

WORKSHOP ON NATIONAL IKB ACTION PLANS

2-4 September 2024, Podgorica, Montenegro

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We would like to welcome you to the **Workshop on National IKB Action Plans** to be held from **2 to 4 September 2024 in Podgorica, Montenegro** and hosted by the CMS Secretariat with support from the European Union, and the Ministry of Ecology and Sustainable Development and Northern Development of the Government of Montenegro.

Workshop details:

The Workshop will be held at [Hotel CUE](#), Cetinjska 7, The Capital Plaza, 81000, Montenegro.

On-site registration will commence at 08:30 CEST on Monday 2 September 2024. Badges will be issued at the registration desk.

Working sessions will start at 09:00 CEST and end at approximately 17:00 CEST. Morning and afternoon coffee breaks will be offered during the meeting.

Lunch breaks will take place at the hotel approximately between 13:15 and 14:00 CEST.

Language:

The workshop language will be English. Interpretation services will be available for some parts of the agenda from Montenegrin to English and vice-versa.

Field Trip:

A half-day field trip will be organized on Wednesday 4 September 2024. A bus will pick participants up at the venue at 08:00 CEST and take them to Lake Skada. The return to Podgorica is scheduled around 13.00hrs. If you plan to return on 4 September, please plan your flights accordingly.

Adequate clothing such as a light hat, comfortable shoes (sneakers/trainers are sufficient, boots are not needed) is recommended, as well as mosquito repellent and sun protection. Please also bring your own water bottle to minimize single-use plastic.

Airport transfers

From Podgorica airport to Podgorica:

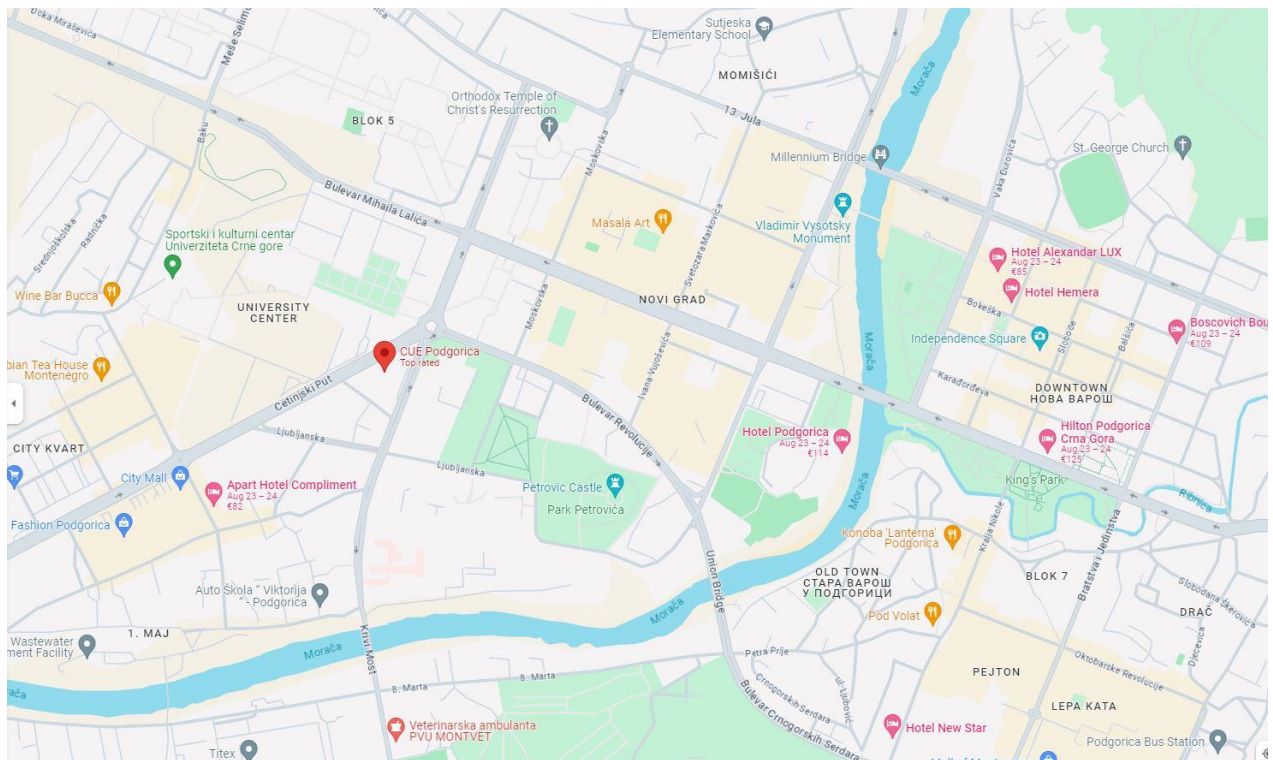
The airport is situated 12 km south of Podgorica city, in the municipality limits of Zeta. There is no direct bus service from the terminal to Podgorica city, but there is a taxi service available from the

arrival gate of the airport. One way trip by taxi from the airport to Podgorica should cost no more than 15 euros.

