 19 April 2018 / WU		 
09:00-10:00	Introduction to WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business) Location: WU Campus	
10:15-12:15	Workshop (World Café): Getting the Message Across – Promoting International Study Opportunities Location: WU Campus	
12:30-13:30	Lunch	
13:30-14:30	Campus WU Tour	
Afternoon	Meetings with WU staff/students according to your personal schedule and interest	
Evening	Dinner at a "Heuriger" (provided by WU)	

FRIDAY / 20 April 2018 / WU		 
10:00-11:00	Talk: The Social Dimension in the Bologna Process. A WU perspective. Location: WU Campus	
11:15-12:30	Closing Session UEBA (University of Economics in Bratislava), Slovakia & WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business), Austria Group photo of the participants on Campus WU	
12:30-13:30	Lunch	
Afternoon	Optional: Guided Tour of Vienna Departure	