



## Programme

### *Living Peace-Building*

### **29th Adult Education Colloquium: Adult Education for Peace**

8.45–9.15 *Registration*

9.15–10.45 **First part**

- **Welcome address**  
Dr Nataša Potočnik, directress, Slovenian Institute for Adult Education (SIAE)
- **Culture of Peace in Times of War: An Introductory Contribution on the Role of Adult Education**  
Jasmina Mirčeva, MSc, SIAE
- **Educating for Peace: Rebuilding Communities and Preventing Future Conflict Through Adult Learning** – presentation in English language  
Isabell Kempf, directress, UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning
- **Education for Peacefulness in the Light of Relationship Ethics: Resonance, Empathy, and the Tragic Nature of Violence**  
Prof Dr Bojan Žalec, Faculty of Theology, University of Ljubljana

10.45–11.15 *Break*

11.15–12.45 **Second part**

- **The role of Adult Learning and Education (ALE) in Times of Rapid Changes, War and Conflicts** – video in English language  
Uwe Gartenschlaeger, President of EAEA and Director of DVV International  
Dr Hanna Shvindina, CEO at NGO "Lifelong Learning Centre", Ukraine
- **Peace is not only the Goal but also the Path: Practical Forms of Peace-Building**  
Zora Perenda, Cultural club Sevdah
- **In Tune with the Frequency of Peace. A Nationwide Educational Project within the PUM-O+ Programme**  
participants and mentors of PUM-O+
- **Thinking Peace, Living Peace, and Advocating Peace**  
Dr Maja Ladić, The Peace Institute – Institute for Contemporary Social and Political Studies, and Dr Eva Marn in discussion with Jasmina Mirčeva, MSc, SIAE

12.45–14.15 *Lunch*

Moderator of the Colloquium: Alenka Štrukelj, SIAE.



## ***People for People***

### **30th Anniversary of the Slovenian Lifelong Learning Weeks**

**13:30–14.15**    *Registration*

**Activities in the lobby – the following will be presenting:**

- Cene Štupar – CILJ with the Career Escape Room “Leap into the Future”
- Countess Greta accompanied by spinners Zlatka Turk and Anka Špeh
- Study Circle Bistrica at the Slovenska Bistrica Adult Education Centre
- Study Circle Lipovci – “We Learn and Teach Others” at the Murska Sobota Adult Education Centre

**14.15–14.30**    *Arrival in the hall and the national anthem*

**14.30–15.00**    **Welcome speeches**

- Dr Nataša Potočnik, Directress, SIAE
- Branka Hrast Debeljak, MSc, Director-General, Upper Secondary, Short-Cycle Higher Vocational and Adult Education Directorate, Ministry of Education
- Marko Lotrič, President of The National Council of the Republic of Slovenia

**15.00–15.10**    *Musical performance*

**15.10–16.40**    **Three Decades of Lifelong Learning Weeks (LLW) in Slovenia: A Retrospective**

- Zvonka Pangerc Pahernik, MSc, with guests

**16.40–16.50**    *Musical performance*

**16.50–17.15**    *Break*

**17.15–18.30**    **The Story of SIAE Awards and the 2025 Award Ceremony**

- Darijan Novak with guests and recipients of the 2025 SIAE Awards

**18.30–18.50**    *Closing words and musical performance*

**18.50**            *Banquet*

The cultural programme will be performed by **Tinkara Kovač**, accompanied by guitarist **Danijel Matičič**.

Moderator of the celebration: Zvonka Pangerc Pahernik, MSc, SIAE.