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University Dialogue with the Western Balkans

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## PROGRAM

### DAY 1 (Sunday, 06/10/24)

Arrival of the BTU Delegation in Skopje, North Macedonia

### DAY 2 (Monday, 07/10/24)

10:00 – 10:30 **Opening/Welcoming Session at UKIM in Skopje**

*Prof. Dr. Toni Mileski, Prof. Dr. Eike Albrecht, Niyanta Shetye, Steven Kramm*

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:15 **Introduction to International Environmental Law**

*Steven Kramm, BTU*

12:15 – 13:00 Lunch Break

13:00 – 14:30 **Securitisation of Migration: The Macedonian Case Study**

*Prof. Dr. Toni Mileski, UKIM*

14:30 – 14:45 Coffee Break

14:45 – 16:45 Student Activity

### DAY 3 (Tuesday, 08/10/24)

9:00 – 10:30 **Introduction to Climate Change and Migration**

*Prof. Dr. Eike Albrecht, BTU*

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:15 **International Agreements on Climate Change and Migration**

*Prof. Dr. Eike Albrecht, BTU*

12:15 – 13:00 Lunch Break

13:00 – 14:30 **Climate Change, Migration, and Human Rights**

*Prof. Jordanka Galeva, Goce Delcev University*

14:30 – 14:45 Coffee Break

14:45 – 16:45 Student Activity

### DAY 4 (Wednesday, 09/10/24)

9:00 – 10:30 **Conflict, Peace, and Refugees: Complexity in a Relationship**

*Prof. Dr. Lidija Georgieva*

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:15 **Securing Our Future: An Overview of Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation Strategies**

*Steven Kramm*

12:15 – 13:00 Lunch Break

13:00 – 14:30 **Climate Justice and Migration**

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15:30 Departure to Ohrid

### DAY 5 (Thursday, 10/10/24)

10:00 – 14:30 **The Role and Importance of Education and the Civil Society in Addressing Climate Migration**

*Niyanta Shetye*

14:30 – 14:45 Coffee Break

14:45 – 16:45 Final Student Presentation

### DAY 6 (Friday 11/10/24)

11:00 Departure to Belgrade

18:00 Evening Programme in Belgrade

### DAY 7 (Saturday 12/10/24)

10:00 Excursion in Belgrade

### DAY 8 (Sunday 13/10/24)

Day Off

### DAY 9 (Monday 14/10/24)

10:00 – 12:00 **Panel 1 - Legislation in Environment and Migration (including Student Activities)**

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12:00 – 13:00 Break

13:00 – 15:00 **Panel 2 – Migration and its Resulting Challenges (including Student Activities)**

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### DAY 10 (Tuesday 15/10/24)

Departure of the German and North Macedonian Delegation