

SEE Automotive Conference 2026 – THE AGENDA

Hotel Crowne Plaza, Belgrade, Serbia May 12th & 13th, 2026

Day 1: Tuesday, 12.05.2026

08:30h – 09:30h

REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS

The Morning Sessions

Welcome to Belgrade – Centrepont of SEE Mobility Industries

09:30h – 10:00h

Welcome remarks by

Igor Vijatov, Automotive & Mobility Cluster Serbia

Vladimir Tomić, Development Agency of Serbia - RAS

Raymond Tavares, Chief, MSME Development and Job Creation Unit, United Nations Industrial Development Organization – UNIDO

H.E. José Rui Carço, Ambassador of the Republic of Portugal (TBC)

H.E. Eugeniu Osmochescu, Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Moldova

Opening Keynote

10:00h – 10:45h

Dr. Manuel Kallweit, Chief Economist & Head of Economic Intelligence Unit at the **German Association of the Automobile Industry – VDA**, in conversation with **Alexander Markus** from the **Serbian-German Chamber of Commerce (AHK)**

10:45h – 11:15h

Keynote: **Dr. Milan Kumar**, CIO, TEDx Speaker & Best Selling AI Author
Experience the unusual: an innovation leader & new ideas spreader shares insights from the known & less known corners of the mobility industries: Batteries, Humanoid Robots, Drones, Service/Maintenance/Repair, and also AI/Data Monetization and unlocking new revenue streams from Digital Business Models.

11:15h – 12:00h

Deep Dive China

A fireside style conversation on how to work successfully with Chinese automotive partners and on China's new energy vehicles industry:

Richy Qiu, CEO of GNSGO

Athena Wu, Deputy Secretary-General, Intelligent Robot Sub-Association, CAMETA

12:00h – 12:15h

Sponsor Corner: SEEBURGER

12:15h – 14:00h

Lunch Break

14:00h – 14:45h

EV manufacturers drive the Battery Supply -or is it vice versa ?!

Đorđe Eremić (TBC), ElevenEs

-plus one more surprise guest from the regional Battery Industry Players !

Followed by a deep-dive into the Battery Supply Chain 'Big Data Boom' by

Halil Özdemir, - Decode the Future

14:45h – 15:00h

Sponsor Corner: TREETECH

15:00h – 15:15h

Coffee Break

15:15h - 16:00h

The European Automotive Journey

Depart on a journey from Portugal via Slovenia to Moldova -highly experienced industry experts will share with the Western Balkans audience on how their industries found their place on the global automotive trail !

Tanja Mohorič, Automotive Cluster of Slovenia

Miguel Araújo, Portuguese Automotive Cluster

Dan Moraru & Bogdan Gheorghe Afteni, Invest Moldova Agency

16:00h – 16:45h

Visible & Invisible Alliances between OEM's and their TIERS

Dr. Robert Kiml, President, TOYOTA Motor Manufacturing Czech Republic

Artur Schmidt, BROSE Group

20:00h -

Gala Dinner

Day 2: Wednesday 13.05.2026

10:00h – 10:45h

The Morning Keynote

THE YUGO PROJECT: Rebirth of a Brand
Prof. Dr. Aleksandar Bjelić, owner of YUGO Automobile, will tell us how he & his team are working to make the dream of a YUGO Comeback come true !

10:45h – 12:00h

How to become a Supplier of OEM & Tier 1 Corporations ?

International Mobility Corporations will share their insights on how to partner with them:

Predrag Stanković, TEKNIA d.o.o.
Gojko Zalucki, MECAFOR
Aleksa Mančić, PWO Group (TBC)
Danijelo Nedić, ZF Serbia (TBC)

12:00h – 18:00h

B2B Meetings & Lunch

Our traditional & popular B2B Meetings Program will take place parallel to Lunch and reaching into the afternoon, giving you the opportunity to pre-register for one-on-one meeting slots with the conversation partners of your choice. Once you are registered for the SEE Automotive Conference 2026, you will receive an invitation via a weblink to the registration portal !

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