

FIELD EXCURSION OF CZECH SOCIETY OF SOIL SCIENCE AND SOCIETAS PEDOLOGICA SLOVACA TO SLOVENIA

Monday, June 16, 2025

- Travel to Ljubljana, meeting with Dr. Blaž Repe president of Slovenian Soil Science Society.
- Ljubljana sightseeing - guided tour through the Ljubljana city centre.

Tuesday, June 17, 2025 – Soils of Slovenian Istria olive grow

Guided by Dr. Borut Vrščaj Faculty of Environmental Protection

- Observation and discussion of soil profiles; Seča, olive grow, (Calcaric Cambisols, olive grow).
- Visit to Sečovelje Salina Nature Park, Piranske soline salt panning (Salt affected soils, salt pans).
- Visit to town Piran

Wednesday, June 18, 2025 – Soils of Pokljuka Plateau

Guided by Dr. T. Kralj and Dr. A. Marinšek from Slovenian Forestry Institute;

- Observation and discussion of soil profiles (Podsol, Luvic Cambisols and Leptosol, forest)
- Hike to mountain pasture Planina Zajavornik, presentation of work on mountain pasture
- Visit to Bled town and lake

Thursday, June 19, 2025 – Soils of Karst Plateau

Guided by Biotechnical Faculty, Dr. Helena Grčman and Dr. Rok Turniški

- Observation and discussion of soil profiles (Chromic Cambisols)
- Visit to Škocjan Cave

Friday, June 20, 2025 – Soils of hop plantations – Savinja valley

Guided by the Slovenian Institute for Hop Research and Brewing (IHPS), MSc Matej Knapič

- Observation and discussion of soil profiles (Eutric Cambisols, hop plantation)
- Visit to IHPS
- Travel to Bratislava and Brno