



To: Whom it may concern

Dear Sir or Madam,

In the name of the **BEUM Student Association**, an independent, non-government and non-profit organization, I have the great honour to invite students of your honorable University to the third edition of Belgrade Model European Union – BEUM 2013. This is an interactive simulation of the different European Union bodies, enrolling social sciences students from over 30 countries. BEUM 2013 will be held between 17<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> of October 2013 in the premises of the National Assembly of the Republic of Serbia in Belgrade.

This conference will gather nearly 200 students from all over Europe who will take the roles of EU countries' Ministers, MEPs, lobbyists and journalists and, in that way, gain practical knowledge about the EU, as well as develop numerous personal skills.

**17<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> of October 2013**  
**National Assembly of the Republic of Serbia**



**The real EU experience in Belgrade**



### **Unique project in Eastern Europe**

Belgrade is the first city, and Serbia is the first non-EU country in Eastern Europe, in which the Model European Union (MEU) is organized. Our team looked up to students from France and Germany, who have been organizing Model EU in Strasbourg and Mainz for almost a decade. We are proud to say that after two very successful years, our Model EU became one of the largest and most recognized simulations of the European Union in the world.



## BEUM 2013 topics

Apart from providing our participants with valuable knowledge and skills, we tend to introduce them with very current and interesting topics that will be discussed on the simulation. This year, the participants that will be simulating the work of the European Council on BEUM 2013 will be discussing **anti - corruption measures on the Western Balkans**, while the participants in the European Parliament and the Council of the EU will amend two legislative proposals: **Directive on the deployment of alternative fuels infrastructure** and **Regulation establishing a financial instrument for the promotion of the democracy and human rights worldwide**.

**BEUM 2013** offers a valuable educational experience, by being an efficient tool for learning more about the decision making procedures within the EU. Students are given the opportunity to experience theory in practice, which will enable them to better understand the political cooperation as well as the composition of the EU bodies.

**We would be very grateful if you could inform the students of your University about Belgrade Model European Union 2013 and the opportunities it provides. We are looking forward to meeting them in Belgrade in October. The application dates are set between 1<sup>st</sup> of August and 15<sup>th</sup> of September 2013.**

For further information about Belgrade Model European Union 2013, participation fees, accommodation, and other questions, please visit: <http://www.belgrade-meu.org/>. Should you have any questions or inquiries, please do not hesitate to contact me personally, using the contact details provided below.

Yours faithfully,

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