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/entrance Shipka Str./

PROGRAM

*Moderator : Associate prof. Dr. Zdravko Popov,
Ambassador of Bulgaria in the Czech Republic*

- 10:00** *Opening :*
Valentin Lazarov, President of the Board of NAMCB
Bogdan Mirchev, Director of Hanns Seidel Stiftung for Bulgaria
- 10:10** *Lobbying in the European Commission /discussion/*
Prof. Rinus van Schedelen, Erasmus University of Rotterdam, active lobbyist
Tomislav Donchev, Minister of management of EU funds
Ivelina Vassileva, Deputy Minister of environment and water
- 11:30** *Lobbying in the European Parliament*
Vladimir Uruchev, Member of the European Parliament
- 13:00** *Lunch in Sofia University’s restaurant “Alma Mater”*
- 14:00** *A practitioner’s experience with Lobbying in Brussels*
Tom Antonissen, EU Affairs Adviser, EURESupport, professional lobbyist in Brussels in the sectors of Transport, Environment and Power Engineering
Prof. Rinus van Schedelen, Erasmus University of Rotterdam, active lobbyist
- 15:30** *Lobbying in the European and National Institutions*
Tsvetan Simeonov, President of the Bulgarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry
Richard Clegg, British Bulgarian Chamber of Commerce, Wolf Theiss Law Firm
- 17:00** *Summary of the results and closing*

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