



8th Summit of Central and Eastern European Countries & China

9th Business Forum of CEEC & China

Building new bridges through openness, innovation and partnership

12 April – Croatia **DUBROVNIK 2019**

Thursday 11 April 2019

Gala dinner hosted by Mr Andrej Plenković, Prime Minister of Croatia,
in honour of the Heads of Government participating in the 8th Summit of the 16+1 Cooperation

Friday 12 April 2019

Hotel Dubrovnik Rixos Libertas

08:45 **Official welcome by Mr Andrej Plenković, Prime Minister of Croatia,**
handshake and photo opportunity

09:10 **Opening of the 9th Business Forum of Central and Eastern European Countries & China**
Official launch of the 16+1 SME Coordination Mechanism website

09:45 **Opening of the Exhibition** on Cooperation in the Field of Education
of Central and Eastern European Countries and China

10:15 **Inauguration of B2B meetings**
▪ Transfer to the Dubrovnik Palace Hotel

10:40 **Family Photo** *Hotel Dubrovnik Palace*

10:55 **Plenary session of the 8th Summit of Heads of Government
of Central and Eastern European Countries and China**

12:30 **Signing ceremony of the bilateral agreements**
Unveiling of the commemoration plate on “Global Partnership Centre”,
founded during the 7th Summit in Sofia in 2018 by

- **Mr Andrej Plenković**, Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia
- **Mr Li Keqiang**, Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China
- **Mr Boyko Borissov**, Prime Minister of Republic the Bulgaria

12:40 **Joint Press Statements by**
- **Mr Andrej Plenković**, Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia
- **Mr Li Keqiang**, Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China
- **Prime Minister of the host country of the 9th Summit** of the 16+1 Cooperation
