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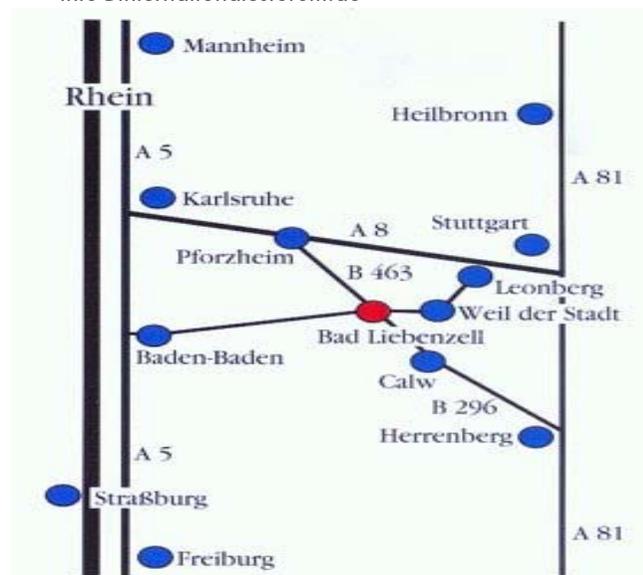
#### Mit der Deutschen Bahn

Bahnstation Bad Liebenzell (ab Pforzheim, Horb  
oder Stuttgart)

#### Zu Fuß

Vom Bahnhof Richtung Stadtmitte laufen - am Kurhaus  
vorbei - an der Kreuzung rechts in die Wilhelmstraße  
abbiegen - bis zur nächsten Kreuzung - Richtung  
Schömberg wählen - nach ungefähr 500 m rechts in die  
Burgstraße abbiegen und dem steilen Wanderweg  
(orangefarben) zur Burg folgen (Gehzeit 25 -30 Min.).  
Viel Spaß und gute Puste.

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# SEMINAR

The EU and Ukraine:  
From the Association Agenda to  
the Danube Area Strategy



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### **The EU and Ukraine: From the Association Agenda to the Danube Area Strategy**

Since Ukraine's independence, the relations between the EU and Ukraine have been directed at closer cooperation and coordination in all fields – from economic to political, cultural and educational cooperation. Nevertheless, the country has not been given a clear perspective with view to future EU membership. Instead, a new Association Agenda was agreed which aims at the stimulation of further intensified cooperation and the stabilisation of the democratic process. Also, Ukraine became member state of the new EU macro strategy for the Danube Region. In all these approaches, education has a major role to play and is a crucial element for the sustainability of the association process. As a contribution to this objective, the seminar will provide insights into the functioning of the EU system in general but will also look at further opportunities for closer educational cooperation in the context of the Danube Region Strategy.

### **Sunday, 21 October 2012**

18.00 Arrival and Dinner  
19.00 Welcome  
Quick tour around Castle Liebenzell

### **Monday, 22 October 2012-**

08.00 Breakfast  
09.00 Get to know each other  
09.30 Presentation of the Project Partners: State Centre and Interntl Forum  
10.15 Introduction into the seminar topic  
K. Duerr  
10.45 Break  
11.00 Baden-Wuerttemberg – A European core region  
K. Duerr  
12.00 Lunch  
14.00 Europe – more than a continent  
A. Sitnikova / G. Gandenberger  
15.30 Coffee  
16.00 History, Influences, Citizens of Europe  
18.00 Dinner  
19.00 Local Politics in a small town: Reception at the Town Hall Bad Liebenzell

### **Tuesday, 23 October 2012**

08.00 Breakfast  
09.00 EU Simulation Working Groups.  
10.30 Break  
11.00 EU Simulation Working Groups.  
12.00 Lunch  
14.00 EU Simulation Working Groups.  
15.30 Coffee  
16.00 EU Simulation Final Session  
18.00 Dinner  
19.00 Optional: Mineral spa

### **Wednesday, 24 October 2012: STRASBOURG-**

07.30 Breakfast and lunch packets  
08.30 Departure  
10.30 Visit to the European Parliament  
11.30 Meeting with Mr Wieland, Vice President of the European Parliament  
13.00 Free time in the European Quarter: Please provide your own lunch  
14.00 Meeting with Mrs R. Harms, Member of the European Parliament  
15.30 Drive to town centre  
16.00 Free time in Strasbourg  
18.45 Group meets at Cathedral, Walk to the bus  
19.00 Departure  
19.30 Dinner at Restaurant Schwanen, Kork

### **Thursday, 25 October 2012**

08.00 Breakfast  
09.00 Impressions from the Strasbourg Excursion  
K. Duerr, G. Gandenberger, S. Sayenko  
09.30 Ukraine and the EU: From the Association Agreement to the Danube Area Strategy  
K. Duerr  
10.30 Break  
11.00 EU, Council of Europe and the problem of Human Rights  
G. Gandenberger

12.00 Lunch  
14.00 Europe at the Crossroads?  
S. Zeitmann, Europe-Institute University of Saarbrücken  
15.30 Coffee  
16.00 Contact mediation between Ukraine and Baden-Wuerttemberg  
Y. Tkachenko, Bureau ZIEL  
18.00 Dinner

### **Friday, 26 October 2012: TUEBINGEN**

08.00 Breakfast  
08.30 Departure  
10.00 Teacher in-service training in Baden-Wuerttemberg  
P. Thomas, Head of Dept., Univ. Tuebingen  
12.30 Lunch at University Mensa  
14.00 Departure  
15.30 Visit to the State Academy for Teacher Training Bad Wildbad  
S. Licht, State Academy Bad Wildbad  
15.30 Free time in Tuebingen  
17.30 Group meets; Walk to bus  
18.30 Dinner at Burg Liebenzell

### **Saturday, 27 October 2012**

08.00 Breakfast  
09.00 The Bologna Process  
C. Roth, pbnet, Moessingen  
10.30 Break  
11.00 Seminar evaluation  
12.00 Lunch  
13.00 Departure for Stuttgart  
14.00 Free Time in Stuttgart  
18.30 Departure for Bad Liebenzell  
19.30 Dinner and Farewell session

### **Sunday, 28 October 2012**

08.00 Breakfast (and lunch packets)  
09.00 Departure