



MEDIA ADVISORY

Third Montenegrin Summer School for Young Diplomats "Gavro Vuković" 6 – 9 July 2010

What: The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Montenegro, with the support of the Capacity Development Programme (CDP), the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) in Montenegro and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Norway, will organize the Third Montenegrin Summer School for Young Diplomats "Gavro Vuković". The School will take place from 6 – 9 July 2010. **Participants will be young diplomats from twenty nine countries of the world, while the lecturers will be prominent practitioners and theoreticians of international politics.**

The Third Montenegrin Summer School for Young Diplomats will be officially opened by:

Mr. Milan Roćen, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Montenegro

Mr. Alexander Avanesov, UN Resident Coordinator/UNDP Resident Representative to Montenegro

Mr. Nils Ragnar Kamsvåg, Deputy General Director for Western Balkans, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of Norway

Mr. Vuka Golubović, Mayor of Berane

When: **Tuesday, 6 July at 09:00 a.m.**

Where: **Duke Gavro Vuković Memorial House, Berane**

The Third Montenegrin Summer School for Young Diplomats is dedicated to regional cooperation as a factor of stability of countries, and it represents an excellent opportunity to exchange opinions and share experiences on the current security, political and economic aspects of the cooperation. At the same time, this is an opportunity for socializing and interaction between young diplomats, which will additionally contribute to their professional development.

At the Summer School the participants will particularly deal with the topics related to regional cooperation, such as: the basis for friendly relations between neighbour countries and its importance in the process of the European and Euro-Atlantic integration; new European security architecture and comparative experiences in overcoming regional conflicts. On the agenda are also topics related to the interdependence of local, regional and global development, development of a better business environment as a contribution to the regional cooperation, as well as comparative experiences in linking economic to social development. In addition, an interactive workshop will be held about achievements and challenges of the countries in the regional cooperation initiatives, in the form of individual presentations of representatives of the countries participating in the Summer School.

Note: The working sessions will remain closed to the media. Information on the official closing of the Third Summer School for Young Diplomats "Gavro Vuković" will be communicated to the media in due course.

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