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MARKETING OF THE CONFERENCE DESTINATION

Assessing the potential and conditions for the development of conference activity in a town

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Setting objectives

Conferences and events as strategic factors in development

- Why invest in the conference market
- Size and characteristics
- Trends

Conference demand

- Client segmentation
- Client requirements

Analysis of supply of events services in the town

- Existing conference centres and meeting rooms
- Hotels
- Transport network
- Professional skills
- Options for social activities and leisure time
- Internal demand
- The destination as perceived by clients
 - Interviews with national PCOs
 - Interviews with local PCOs

Competitors

- Regional competition
- National competition
- International competition
- Setting achievable objectives
 - SWOT analyses
 - Scenarios

The strategic player: the Convention Bureau

- Functions, objectives, company structure
- Recommendations on operational structure
- Budget projections

Conclusions