

We are excited to announce the upcoming activities of Macedonia2025 in 2017!

Have a look through this newsletter, be up to date with our events, initiatives and mark your calendars to join us.

Macedonia2025 has many exciting things in the works that are helping Macedonians connect, share ideas, projects and other exciting developments across borders and thousands of miles. That is what we are all about and working to accomplish.

In 2017 we are continuing our many educational programs, that will enable people in Macedonian businesses become better in what they do, by competing on a regional and global basis. We know our efforts will continue to make us all proud when our future leaders make amazing achievements and discoveries.

Please don't forget that you can support us by donating your time or money, so that we all can support more people and efforts to advance the wonderful country of Macedonia.

Sincerely,

John I. Bitove Jr.

Co-founder and Chairman of the Communications Committee

Education Programs

THE ZAFIROVSKI EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM The open call for the Zafirovski Executive Development program closed on February 1st. We are delighted for having received a long list of candidates determined to upgrade their career competences and bring better value to their job. The applications will be evaluated by business professionals and the first results will be sent by the end of March.

You can view the Kellogg-related newsletter from last month <u>HERE</u>



THE CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE EXECUTIVE STUDY TOUR TO TORONTO IS NOW OPEN

The call for scholarship applications for the Executive study tour at <u>Schulich</u> <u>Executive Education center</u> (SEEC) Toronto, Canada is now open.

To learn more about this program and the application process, please click the following **LINK**.

Application deadline is March 13.



THE LEADER PROJECT MARKS TENTH ANNIVERSARY

We are celebrating 10 years of The Leader Project and that is why we are going to make this edition remarkably special! Keep an eye out for the applications which open next Monday!

To watch a video testimonial from last year participant, please click <u>HERE</u> and stay tuned for more videos on our YouTube channel.



THE SUMMER DIASPORA BUSINESS TRIP

Macedonia2025 is organizing this program to encourage young Macedonians from around the world to rekindle their connection with the country and to discover career and business opportunities at a number of great companies. Applications open March 15th 2017. Stay tuned.

For last years recap click <u>HERE</u>





Mk2025 DIASPORA OUTREACH RECEPTION

In collaboration with the Macedonian Embassy in Sweden, on June 15th, we will hold a diaspora outreach reception. This event will have the goal to promote Macedonia2025 and its activities, to identify successful Diaspora professionals from Europe, to exchange knowledge networks and ideas as well as help promote the country.



GET IN THE RING Entrepreneurship Competition

This year Mk2025 will realize yet another GITR business idea pitching competition in 2 categories: High school students as well as start up

companies from Macedonia. The event will be held late October as a pre-event for the $Mk2025\ \text{Summit}.$

To read the summary of last year's competition click **HERE**



Macedonia2025 Summit 2017

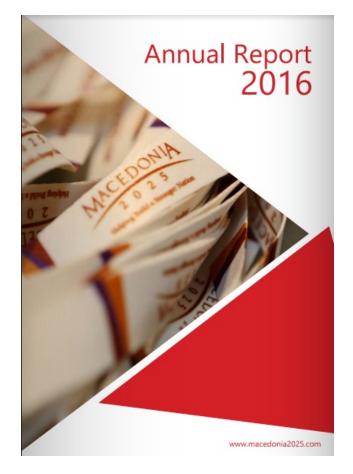
SAVE THE DATE! November 1-2 are the official dates for the Macedonia2025 Summit. We will be keeping you informed regarding all the updates in the period that follows.

To read last years summary please click **<u>HERE</u>**.



Coming up in the next newsletter







We believe that education is the most powerful weapon we can use to help build a stronger nation. Education is not an expense, it is an investment, so donating to this cause means donating to the future and stability of the country and the nourishment of the Macedonian entrepreneurs.

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