





LXI COSAC

Bucharest, Palace of Parliament

23rd - 25th of June 2019

Draft Programme

(as of the 10^{th} of January 2019)

Sunday, 23rd of June 2019

14:00 - 19:00 Arrival of delegations and registration at the hotels

Meeting of the Presidential Troika of COSAC

16:30 **Departure from the hotels**

17:00 - 18:30 **Meeting of the Presidential Troika**

Venue: Palace of Parliament, Chamber of Deputies

2-4 Izvor Street, 5th District, 050563, Bucharest

19:00 Visit of the Mogoșoaia Palace

16:45 Departure from the hotels for the cultural programme

> Visit of the Mogoșoaia Palace (summer 18th-century lakeside palace surrounded by manicured gardens,

situated about 15 kilometres from Bucharest)

Dinner

19:00 Departure from the hotels for the dinner

Dinner hosted by Mr Angel TÎLVĂR, Chair of the European 20:00 - 22:00

> Affairs Committee, Romanian Chamber of Deputies, and Ms Gabriela CREȚU, Chair of the European Affairs Committee,

Romanian Senate

Venue: Stirbei Palace

36 Ştirbei Vodă Street, Buftea 070000 (tbc)

22:00 Return to the hotels

Monday, 24th of June 2019

Meetings of the political groups

7:40 Departure from the hotels

8:00 – 8:45 Meetings of the political groups

Venue: Palace of Parliament, Chamber of Deputies

2-4 Izvor Street, 5th District, 050563, Bucharest

Plenary sessions

8:30 Departure from the hotels

9:00 Opening of the LXI COSAC

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Introductory remarks by the Chair

9:15 Adoption of the agenda

Procedural issues and miscellaneous matters

- Briefing on the results of the COSAC Presidential Troika

Meeting

- Presentation of the COSAC 31st Bi-annual Report

- Letters received by the Presidency

- Others

9:30 - 11:00 SESSION I: Achievements of the Romanian Presidency of the

Council of the European Union

Debate

11:00 Family photo and coffee break

11:30 – 13:00 SESSION II: Prospects for international trade relations of the

European Union; the future of relations between the

European Union and the UK in the context of "Brexit"

Debate

13:00 Lunch

14:30 – 16:00 SESSION III: The European Education Area as a driving factor

for reshaping and strengthening the Single Market

Debate

16:00 Return to the hotels (except for the Chairpersons)

Meeting of the COSAC Chairpersons

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Debate on the Contribution and Conclusions of the LXI COSAC

17:30 Return to the hotels

Official dinner

19:00 Departure from the hotels

19:30 Official dinner hosted by Mr Liviu DRAGNEA, President of the

Chamber of Deputies

Venue: Ghica Tei Palace, 5 Doamna Ghica Street, 2nd District,

Bucharest (tbc)

22:00 Return to the hotels

Tuesday, 25th of June 2019

Plenary session

9:00 Departure from the hotels

9:30 – 11:30 SESSION IV: Economy based on innovation, technological

progress and social European Union impact; the role of national Parliaments in fostering the "New Economy" of the

EU

Debate

11:30 Coffee break

12:00 - 12:30 Adoption of the Contribution and Conclusions of the LXI

COSAC

12:30 Closing remarks by the Chair

Lunch

12:45 - 13:45 Lunch and closing of the conference

14:00 Return to the hotels

Closing of the conference