

The Municipal and Regional Focus

# Czech PPP Forum 2008

18<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> June 2008, Hotel Diplomat, Prague, Czech Republic  
Followed by a workshop on PPP project development - 20<sup>th</sup> June  
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The Conference (5th annual) will comprehend recent development in the PPP sector in the territory of CEE, with a natural focus on the Czech Republic. As the biggest gathering of virtually all professionals from both public and private sectors, will try to uphold or even rise its traditionally high level. Like in other years, newest development of existing PPP projects will be discussed, both in Czech and other European countries, as well as changes in legislation, political support and influence, procurement trends, etc. However the main focus of this year's PPP FORUM is clearly **municipal and regional PPP** market, where majority of future PPP projects is envisaged. Municipalities are visibly more flexible and their need for faster development is critical in CEE territory, therefore PPP/PFI can find the way forward with less pain. Numerous municipal projects are emerging already, and more will follow (many of them will be presented at the Conference). Also new innovative ways of financing will be described, namely combining EU funds and PPP, as well as EIB, EBRD and EU joint initiatives JASPERS and JESSICA. Come in June to Prague and benefit from unrivalled networking opportunity in the Czech and CEE boosting PPP market.

## PARTICIPATION FEE:

Prices do not include VAT (19%)

Conference	<input type="checkbox"/>	12 800 Kč
Members of the Czech and Slovak PPP Association	<input type="checkbox"/>	10 800 Kč

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**Payment:** Please fill in this binding application and send it to the registration address indicated below. After sending, you will receive confirmation of registration and a downpayment invoice. Participation in the conference is possible only upon payment of the participation fee. After the conference, you will receive a tax document. The participation fee includes documentation materials, lunch, coffee breaks and cocktail party.

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# CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

## Day I – 18<sup>th</sup> June 2008

**Chair – Marcel Babczynski**, director, Erste Corporate Finance

**I. Conditions for PPP in CR and Europe in 2008, current status of PPP projects in CR, oversight for future**

**Review of “pilot projects” in CR and their assessment, current appetite for PPPs in the Czech Government**

**Kateřina Helikarová**, Head of PPP Unit, Ministry of Finance, CR  
**Vladimír Sloup**, Director, Czech PPP Association  
**Roman Kramařík**, Member of the Board, Czech PPP Association

**II. Lessons learned and new opportunities for PPP in CR (plans vs. reality)**

**PPP in municipalities – acceleration and improvement of municipal development**

**Oldřich Vlasák**, MEP, President of Union of Municipalities CR

**Legal frameworks for PPPs execution - focus on experience**

**Mgr. Josef Hlavička**, lawyer, Havel & Holásek

**Real life is not black and white – tailor made solutions**

**Michal Tesař**, project director, NEWTON Management, Plc.

**Overseas and Czech experience – pros and cons of local PPP projects**

**Jiří Petrák**, director, Mott MacDonald

**III. Legal framework for PPP, public procurement and concessions in CR**

**Concession vs. lease – do you want to avoid concession proceedings?**

**Christian Blatchford**, lawyer, Kocian Solc Balastik

**Selected Aspects of PPP financing in view of recent PPP projects bid procedures**

**Jan Troják**, director, Project Financing, CSOB bank

**Competitive and concession dialogue – way to quality and best added value**

**Milana Chamberlain**, Norton Rose

**IV. Combining EU grants and PPP: Brilliant, challenging or impossible? Examples from abroad, EC perception**

**Current grant administration in CR does not support combining of public and private investments: Need of Urban Development Funds**

**Klára Dostálová**, director, Centre of European Projects, Regional Development Agency

**PPP in Slovakia – status and future outlook**

**Irma Chmelová**, Managing Director, Slovak PPP Association, Bratislava

**Status and potential for PPPs in Balkan states – opportunities also for Czech companies**

**Zoran Jelić**, director, C.R.E.A.M. Europe, Brussels

Cocktail party

## Day II – 19<sup>th</sup> June 2008

**Chair – Milana Chamberlain**, International Managing Partner, Norton Rose

**V. Examples of municipal and regional PPP projects – existing, planned and thought about**

**JESSICA (Joint European Support for Sustainable Investment in City Areas) - an initiative to promote sustainable investments and growth in urban areas**

**Rafal Rybacki, Gianni Carbonara**, JESSICA team, European Investment Bank, Luxembourg

**Partnership of public and private sectors in district of Prague 7 – „Association New Prague 7”**

**Tereza Procházková**, project coordinator, Best Communications

**Upgrading of county hospital in Pardubice**

**Libor Cupal, Jan Prokeš**, Ernst & Young

**Milana Chamberlain**, Norton Rose

**Jan Feřtek**, director of Pardubice hospital

**Development programme of Hradec Králové and use of PPP – lessons learned and new projects**

**Boris Herman**, deputy mayor of Hradec Králové

**Innovative environmental – social project: revitalisation of former military site Velká Hleďsebe: under MISTER international project**

**Karel Zuska**, partner, Holec, Zuska & Partners

**PPP as an option to solution to investment needs of regions – National Sport Centre Morava – case study**

**Karel Kolář**, senior manager, PPP projects, PricewaterhouseCoopers

**Jan Dvořák**, Head of Strategic projects department, Municipality of Ostrava

**PPP projects in transport under development in South Bohemia Region**

**Ivan Študlar**, advisor to Governor of South Bohemia regional government

**Development projects in South Morava region and PPP – way to speed up?**

**Ing. Milan Venclík**, Deputy Governor, South Morava regional government

## Fri 20 June 2008

### PPP Project Development Workshop How to develop PPP project properly

Workshop is primarily intended for municipalities and public sector representatives, who want to learn how the proper PPP project is to be started, developed, communicated, procured, negotiated, controlled and evaluated or rebased.

“There is not an unlimited amount of project types. Whatever complex and difficult your project can be, there is only a limited number of particular situations, and the final project solution is just a combination of properly chosen (and preferably formerly tested) components. Of course, the final mixture can be wrong...”

Cit. Prof. Julian Le Grand, London School of Economics

**Lecturers:**

**Lenka Krutáková**, Wolf Theiss, Prague

**Jan Kincl**, Facility Ltd.