

PROGRAM
VISIT OF SLOVENIAN BUSINESS DELEGATION (MEDICAL DEVICES,
ACCESSORIES, AND NEW MATERIALS)
TO MINNESOTA AND OHIO
(NOVEMBER 1-7 2022)

Tuesday, Nov 1:

Arrival to Minneapolis/St.Paul

Meeting with the Honorary Consul of the Republic of Slovenia and businessman Miro Medved

Discussion with the leadership of the Ministry of Development and Chamber of Commerce of Minnesota

Wednesday, Nov 2:

Participation at the Expo Medical Design & Manufacturing (MD&M) and Medtech Week, Minneapolis Convention Center, 2nd Avenue South 1301, Minneapolis, MN

<https://www.mddionline.com/medical-design-manufacturing-mdm-minneapolis-2022>

Meeting at the Office of the Governor of Minnesota (tbc)

Thursday, Nov 3:

Participation at the Expo Medical Design & Manufacturing (MD&M) and Medtech Week, Minneapolis Convention Center, 2nd Avenue South 1301, Minneapolis, MN

Networking with companies

Friday, Nov 4 :

Visit to 3M Innovation Center, 2350 Minnehaha Ave E, St Paul, MN <https://www.3m.com>

Visit to Medtronic medical technology, services, and solutions company

710 Medtronic Parkway Minneapolis, MN, <https://www.medtronic.com/us-en/index.html>

OPTION 2 (if of interest): MedTec, <https://minnesotamedtec.com>

Saturday, Nov 5.

Mayo Clinic, Rochester (visit to the Clinic, the Museum, and meeting with the Slovenian company Mikropis at the Mayo Clinic)

Sunday, Nov 6:

Morning flight to Cleveland

Monday, Nov 7:

Visit to the Consulate General of the Republic of Slovenia in Cleveland

Business Conference – att. deputy Director JobsOhio, Deputy Minister for Economic Development Ohio, Program Director TeamNeo, MuchLaw Chicago (Urska Magajne), Director of Global Business Center at Monte Ahuja College of Business at the Cleveland

State University, others. Topics: Export and International Engagement, Presentations on macroeconomic situation in Ohio, Concrete Demands of products and services in Ohio, Regulations of entering the US market)

<https://www.jobsohio.com/programs-services/innovation/innovation-districts/>

<https://www.linkedin.com/company/team-neo>

<https://business.csuohio.edu/global/global>

Reception/dinner – taste of Slovenian culinary and wines

Networking and B2B meetings (will be set after knowing which Slovenian companies and profiles will attend)

Afternoon visit to Akron Biomedical Corridor

https://www.akronohio.gov/cms/biomedical_corridor/index.html

Visit to Austen BioInnovation Institute (ABIA)

Meeting with Deputy Mayor, Director of Chamber of Commerce Akron

Tuesday, Nov 8:

Flight to Slovenia

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