



**"SLOVENIA AND THE CZECH REPUBLIC:
FORGING PARTNERSHIP IN ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY SECTORS",
PRAGUE, 22 SEPTEMBER 2026**

Venue: Ministry of Industry and Trade, Na Františku 32, 110 15 Praha 1

Moderator: TBC

10:30	Registration & refreshments
11:30	Opening of the Business Forum <i>"Slovenia and the Czech Republic: Forging Partnerships in Advanced Technology Sectors"</i>
11:35 –12:00	Addresses by high-level representatives of Slovenia and the Czech Republic • Mr Karel Havlíček, Deputy Prime Minister of the Czech Republic and Minister of Industry and Trade • Dr. Anže Logar, Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Slovenia and Minister of the Economy, Labour and Sports • H.E. Mr Aleš Balut, Ambassador of the Republic of Slovenia to Prague • Mr Rudolf Klepáček, Director General, Czech Business • Mr Ilja Mazánek, Chairman of the Foreign Section, Czech Chamber of Commerce
12:00 –12:40	Business and Investment Opportunities in the Czech Republic and Slovenia • Czech Republic – Mr Alen Novosad, Director Czech Business Slovenia • Slovenia - Ms Nataša Kos, Deputy Director of SPIRIT Slovenia - MSc Marko Novak, Management Board Adviser, Dewesoft d.o.o. Why should we work together?
12:40 –13:00	Presentation of the Slovenian Business Delegation Overview of participating Slovenian companies (companies themselves)
13:00 –14:30	Coffee Break & Networking/B2B