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Slovak National Museum

9th ŽIVA AWARD 2023 – DRAFT PROGRAMME

Monday, 2 October 2023

Venue: Slovak National Museum (SNM) – Natural History Museum, Vajanského nábr. 2

14.00 – 18.00	Registration of the participants
16.00 – 18.00	Jury meeting (only for the Jury)
18.00 – 20.00	Cocktail in the Museum Greeting words

Tuesday, 3 October 2023

Venue: Slovak National Museum (SNM) – Museum of History, Bratislava Castle Winter Riding Hall (Zimná jazdiareň)

8.30 – 11.00	Registration of the participants
9.00 – 9.30	Opening of the 9 th ŽIVA Award- Inaugural Addresses <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Branislav Panis, Director General of the Slovak National Museum- Andreja Rihter, Director of the Forum of Slavic Cultures- Radoslav Ragač, Director General, Ministry of Culture of the Slovak Republic- Guests of Honor- Myroslav Kastran, Ambassador of Ukraine in Bratislava- Stanislav Raščan, Ambassador of the Republic of Slovenia in Bratislava
9.30 – 11.00	Keynote presentations: Moderator: Branislav Panis, SNM <ul style="list-style-type: none">- <i>Cultural Museums in the 21st Century</i> Cecilia Rokusek, CEO, National Czech & Slovak Museum and Library, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, USA- <i>The Road to the new National Museum</i> Michal Lukeš, Director General, National Museum, Czech Republic, Prague
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee Break
11.30 – 13.00	The Živa Award open Forum I Elia Vlachou (Greece), President of the Jury ŽIVA Award 2023 1ST SESSION: moderator Neda Knežević (Serbia) member of the Jury ŽIVA Award 2023 Presentations Maritime Heritage Interpretation Center DUBoak, Croatia Velenje Museum, Slovenia

	<p>Museum of Coal Mining Senjski Rudnik, Serbia Museum Říčany, Czech Republic</p> <p>2ND SESSION: moderator Pavel Douša (Czech), member of the Jury Živa Award 2023 Presentations NI National Gallery of the Republic of North Macedonia Ars Aevi museum of contemporary art Sarajevo, B&H Art Gallery "Nadežda Petrović" Čačak, Serbia Regional Museum Ptuj – Ormož, Slovenia</p>
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch Break
14.00 – 18.00	<p>The ŽIVA Award open Forum II</p> <p>3RD SESSION: moderator Lidija Nikočević (Croatia), member of the Jury ŽIVA Award 2023 Vasil Levski Museum – town of Karlovo, Bulgaria Museum of Emigration from Slovakia to North America, Slovakia Cultural Centre Krško, unit Rajhenburg Castle, Slovenia Central Bohemian Museum in Roztoky u Prahy, Czech Republic Heritage Museum Benkovac, Croatia</p> <p>4TH SESSION : moderator Gordan Nikolov (North Macedonia), member of the Jury Živa Award 2023 National Museum Vranje, Serbia City Museum of Rijeka, Croatia Local museum of Pljevlja, Montenegro National Museum in Leskovac, Serbia</p> <p>Svetla Dimitrova, ETAR Museum – winner Živa Award for the best Heritage Site 10th ŽIVA Award 2024</p>
<i>Venue: Slovak National Museum – Museum of History, Bratislava Castle</i>	
19.00 – 21.00	Cocktail

Wednesday, 4 October 2023

Venue: Slovak National Museum – Museum of History, Bratislava Castle Winter Riding Hall (Zimná jazdiareň)

8.30 – 14.00	Registration and information
9.00 – 10.30	<p>Connections: Museums facing crisis in war Moderator: Andreja Rihter (Slovenia), Member of the Jury ŽIVA Award 2023:</p> <p>Olha Honchar, Director, Memorial Museum of Totalitarian Regimes “Territories of Terror”, Lviv, Ukraine</p>
10.30 – 11.30	<p>Presentations of nominated Ukrainian museums offline:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Khmelnytskyi Art Museum - Ivan Franko Museum + museum market - Yavornytskyi Historical Museum (Dnipro) + museum market
11.30 – 11.50	Coffee Break

11.50 – 13.00	Presentations of nominated Ukrainian museums online: - Museum Shevchenkivkii gai - Kharkiv Historical Museum - Odesa Art Museum - Kmytiv Art Museum
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch Break
<i>Venue: Slovak National Museum – Museum of History, Bratislava Castle (tbc)</i>	
14.00 – 16.00	Marketplace: Promote & Connect
19.00 – 20.00	Živa Award Ceremony with special Invitations
20.00 – 22.00	Reception
Thursday, 5 October 2023	
Full-day Excursion:	Outside of Bratislava Bojnice Castle (SNM – Museum Bojnice Castle)
Museums in Bratislava	Free programme with special lectures: - Slovak National Museum - Slovak National Gallery - Museum of City Bratislava - Slovak Technical Museum – Museum of Transportation
	Departure of participants

The conference will be held in English and Slovak.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please fill out the [online registration form](#) if you would like to join Živa Award 2023 Programme in Bratislava, Slovakia.

