

REGIONAL LEADERS' SUMMIT One region, common vision KOTOR, MONTENEGRO 15 - 16 MAY 2024	
Host	Milojko SPAJIĆ , Prime Minister of Montenegro
Invited leaders (in alphabetical order)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Albin KURTI, Prime Minister • Aleksandar VUČIĆ, President • Borjana KRIŠTO, Chairwoman of the Council of Ministers • Edi RAMA, Prime Minister • Talat XHAFERI, Prime Minister • Oliver VARHELYI, Commissioner for Neighbourhood and Enlargement, European Commission • James O'BRIEN, US Assistant Secretary of State for European and Eurasian Affairs
Ministers of European Affairs and Finance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maida GORČEVIĆ, Minister of European Affairs • Besnik BISLIMI, Deputy Prime Minister • Bojan MARICHIC, First Deputy Prime Minister for European Affairs • Elvira HABOTA, Director of Direction for European Integration • Majlinda DHUKA, Minister of State and Chief Negotiator • Tanja MIŠČEVIĆ, Minister of European Integration • Ervin METE, Minister of Finance • Fatmir BESIMI, Minister of Finance • Hekuran MURATI, Minister of Finance, Labour and Transfers • Siniša MALI, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance • Srđan AMIDŽIĆ, Minister of Finance and Treasury • Aleksandra POPOVIĆ, acting General Director of the Directorate for Financial System and Policy Coordination <p>(Format 1+1)</p>
Invited Partners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gert Jan KOOPMAN, Directorate-General Neighbourhood and Enlargement Negotiations • Marko MAKOVEC, Deputy Managing Director (DMD) for Europe at the European External Action Service • Valentina SUPERTI, Directorate-General for Neighbourhood and Enlargement • Ajay BANGA, President of the World Bank

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Wednesday, May 15th 2024	
19:00-20:30	<p>Leaders Dinner hosted by PM Milojko Spajić Format (1+0) /Venue: Hotel Hyatt Blue Bay Kotor, Restaurant Lighthouse</p>
Thursday, 16 May 2024	
09:00 – 09:15	Gathering
09:15 – 09:30	<p>Doorstep statements of Mr Milojko SPAJIĆ, Prime Minister Mr Albin KURTI, Prime Minister Mr Aleksandar VUČIĆ, President Ms Borjana KRIŠTO, Chairwoman of the Council of Ministers Mr Edi RAMA, Prime Minister Mr Talat XHAFERI, Prime Minister Mr Oliver VARHELYI, Commissioner for Neighbourhood and Enlargement, European Commission Mr James O'BRIEN, US Assistant Secretary of State for European and Eurasian Affairs</p> <p><i>(2 min remarks each, preferably English, no translation provided)</i></p>
09:30-10:15	<p>Panel I: State of Play and future plans – New Growth Plan Location: Hotel Hyatt Blue Bay Kotor, Orjen Ballroom Language: English Speakers:</p>

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10:15-11:00	<p>Coffee Break Location: Hotel Terrace</p>
10:15 – 10:25	<p>Family Photo Location: Hotel Terrace * Official photo and camera The hosts are in the middle, the rest of the delegations will be arranged in alphabetical order from left to right: ALB, BiH, KS, EU, MKD, SRB</p>
10:30 – 11:00	<p>Press conference PM Spajić and Commissioner Varhelyi Location: Rumija meeting centre Language: optional (translation provided)</p> <p><u>*Official photo/video</u> <u>*Open to national and regional media</u></p>
11:15 – 12:00	<p>Panel II: Contribution to strengthening regional cooperation Host: Mr Milojko SPAJIĆ, Prime Minister</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gert Jan KOOPMAN, Directorate-General Neighbourhood and Enlargement Negotiations • Marko MAKOVEC, Deputy Managing Director (DMD) for Europe at the European External Action Service • Ajay BANGA, President of the World Bank

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12:00-12:10	<p>Conclusions given by Prime Minister Spajić: Institutional setting and steps ahead</p>
Bilateral Meetings	Location: Lovćen boardroom

* Please find enclosed the link below, facilitating the respective delegations of your countries to arrange accommodations at the Hyatt Regency Kotor Bay Resort, the designated venue for the Summit:

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Additionally, guests are advised that a credit card will be required for reservation creation, with payment processed on the day of booking.