



ISSBS's preparation for the Open days 2009/2010

As a part of its preparation for the Open days 2009/2010, the International School for Social and Business Studies (ISSBS) participated in the meeting of secondary school advisors of Celje region, which took place on 22 January 2009.



ISSBS has been preparing for the Open days 2009/2010 in various ways. In addition to visiting secondary schools of Celje region where ISSBS's study programmes were presented to prospective students, the faculty also organised the second meeting of secondary school advisors of Celje region.

Associate deans for education, pred. Suzana Košir and pred. mag. Valerij Dermol, informed school advisors about ISSBS's study programmes carried out in the

academic year 2009/2010, the number of places available for first-year students and the application procedure. They devoted a lot of their time to the changes brought by the Bologna process, its key components and the method of its implementation in the higher education system. They represented the most important changes of the Bologna reform of higher education, namely the homogenisation of 3-level studies and the European Transfer Credit System (ECTS). They also emphasised the dilemmas of shorter studies and employment opportunities after completed first level studies.

Ms. Edita Čebela, representative of secondary school advisors, emphasised the importance of understanding the Bologna reform and the characteristics of Bologna programmes, since it will only be possible to enrol in Bologna study programmes in the academic year 2009/2010.

