

May is all about one thing - the Macedonia2025 Summit.

With just days to go, we are preparing to welcome leaders from across business, policy, innovation and the global diaspora to Skopje for our flagship event. Tickets are almost sold out, so if you haven't secured your spot yet - now is the time.

Beyond the Summit, this edition also highlights the 2026 Diaspora Recognition recipients, the upcoming Swedish–Macedonian Business Forum in Stockholm, and key insights on diaspora engagement. We also look back at a dynamic April, from the LEADER Project to regional Science Fairs inspiring hundreds of students.

Whether you are joining us at the Summit, connecting internationally, or engaging with our programs - scroll down and be part of what's ahead. 📌

Summit 2026

The Countdown Is On



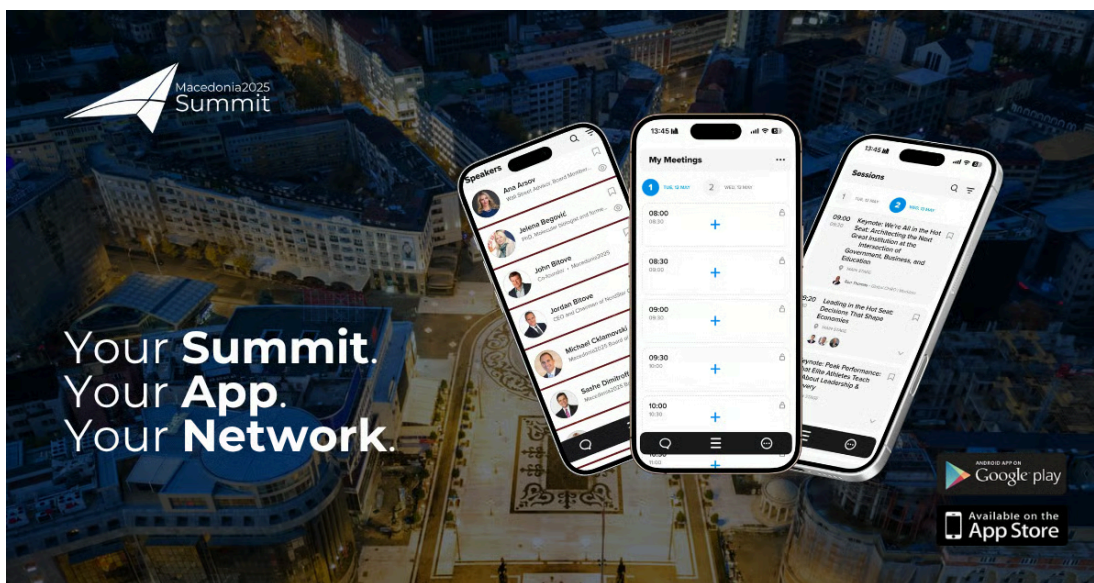
The [Macedonia2025 Summit](#) is just around the corner!

On 12–13 May 2026, at the Skopje Marriott Hotel, we will bring together global business leaders, entrepreneurs, policymakers, investors, innovators and members of the diaspora for two days of high-level dialogue, strategic insights and meaningful connections.

Explore the Agenda, Speakers and Partners

Summit 2026

What to expect?



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28 international speakers

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An official Summit app - your networking companion

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4 dedicated networking events

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9 side events

[Get Your Ticket](#)

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Limited Seats

Secure your ticket now!

95% TICKETS SOLD

<p>REGULAR TICKET</p> <p>362 EUR</p> <p>2-day Summit sessions and Party included</p>	<p>VIP TICKET</p> <p>469 EUR</p> <p>2-day Summit sessions, Party and VIP Reception included</p>
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[LOCK IN YOUR TICKET +](#)

Recognition for Diaspora Contribution 2026

Celebrating Diaspora Leaders Who Give Back

Macedonia2025, in cooperation with the Cabinet of the President of Macedonia, is proud to announce the recipients of the Diaspora Recognition for Contribution 2026.

This year's recipients represent the strength, excellence, and commitment of the Macedonian diaspora across the world.

