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Moderators:

- Mr. Ryszard Frelek, Program Officer, Section for Central European and Baltic States and Mediterranean Countries (CEBSMC), Division for Transition and Developed Countries (TDC), World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), Geneva – Onsite Moderation
- Ms. Milica Petrović Njogoš, Senior Adviser, Department for Intellectual Property, Directorate for Internal Market and Competition, Ministry of Economic Development and Tourism, Government of Montenegro, Podgorica

9.00 – 9.15 **OPENING CEREMONY**

Welcome addresses by:

Ms. Jasna Vujović, General Director, Directorate for Internal Market and Competition, Ministry of Economic Development and Tourism, Government of Montenegro, Podgorica

Mr. Habip Asan, Director, TDC, WIPO

9.15 – 11.30 **Innovation and Creativity in Montenegro**

Speakers: Ms. Aleksandra Mugoša, Acting General Director, Directorate for Scientific Research Activity, Ministry of Science, Government of Montenegro, Podgorica

Ms. Bojana Femić, Director, Innovation Fund of Montenegro, Podgorica

Prof. Dr. Milena Đukanović, Electro-technical Faculty, University of Montenegro, Podgorica

11.30 – 11.45 **The Role of Intellectual Property in Fostering Innovation Ecosystem**

Speaker: Mr. Habip Asan

11.45 – 12.00 Coffee Break

12.00 – 12.30 **WIPO Support for the Development of the Montenegro Intellectual Property Strategy**

Speaker: Mr. Ryszard Frelek

12.30 – 13.15 **The Montenegro Intellectual Property Strategy 2023-2026**

Speakers: Professor Slobodan Marković, Faculty of Law, University of Belgrade

The Representative of the Ministry of Economic Development and Tourism, Podgorica (tbc)

13.15 – 13.45 Questions and Answers

13.45 – 14.00 **CLOSING CEREMONY**

14.00 Lunch

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