## INVITATION

"SILAFEST", The College of Tourism and the Tourist Organisation of Veliko Gradiste have a pleasure to invite you to the round table with the topic: "*The Protected Natural Values of the Danube Basin parts in Serbia and its Ecotourism Potentials*", held on Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> September 2009, at 12 a.m., in the stateroom of Veliko Gradiste Town hall.

The general programme of the round table will contain the following presentations:

- "The Network of Protected Natural Resources on the River Danube the Opportunities for the Development of Local Self-Government" Biljana Panjkovic, PhD, the Institute for Nature Protection of Novi Sad
- "The Birds of the Danube Basin" Nikola Stojnic, the Institute for Nature Protection of the Republic of Serbia
- "Mammal Fauna of the Danube Basin and its Potentials for the Development of Eco-Tourism" - Vladan Bjedov, the Institute for Nature Protection of the Republic of Serbia
- "The Facilities of Geo-Heritage of the Danube Basin and the Conditions for Geo-Tourism Development" – Srdjan Belij, MSc, the Institute for Nature Protection of the Republic of Serbia; Marija Belij, the Faculty of Geography, Belgrade
- "Sustainable Development as a Strategic Orientation and Commitment" Ivan Jojkic, BSc, spatial planner, the People's Office of the President of the Republic of Serbia
- Presentations of the works of students and other participants
- Discussion and Conclusions
- Lunch

Mr. Carlo Manzzano, the director of Austrian National Park "Donau-Auen" will also give his contribution to the round table on this occasion as special guest of the Festival.

We kindly invite you to participate in the realisation of this round table and to contribute to the successful exchange of knowledge and experiences in this field.