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Dear participants,

Our Grundtvig & Leonardo da Vinci contact seminar **“Adults with special needs in lifelong learning**, is approaching and we have prepared some useful information regarding travel to the conference venue and hotel.

TRANSPORTATION

Transfer from and back to the airport will be provided by us. There will be transfer waiting for you at your arrival to the airport.

To Kranjska Gora you can arrive through:

- Airport Jože Pučnik Ljubljana (Ljubljana, Slovenia) – Kranjska Gora (70 minutes by shuttle bus). The cost will be approx. 50 € for one way travel and will have to be paid at the spot.
- Klagenfurt airport (Klagenfurt, Austria) – Kranjska Gora (60 minutes by shuttle bus). The cost will be approx. 50 € for one way travel and will have to be paid at the spot.

ACCOMODATION

Accommodation will be booked in hotel Larix, Kranjska Gora.

Hotel Address:

Hotel Larix

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<http://www.hitholidays-kg.si/Nastanitve/hotel-Larix>

CONTACT SEMINAR VENUE

Seminar will take place in Hotel Larix conference Centre.

INFORMATION ABOUT SLOVENIA, JULIAN ALPS AND ITS SIGHTS

Slovenia is situated at the crossroads of central Europe, the Mediterranean, and the Balkans. The Alps-including the Julian Alps, the Kamnik-Savinja Alps, the Karavanke chain, and the Pohorje Massif-dominate northern Slovenia near Austria. Slovenia's Adriatic coastline extends for approximately 48 kilometers from Italy to Croatia. The term "karst"-a limestone region of underground rivers, sinkholes, and caves-originated in Slovenia's Karst plateau between Ljubljana and the Italian border.



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On the Pannonian plain to the east and northeast, toward the Croatian and Hungarian borders, the landscape is essentially flat. However, the majority of Slovenian terrain is hilly or mountainous, with around 90% of the surface 200 meters or more above sea level.

The Julian Alps is a portion of the great Alps arc. It extends to the northwestern part of Slovenia. The surface area is 4400 square kilometer. The entire mountain range is divided into two sections – the Western Julian Alps and the Eastern Julian Alps. The whole mountain range constitutes about 150 mountains.

A view of the Soča and the upper Sava river valleys spreads below Mount Triglav, Slovenia's highest mountain. Lying between the two rivers is Triglav National Park, which protects numerous endemic animal and plant species in a region of high rocky mountains, deeply cut river gorges, high-mountain karst shafts, and attractive low mountains as well as the traditions of the once difficult life of mountain farmers and alpine dairymen.

In the north side of the Mount Triglav kingdom is the Upper Sava Valley. The popular tourist destination Kranjska Gora attracts summer visitors with opportunities for recreation and sport in nature (hiking, mountaineering, bicycling, horseback riding, paragliding, fishing) and winter visitors with its excellent trails for different kinds of skiing as well as with other winter delights (dog-sledding, night descents on sleds from Mount Vršič, snowmobiling). Guests in Kranjska Gora also enjoy its casino and wellness programs, while children enjoy the original country of the children's book hero Kekec.

<http://www.slovenia.info/en/Home.htm?home=0&lng=2>

<http://www.kranjska-gora.si/Home>



OTHER PRACTICAL INFO

Weather in Kranjska Gora

Throughout the month of October daytime temperatures will generally reach highs of around 14°C. At night the average minimum temperature drops down to around 6°C. In recent times the highest recorded temperature in October has been 23°C, with the lowest recorded temperature -7°C. You should, however, check the forecast before your arrival on <http://meteo.arso.gov.si/met/en/> or other similar web sites available in English.

Currency

The official Slovenian currency is Euro. Other currencies can be exchanged in banks, exchange bureaux and at the Hotels.

Automatic Cash Dispensers

Automatic cash dispensers accepting Visa, Eurocard/Mastercard, American Express credit cards and Maestro are situated in Kranjska Gora.

Credit Cards

All major credit cards, such as American Express, Visa, Eurocard/Mastercard, Diners, are widely accepted in hotels, restaurants, and shops.

Electricity

Electricity in Slovenia is 220 V, 50 Hz. Continental Europe 2 pin plugs are used.

Drinking Water

Tap water is safe to drink.

Time

European summer time, 1+ Greenwich Mean Time (GMT)