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Guest of Honour **Canada**



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Dear Minister Simoniti,

The postponement of the Guest of Honour appearances is an event unprecedented in the history of the Frankfurter Buchmesse. We are very impressed that three countries have succeeded in taking this step in an act of solidarity towards Canada.

I would like to thank you very much for your cooperation and the decision to postpone your Guest of Honour appearance. This would not have been possible without your commitment and your goodwill. I would also like to express my deepest gratitude to Renata Zamida and the effective and professional cooperation with the Slovenian Book Agency.

Now we are confidently looking forward to the preparations and I look forward to welcoming the great literature and culture of Slovenia to the Frankfurter Buchmesse in 2023.

I would very much like to be able to meet you in person for the foreseeable future. For this reason, I will soon inform you about my travel plans to Slovenia and hope very much to find a common date.

Thank you once again for your support.

Yours sincerely

Juergen Boos
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