



Road to WTDC-17: Stop in Vilnius

Regional Development Forum

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WTDC-17

- There is some work to be done before WTDC-17 Argentina in November 2017
- Preparation for WTDC-17 is a parallel process: Preparation of the European countries take place in CEPT and ITU (RPM, TDAG)
- For that matter CEPT com-ITU has formed a Project Team WTDC-17, which is an ad hoc group for preparations for the event
- Com-ITU PT WTDC-17 started its activities in August

Com-ITU PT WTDC-17

- Objectives:
 - Bottom-up approach for the formation of WTDC agenda
 - Preparations of ECPs
 - Influence the development of ICTs in ITU format
- Work plan:
 - To work via e-mail and to have physical meetings (back-to-back during other meeting of com-ITU, RPMs)
 - To cooperate with other regions
 - To develop viable and supported proposals

Outcome of com-ITU PT WTDC-17

- Discussed CEPT agenda and work ahead (towards WTDC-17)
 - Just a planning exercise
- Discussed priorities of CEPT countries
 - Related to management of ITU, including WSIS and cybersecurity
 - ICT and access development
 - Cooperation between regions and assistance (to specific countries)



Back-to-back meeting in Vilnius (2017-04)

Back-to-back or 3 in 1

- CEPT com-ITU 2017-04-24/25 (with PT WTDC-17 session)
- RDF 2017-04-26 **TOPIC TBD**
- RPM 2017-04-27/28

- Together with ITU and CEPT group working on the details of the event

- There will be an invitation by CEPT and ITU

- But the dates are set, you can book your agendas!

Lithuania



- This is our location and neighbours
- Local name of the country LIETUVA
- Lithuania first mentioned in written documents – 1009



Basic Facts

- 65 300 sq. km.
- 2 944 459 (in 2014)

For comparison:

- BE – 30 528 sq. km; 11,2 mln.
- PT – 92 212 sq. km; 10,4 mln.

Religion

- 79 % are Roman-Catholics
- Our 2nd religion.... Of course, basketball

Terrain

- Flats – 75 % of territory, Highest peak – 293,83 m.
- Vaalserberg (NL) height is 322.7 m.
- 90 km of sea shore and 3000 lakes

What do we eat?

- Šaltibarščiai – cold beet root soup, served with how potatoes
- Cepelinai – type of dumpling made from potatoes and stuffed with minced meat, although sometimes with cottage cheese
- Šakotis – is a tall in shape, sweet bakery product





Thank you for your attention!



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