

Informal meeting of ministers responsible for Competitiveness (Research) 3-4 February 2020 Zagreb, Croatia

Meeting venue:

[National and University Library in Zagreb](#), Hrvatske bratske zajednice 4, 10000 Zagreb

Dinner venue:

[Mimara Museum](#), Rooseveltov trg 5, 10000 Zagreb

Monday, 3 February

Arrival of the Heads of Delegations preferably no later than 14 h.

Arrival of the delegations during the afternoon.

Transport to hotels and accommodation.

15:00 – 17:10	Visit to the Rimac Automobili Factory for the HoD Sightseeing of Zagreb for the delegates
19:00 – 22:00	Gala dinner at the Mimara Museum
22:00	Transport to the hotels

Tuesday, 4 February

	Transport from hotels to the National and University Library
9:30 – 9:45	Opening of the meeting Welcome address by Prof. Blaženka Divjak, Ph. D., Minister of Science and Education Introduction by Mariya Gabriel, European Commissioner for Innovation, Research, Culture, Education and Youth
9:45 – 10:00	Keynote by Mr Philippe Busquin Launch of the Future of ERA discussion by ex-Commissioner who launched ERA 20 years ago.

- 10:00 – 10:15 **Keynote by Mr Mate Rimac**
Focus more specifically on brain circulation by one of the most influential innovators and entrepreneurs from Croatia on conditions to keep, attract, gain and retain talents.
- 10:15 – 12:15 **Round table discussion**
New European Research Area and Brain circulation
- 12:15 – 12:30 **Family Photo**
- 12:30 – 14:30 **Lunch**
- 14:30 – 15:15 **Closing of the meeting**
Press conference
Transport to the airport/hotel