MACEDONIA 2025 in cooperation with the Cabinet of the President of Macedonia

RECIPIENTS OF THE Recognition for Diaspora Contribution 2026

<p>Dr. Ichak Kalderon Adizes Founder, CEO Adizes Institute Global Headquarters (USA)</p>	<p>Elizabeth Naumovski Senior Financial Executive & Producer/Host of Empowered (Canada)</p>	<p>Antonijo Trepvski Co-founder and Co-owner of Språkservice Sverige AB (Sweden)</p>
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Building Bridges Between Macedonia and Sweden



Join business leaders, innovators, diaspora professionals, and companies from Sweden and Macedonia to build meaningful partnerships and unlock new opportunities.

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📅 May 21, 2026

📍 Stockholm, Sweden (van der Nootska Palatset)

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Insight of the Month

Business Location: Framework, Performance, and Recommendations

Follow us for more insights and updates! Read the full report [HERE](#).

BUSINESS LOCATION

Framework, Performance, and Recommendations

61.47 ↑ Up from 55.68 in 2024
+5.79 POINTS YEAR-ON-YEAR
Business Location Score

Macedonia ranks **8th** among **9 selected peers**.
The gap to the top performers is **18 points**.

🇯🇪 Georgia	79.51
🇷🇸 Serbia	74.66
🇧🇬 Bulgaria	69.97
🇦🇹 Croatia	68.25
🇷🇴 Romania	67.2
🇸🇮 Slovenia	66.62
🇲🇳 Montenegro	61.67
🇲🇰 Macedonia	61.47
🇸🇦 Bosnia	58.11

Source: World Bank

Swipe for reforms >

WHAT NEEDS TO CHANGE?

Good regulations. **Poor digital follow-through**. The public services gap is holding **Macedonia** back.

PRIORITY REFORMS

- 📄 DIGITALIZE PERMITS
- 🔗 CONNECT PUBLIC SYSTEMS
- 📄 TRANSPARENT ENVIRONMENTAL PERMITS
- ⚖️ PUBLISH GENDER-DISAGGREGATED DATA

Closing these gaps means **lower costs** for businesses, **faster processes**, and a **more competitive** climate for investment and job creation.

April Highlights

Empowering Leaders and Inspiring Young Scientists

18. Business and Entrepreneurship Development Training: The Leader Project



Through interactive sessions, case studies and teamwork, 26 participants strengthened their skills in marketing, strategy, finance and business planning.

The program connects international knowledge with local talent and supports the next generation of leaders.

Read more about the Leader Project [HERE](#).

Two Regional Science Fairs: Kicevo and Sveti Nikole



In April, Macedonia2025 organized two regional Science Fairs as part of the “Science and Me” Johnson Matthey community impact program, bringing together over 80 student presenters and 400+ attendees, including peers, teachers and community members.

The fairs created a dynamic space for students to present experiments, share ideas and engage with science in a hands-on way.

Read more about the Regional Science Fairs [HERE](#).

Ss. Cyril and Methodius University in Skopje Diaspora Survey

We Invite You to Take Part in the Survey

Каде и да сте,
ТАТКОВИНАТА
е со вас

- Споделете го вашето мислење
- Пополнете ја анкетата (8-12 минути)

ПОПОЛНЕТЕ СЕГА →

Вашиот глас помага да се создадат подобри можности и посилна врска со татковината.

*Победили. Учествовалие.
За градили иднината заедно!*

Macedonia2025 is supporting University of Ss. Cyril and Methodius in Skopje Institute for Sociological, Political and Juridical Research in collecting responses for a diaspora survey that builds on the Macedonia2025 Diaspora Survey conducted this summer.

The survey explores diaspora connections with the homeland and opportunities for contribution through knowledge, investment and professional cooperation.

Complete the survey [HERE](#) and help shape stronger diaspora policies.

Step in where it matters

Explore the open calls, apply to a program, join as a mentor or company on the MK2025 platform, or support our donation campaign for the Oncology Clinic. Each action helps turn opportunity into impact.

Support Macedonia2025

Contribute to programs advancing education, entrepreneurship, and diaspora engagement.

Become a MK2025 Mentor

Guide students and young professionals through real mentorship and opportunity.



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