How to get to the venue:

The venue: The Workshop will be held at [Hotel CUE](#), Cetinjska 7, The Capital Plaza, 81000, Montenegro.

Google Maps: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/vPwmSRvcUrgYjMLXA>



Local transport:

There are several transport options to get to the CUE hotel:

- Bus: The nearest bus stops to the venue are:
 - Lines 20, 53, 54b and 55, **bus stop Ulica dr Ljubomira Rašovića I 150 meters.**
<https://maps.app.goo.gl/HQvD8YWxkiWa46AP6>
 - Lines 20, 53, 54b and 55, **bus stop Bulevar Knjaza Danila I 220 meters.**
<https://maps.app.goo.gl/RNZNTQmkuiSU3ePC6>
 - Line 18, **bus stop Ulica Ljubljanska II. 300 meters.**
<https://maps.app.goo.gl/3WHVJR2GHeyDp4Qj6>
 - Lines 1b, 10, 18, 20, 53, 54b, 55, **bus stop Ulica Ljubljanska I. 550 meters.**

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/eLbRLmDSMn96Cjd27>

- Lines 1b, 9, 10, 15, 16, 20, 23, 53, 54b, 55 **bus stop Ulica Moskovska I, 600 meters.**

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/LjBe849tpPhWEw4y8>

Taxis:

Taxis cost approximately 5 euros for most of the city center distances and accept euros.

Hotel accommodation:

The following hotels are well located for the meeting. Transport to and from the hotels and venue, can be by Bus and/or Taxi.

Hotel CUE

Cetinjska 7, The Capital Plaza, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 20 684 000

<https://www.cue-podgorica.com/>

approx.: 139€ per night

the venue

Hotel Boscovich

55 Marka Miljanova, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 20 230 722

<https://hotelboscovich.com/>

approx. 83€ per night

2,5 km to the venue

Hotel Philia

Cetinjski Put Bb, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 69 300 515

<https://www.philiahotel.com>

approx. 72€ per night

2 km to the venue

Hotel Alexandar LUX

12 Hercegovačka, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 20 664 510

<https://alexandarlux.com/>

approx. 67€ per night

2 km to the venue

Hotel Resurs

b.b Đoka Miraševića, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 067 629 629

<https://hotelresurs.com/>

approx. 75€ per night

1,8 km to the venue

Hotel Carine

Slobode, Podgorica

Tel: +382 67 115 434

<https://carinehotels.me/>

approx. 94€ per night

2,2 km to the venue

Perla Residence Hotel & SPA

70 Vlada Četkovića, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 20 511 511

<https://perla.me/perla-residence/>

approx. 98€ per night

2,1 km to the venue

Hotel Union

110 Kralja Nikole, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 20 223 888

<https://hotelunion.me/>

approx. 105 € per night

1,8 km to the venue

Hotel Hemera

17 Njegoševa, Podgorica

Tel: +382 20 221 650

<https://www.hotelhemera.com/>

approx. 71€ per night

2 km to the venue

Hotel New Star

106 Kralja Nikole, Podgorica 81000

Tel: +382 69 699 139

<https://hotel-newstar.com/>

approx. 100€ per night

1,9 km to the venue

Please consult the hotel website for information on facilities and general booking conditions. Major credit cards are accepted by all hotels.

All participants are kindly requested to make their own hotel booking.

Visa Formalities:

Citizens of the European Union and Balkan country participants **do not need a visa** to enter the country.

Please check the link below to verify if a **visa will be needed** to enter Montenegro.

<https://www.gov.me/en/diplomatic-missions/embassies-and-consulates-of-montenegro>

The CMS Secretariat will provide you, upon request, with a Note Verbale to support your visa application if one is needed. Please contact ximena.cancino@un.org

Weather:

The climate of Montenegro is Mediterranean. Average temperatures for September are between 17°C and 28°C.

Water

Tap water is drinkable.

Electricity:

Electricity in Montenegro conforms to the European standard of 220 - 230 V, with a frequency of 50 Hz. Wall outlets typically accommodate plugs with two round pins, types C and F.



Insurance:

The CMS Secretariat cannot accept liability for personal accidents or loss of or damage to the private property of participants or accompanying persons during or indirectly arising from

attendance to the Workshop and related events. Participants should make their own arrangements with respect to **health and travel insurance**.

Emergency and medical services:

The police, ambulance and fire emergency number is 112.

The closest medical centers are Clinical Center of Montenegro (Klinički centar Crne Gore) Ljubljanska ulica b.b., or Emergency Center (Hitna pomoć) at ul. Vaka Đurovića, Tel: 124

Currency:

Montenegro's currency is the Euro.

Credit cards are accepted in hotels and restaurants in Podgorica. For small purchases, cash is preferred. Foreign exchange services in banks are available in the city center.