



15 – 17 October 2018

Prague Castle, Prague, Czech Republic

Main theme: Belt and Road Initiative – Opportunities and Challenges in 16+1 Cooperation

Organizers: Czech China Chamber of Cooperation
China Economic Cooperation Center (CECC)
International Cooperation Center, NDRC

Supported by: Secretariat for Cooperation between China and Central and Eastern European Countries (16+1)

Auspices: Miloš Zeman, President of the Czech Republic (TBC)

Format: China and Central and Eastern European Countries (16+1)

Participants: up to 500 in total

PRC guests: up to 250 in total

PRC official delegation, NDRC, MFA, MOFCOM delegations
1+5 per institution (up to 25 guests in total)

PRC official regional delegations
Beijing, Shanghai, Zhejiang, Hebei
1+5 per institution (up to 25 guests in total)

Business delegations of event general partners representatives
CITIC Group (up to 50 guests in total)
PPF Group (up to 50 guests in total)

PRC regional business delegations
Up to 100 guests in total (up to 50 NDRC guests, up to 50 CECC guests)

non-CZ CEEC guests: up to 150 guests in total

Official delegation
1+2 (including Embassy representative)
Each CEE country up to 3 guests in total

Business delegation

Each CEE country up to 7 guests in total

The organizers guarantee the possibility to register 10 participants by 30 September 2018. If the capacity is not full by this date, the organizers have final discretion to re-distribute the remaining places.

Czech guests:**up to 100 in total**

Political representatives (President, MPs, Members of Czech Government, Czech partner region, city and town representatives)
Representatives of ministries and other institutions (e.g. CzechTrade, CzechInvest, CzechTourism, Czech Chamber of Commerce, Confederation of Industry of the Czech Republic etc.)

CIF 2018 Partners

Selected companies (members of the Chamber and other companies)

CIF partners:**General partners**

CITIC Group

PPF Group

Main partners (TBC):

International Alliance of Silk Road Digital Economy Industries

Bank of China

Huawei

Škoda Auto

Partners (TBC):

Czech Chamber of Commerce

Deloitte

Prague Airport

Media:

TBC

Working languages:

Czech, Chinese, English

Simultaneous interpreting

Accommodation for foreign guests:

Organizers will arrange accommodation for foreign guests in the official CIF hotels (typically 2 nights, 15 - 17 October 2018) based on the demand stated in the online registration.

The participants choose their preferred hotel (up to its capacity) in the registration.

The participant shall send the whole accommodation fee via a bank transfer to the bank account of the Chamber or designated production company. The fee depends on the selected and confirmed hotel and shall be sent by 30 September 2018.

If the participant fails to pay the accommodation fee in advance, the registration will be automatically voided. You can cancel your registration free of charge by 30 September 2018. The cancel fee is 100 % afterwards.

The following guests do not need to pay the accommodation fee: the protocollary highest representative of the PRC (1 person), the protocollary highest non-Czech CEE representative (1 person), panel speakers.

The organizers do not arrange accommodation for Czech guests meaning they do not need to pay any accommodation fee.

CIF 2018 official hotels:

InterContinental Prague

Maximum capacity 50 rooms

Price per person/night, breakfast included: 185 EUR (15 % VAT included)

Total accommodation fee: 370 EUR

Corinthia Hotel Prague

Maximum capacity 250 rooms

Price per person/night, breakfast included: 160 EUR (15 % VAT included)

Total accommodation fee: 320 EUR

Registration:

start: 27th August 2018

deadline: 30th September 2018

<https://account.czechchina.com/events/CIF2018>

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Monday 15 October 2018

during the day **arrivals, accommodation, individual programme**

CIF participants arrange the transfer between the airport and their hotel themselves.

VIP participants shall have their transport, including VIP Continental Airport Lounge service, between the airport and hotel arranged by the organizers.

The organizers do not arrange hotel transfer if the guest arrives by the train or car.

Liaisons officers will accompany only VIP foreign delegations.

Transfer to CIF venues will be arranged with the help of busses and minibuses.

VIP delegations have limos at their disposal during the whole event.

19:00 – 21:30

Welcome reception for foreign guests

Czernin Palace / Ministry of the Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic
Hosted by the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic
up to 450 guests in total

Tuesday 16 October 2018

9:00 – 9:45

CIF 2018 Gala Opening
Spanish Hall of the Prague Castle

9:45 – 10:00

Coffee break

10:00 – 12:00

PANEL DISCUSSIONS I.

Topic 1:
Digital Economy

Topic 2:
Agriculture and Food Industry

12:00 – 13:30

Buffet lunch for CIF participants
the Broad Corridor

13:30 – 15:30

PANEL DISCUSSIONS II.

Topic 3:
Financial Cooperation and Banking

Topic 4:

Cooperation Projects within the Belt and Road Initiative

- 16:00 – 18:00** **individual programme**
- 19:00 – 21:00** **Gala Dinner held under the auspices of Miloš Zeman, President of the Czech Republic (TBC)**
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Wednesday 17 October 2018

- 9:00 – 11:00** **Roundtable for media and think-tank representatives (TBC)**
Venue: TBC
up to 50 persons in total
- 9:00 – 11:30** **B2B meeting**
ZIBA building
up to 200 persons in total
- 11:30 – 13:00** **Lunch for B2B participants**
buffet
ZIBA building
- During the day:** **Departures**