

Conference title	<b>Prospects for Slovak-Kazakh Cooperation</b> (video conference)
Organizers	Research Centre of the Slovak Foreign Policy Association, Bratislava/Prešov  University of International Business, Almaty/Astana
Partners	Office of the Embassy of the Republic of Kazakhstan to Bratislava  Slovak Agency for International Development Cooperation (Slovak Aid)  Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Slovak Republic Embassy of the Slovak Republic to Kazakhstan, Astana Economic University Bratislava
Date	November 26, 2009
Place	Slovakia: Economic University Bratislava, Kazakhstan: UIB – Almaty, Astana
Aim	The aim of this video conference is to discuss perspectives of Slovak-Kazakh co-operation in the two key areas 1) Slovak-Kazakh cooperation and interaction within international organizations; and 2) economic cooperation and energy dialogue.
Conference languages	Slovak, Russian

### *Agenda (draft)*

Time CET	SVK	KAZ
8:30-8:40	<b>Opening speech</b>	
	<i>Mr. Alexander Duleba</i> – Director of RC SFPA, n.o.	<i>Mr. Genndayi Gamarnik</i> – Rector of UIB
8:40-9:00	<b>Key note speech</b>	
	<i>H.E. Anarbek Karashev</i> , Ambassador of the Republic of Kazakhstan to Slovakia	
9:00-10.00	<b>Bilateral dialogue and interaction within international organizations</b>	
	Chairman: <i>Mr. Vladimír Bilčík</i> , Research Fellow, Research Centre of the SFPA	
9:00	<i>Mr. Marián Jakubocy</i> , Director of department 3TEO of the Ministry of the Foreign Affairs of the Slovak Republic	<i>Mr. Valikhan Tuleshov</i> , Director of Center for International Researches, IWEP: <i>Adaptation of European Standards: EU experience in Kazakhstan.</i>



9:20	<b>Mr. Peter Juza</b> , Director of ASA	<b>Prof. Simtikov</b> , Kazakh National Pedagogical University named after Abay: <i>Kazakhstan: Window to Europe.</i>
9:40	<b>Mr. Ivo Samson</b> , Research Fellow, Research Centre of the SFPA	Xxx Representative of MFA of RK
10.00-10:45	Discussion	
10:45-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-12:00	<b>Economic cooperation and energy dialogue</b>	
	Chairman: <b>Mr. Vladimír Benč</b> , Research Fellow, Research Centre of the SFPA	
11:00	<b>Miroslava Kudelásová</b> , Territory Manager, International cooperation department SARIO & <b>Alexander Škurla</b> , Territory Manager, SARIO	<b>Dr. Gulnara Nurmukhanova</b> , Economic Development in Kazakhstan, UIB
11:20	<b>Mr. Karel Hirman</b> , Section Director, Slovak Innovation and Energy Agency	<b>Dr. Bolat Khussainov</b> , Energy sector development in Kazakhstan. Institute of Economy of Ministry of Education and Science of RK
11:40	<b>Jaroslav Kultán</b> , the Economic University Bratislava	<b>Dr. Abu Mukhammedov</b> , Pension Reform in Kazakhstan, UIB
12:00-12:45	Discussion	
12:45-13:00	<b>Concluding remarks</b>	
	<b>Mr. Alexander Duleba</b> , Director, Research Centre of the SFPA	<b>Dr. Meruert Narenova</b> , UIB

