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**THE FIRST BALTIC SCHOOL CONFERENCE ON
EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

Venue: SSE Riga, Strēlnieku 4a, Riga LV 1010, Soros Auditorium

Time: February, 21st-22nd, 2013

Conference language: English (if necessary translation will be provided)

Arrival on 20th February, check-in and dinner in the hotel Valdemars, Kr. Valdemara street 23, Riga

AGENDA, 21st February

9.30-10.00 REGISTRATION & COFFEE

10.00-10.15 WELCOME SPEECHES by the Ambassador of Sweden in Latvia Mr Mats Staffansson, SSE RIGA Rector Mr Anders Paalzow

10.15-10.20 TECHNICAL INFORMATION by the Moderator of the Conference Mr Edgars Ivanovs

10.20 – 11.00 KEYNOTE “EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT” Zane Oliņa, Iespējamā Misija (Mission Possible)

11.00 - 12.30 KEYNOTE “NEW APPROACHES FOR EMBEDDING SUSTAINABILITY INTO TEACHER EDUCATION” including Q&A by Shepherd Urenje and Wolfgang Brunner, SWEDSD

12.30 – 13.30 LUNCH BREAK

13.30 – 15.00 PANEL DISCUSSION “WHY EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IS NECESSARY FOR FUTURE” including Q&A

15.00 – 15.30 COFFEE BREAK

15.30 – 17.00 WORKSHOPS

- THE MISSION - HOW TO MAINSTREAM SUSTAINABILITY INTO YOUR TEACHING. Moderators: Shepherd Urenje and Wolfgang Brunner
- SUSTAINABLE HAPPINESS: TEACHING FOR A GOOD LIFE THAT DOESN'T COST THE EARTH. Moderator: Timothy Bedford
- A HOLISTIC APPROACH TO TEACHING SUSTAINABILITY. Moderators: Dzintra Ilisko and Ilga Salite
- WHAT CAN THE BALTIC STATES LEARN FROM BELARUS' EXPERIENCE? Moderator: Sofia Savelava (in Russian)



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17.00 – 17.30 COFFEE BREAK

17.30 – 18.00 SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

18.30 – 20.00 RECEPTION

20:30 – 22.00 Dinner at the hotel Valdemars

AGENDA, 22st February

9:00 – 9:30 COFFEE BREAK

9:30 – 10.00 OPENING SESSION

10.00 – 11.30 WORKSHOPS

- ACTIVITY BASED LEARNING. Moderator: Indre Kleinaite, Egle Dauniene
- WHAT TOPICS SHOULD WE LOOK UPON WHEN TEACHING SUSTAINABILITY FOR FUTURE BUSINESS SCHOOL STUDENTS? Moderator: Dace Kavasa
- CRITICAL ISSUES IN THINKING ABOUT SUSTAINABILITY. Moderator: Ugis Rotbergs
- INSTITUTIONALISATION OF THE GLOBAL EDUCATION: LATVIA'S CASE. Moderators: Iveta Verse, Ilze Saleniece

11.30 – 12.00 COFFEE BREAK

12.00 – 13.00 FEEDBACK SESSION & CONFERENCE CLOSING

13:00 – 14:00 LUNCH

The conference is organized in partnership with SWEDESD (Sweden), Academy of Post-Graduate Education (Belarus), Earth Charter and UNESCO ESD Centre (Belarus), Riga State 2nd Gymnasium (Latvia), Institute of Sustainable Education at Daugavpils University (Latvia), and the Baltic Sea Project (the Baltic States).