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**Ljubljana Airport** (approx. 117km - 1h15min)  
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**INVITATION**  
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# BSBF

**Big Science Business Forum** is a business oriented congress, focused on high technology and innovation with the aim to be the main meeting point between Research Infrastructures and industry in Europe.

In **2024** Italy will host the third edition of the event in the city of **Trieste**, after the success of the previous editions in Copenhagen and Granada, where more than 1.000 delegates from more than 500 organisations and 30 countries gathered together to discuss the future prospects of the Big Science Market.

This is a unique opportunity for European businesses and organizations to be fully informed and get involved in calls and competitions for a total budget of Billion per year managed directly by international **Big Science Organizations**, under specific rules and procedures.

**The conference is co-organised directly by those Big Science Organizations**

- European Organization for Nuclear Research (**CERN**)
- European Space Agency (**ESA**)
- European Southern Observatory (**ESO**)
- European Spallation Source (**ESS**)
- European Synchrotron Radiation Facility (**ESRF**)
- European X-Ray Free Electron Laser (**European XFEL**)
- Facility for Antiproton and Ion Research in Europe (**FAIR**)
- Fusion for Energy (**F4E**)
- Institut Laue-Langevin (**ILL**)
- Square Kilometre Array Observatory (**SKAO**)

in collaboration with **PERIIA**, the **Pan-European Network of national ILO - Industry Liaison Officers**.

The winning candidature for hosting BSBF 2024 in Italy has been promoted by **Autonomous Region of Friuli Venezia Giulia, ILO Network Italia** (composed by Italian ILO from CNR, ENEA, INAF and INFN), **Area Science Park** of Trieste and **PromoTurismoFVG**.

**In BSBF Trieste 2024 you will have the chance to:**

- Learn about procurement opportunities, within a wide range of business areas and technologies;
- Meet representatives from BSOs in person, their key suppliers and experts on new technologies;
- Get insight into procurement rules, IPRs, standards and how businesses can interplay with the Big Science Market from an industrial perspective;
- Take part in the SME Track, designed to boost the visibility of Small and Medium Enterprises as key stakeholders for business in the Big Science market;
- Select and know new Affiliated Big Science Organizations (ABSOs) in order to provide new opportunities for collaboration between European research and industrial system;
- Improve socio-economic factors, such as training, career opportunities and women involvement in Big Science;
- Pitch your technologies and explore business opportunities in the new Technology Transfer Track in order to develop a real Big Science Common Market;
- Showcase your company's expertise and potential for the development of Big Science market by participating in sponsorship and in open exhibition area;
- Networking and establish long lasting partnerships via business-to-business meetings (B2B), business-to-customer meetings (B2C) and in open exhibition area reserved to BSOs and companies .

**Networking** is a key pillar in BSBF, where delegates will be able to pre-arrange B2B with representatives from BSOs, industry or other institutions. This will be possible thanks to the commitment of the member organisations, who will be present with their maximum authorities, procurement teams and technical staff. The event also includes an industrial exhibition, with more than 120 stands available to European industry and other international stakeholders.