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Invitation

Since 2010 Chamber of Commerce and Industry in Katowice is organizing European Congress of Small and Medium Sized Enterprises. Our event became one of the most significant conferences dedicated to SME sector in Central Europe. Last edition gathered more than 5.500 guests from over 30 countries. It is under the patronage of the Ministry of Economic Development and many other leading administrative and business bodies of Poland.

VII edition of the Congress will take place in Katowice on 18th till 20th of October 2017.

Katowice, as a capital of the most industrialized region of Poland, is well known as a great place to do business. To make it possible the city has financed construction of International Congress Centre in the middle of the Silesian Metropolis (about 2.5mln. habitants). That infrastructure combined with our experience and support of partners allows us to organize great event on international level.

That year we would like to focus on cooperation with several countries among which China is the most important for us.

The New Silk Road creates great opportunities for China and Poland. Poland is an economic leader in Central Europe and it is a perfect partner to start business in Europe. Situated on crossway of two European routes (E-W and S-N) with developed cargo airports (Warsaw and Katowice), Poland is an ideal hub to other European Countries.

As Chinese economy opens for international trade please accept our invitation to take part in SME Congress in Katowice. For Chinese entrepreneurs and supporting organization we prepared a special offer including international B2B sessions (organized by Enterprise Europe Network), dedicated bilateral Forum with workshops and experts meetings, visiting Katowice Special Economic Zone (on the best EZ in Europe). For interested companies we provide visiting R&D centers in the Region of Silesia.

The agenda for Chinese business will be created with assistance of Polish Government and support of the Embassy of Peoples' Republic of China in Poland.

European SME Congress is organized together with City of Katowice, Silesian Marshal Office, Polish Agency for Enterprise Development and Universities.

Participation in Congress is free of charge. For more information about the event please visit our website: www.smecongress.eu.

I remain with most respectful compliments,

President Tadeusz Donocik

Chamber of Commerce and Industry in Katowice