ŽIVA 2023 PARTICIPATION FEE

FEE for museums from Slovakia: 50€ (except SNM)

**FEE for the FSK members: 20€*

FEE for non-FSK members: 70€

ŽIVA 2023 NOMINEES that are not FSK members FEE: 50€

****The FSK Membership includes:***

- *50% discount on International Colloquium Piranova*
- *invitation as a guest speaker at Golden Villa Programme 2023-2024*
- *special promotion on FSK social media*
- *etc, our website*

The Živa 2023 FEE includes:

- participation at all events within the Živa Award programme,
- Živa Award (catalogue, programme ...) and other materials,
- Marketplace: Promotional “desk” / stand for each applied museum,
- Coffee breaks,
- Lunch breaks (3 October 2023, 4 October 2023),
- Cocktail (2 October 2023),
- Cocktail (3 October 2023),
- Reception (4 October 2023),
- Full day guided excursion incl. lunch (5 October 2023).

Bank Account for Transferring Participant's Payment

Please, transfer the payment to the following bank account and send the copy of the bank transfer receipt to the **Forum of Slavic Cultures** to Katarina Bogataj, e-mail: katarina.bogataj@fsk.si.

Account holder: Slovak National Museum

Account IBAN: SK35 8180 0000 0070 0024 3944

SWIFT: SPSRSKBA

Travel tip

For those unable to reach Bratislava directly by plane, we recommend arriving at Vienna Airport as an alternative. Considering the convenient and cost-effective journey from Vienna to Bratislava, we suggest utilizing public transportation.

Please find detailed information about the journey from Vienna Airport to the centre of Bratislava here:

https://www.omio.com/app/search-frontend/results/L82D4A30A427C44F395C40DBB1B6D7347/bus?locale=en&_gl=1*12n7k0r* up*MQ..&gclid=CjwKCAjw2K6lBhBXEiwA5RjtCToQeQP04so wxkn6uajrpKwliU8BwFFp0wuV6Zw7EEJYKXkzDTVh2hoC0xAQAvD BwE

Hotel Accommodation

Hotel Tatra boasts a prime location in the heart of Bratislava, with the city center just a short stroll away (approximately 20 minutes at a leisurely pace) from the iconic Bratislava Castle. Conveniently, the hotel is only 50 meters away from a trolley stop, providing a direct line to the castle for added accessibility.

Address: Námestie 1. mája 5, 811 06 Bratislava: <https://hoteltatra.sk/>

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Tel: +421 2 592 72 111

Parking costs 18,-EUR / night for the hotel guests.

Hotel Ibis is set below Bratislava Castle the Ibis Bratislava Centrum is only a 5-minute walk from the historic quarter.

Address: Zamocka Ul. 38, Bratislava

Book online or call: +1 469-610-3608

https://www.questreservations.com/ibis-bratislava-centrum/booking?gclid=Cj0KCQjwnrmlBhDHARIsADJ5b_nCMu5Bjtnv43QdSN3ralktWsCDhOJu5v8hXkna9bHXRf3c9VL7uN4aAqn-EALw_wcB

You are at liberty to select an accommodation of your preference and requirements beyond the suggestions provided.

Full-day excursion outside of Bratislava

5 October 2023

SNM – Museum Bojnice (castle)

Bojnice Castle is one of the oldest and most important monuments in Slovakia. It stands on a travertine mound above the city. The first written record of the castle dates back to 1113 – the deed of the Zobor Abbey. Bojnice Castle was originally a wooden castle, an upgrade of the former hillfort. Over the course of the 13th century, the castle was rebuilt in stone by the Poznań family.



The inhabitants of the castle certainly knew about the existence of the cave – it probably served as a shelter in times of danger as well as a water reservoir. However, it was rediscovered only in 1888, when the castle well was being cleaned and repaired during the last renovation. The cave was first opened to the public in 1967.

The Bojnice Castle is surrounded by a landscape park. Originally, it was supposed to be a romantic park with various attractions, old romantic ruins, etc. Like any such park, it did not end with a wall, but “flowed” freely into the landscape and between the adjacent houses.

The earliest records of gardeners at the Bojnice Castle date back to 1910. The park is a home to several rare species of trees.



<https://bojnicecastle.sk/en/bojnice-castle/>

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Slovak National Museum

The Slovak National Museum (Slovak: Slovenské národné múzeum) holds a paramount role as a leading institution in Slovakia, dedicated to scientific research and cultural education in the field of museology. It traces its roots back to the aspirations of the Slovak nation for national emancipation and self-determination.

While its headquarters are situated in Bratislava, the Slovak National Museum oversees a network of 18 specialized museums, the majority of which are located beyond the city boundaries.

