

# **TOWARDS REGIONAL INTEGRATION OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANCY EDUCATION IN THE WESTERN BALKAN COUNTRIES**

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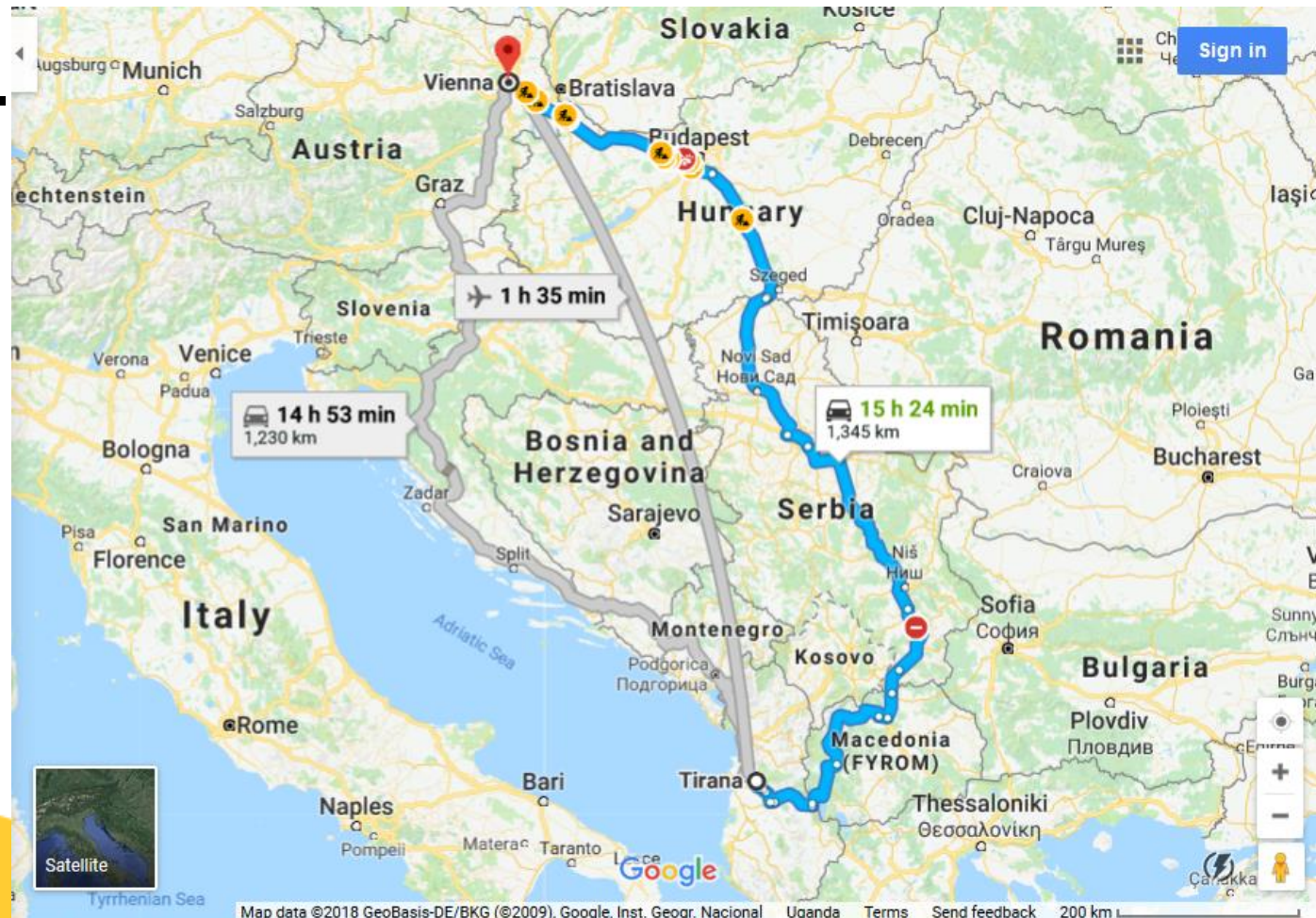
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*Map of Africa showing the EAC countries in green*

East African Community is an intergovernmental organization composed of six countries: Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania, and Uganda.

Founded in the year 2000

Headquarters: Arusha, Tanzania

Largest city: Dar es Salaam

Population: 168.8 mn (2016 est)

GDP (PPP): USD 472 bn (2016 est)



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# ABOUT ICPAU

The **Institute of Certified Public Accountants of Uganda** (ICPAU) was established by an Act of Parliament in 1992, now The Accountants Act, 2013 to;

- Regulate and maintain the Standard of Accountancy in Uganda;
- Prescribe and regulate the conduct of accountants and practising accountants in Uganda.

# ABOUT ICPAU - Cont'd



- Founding members of the Pan African Federation of Accountants.
- Founding Board members of PAFA (2011)
- Current Board members of PAFA (2017 – 2019) representing the Eastern Africa region.

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# EXPERIENCE SHARING



- The East African Community Institutes of Accountancy (EACIA) – history, benefits/achievements and challenges.
- Education initiatives in the African region.
- Regional Integration of Professional Accountancy Education - Topic and Issues for further consideration.

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# EXPERIENCE SHARING

- Discussion
- Questions & Answers

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