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organize

12th International Balkan Education and Science Congress

on the topic of

EDUCATION FOR LIFE, WORK AND WELL-BEING

September 28 – 30 2017

Nessebar, Bulgaria

FIRST CALL

Balkan annual educational forums take their rightful place in the topology of the European Research Area and represent themselves as unique intellectual “playgrounds”, where scientists, experts, educators from different countries have the opportunity to discuss the most important topics and issues in the field of modern education. The organizers of the upcoming scientific forum have the ambition to prepare it in line with the established traditions and in accordance with the highest European standards and to provide optimum conditions for professional communication and exchange of ideas and experiences between representatives of the scientific and educational community in the search for effective ways to solve the current social, cultural and educational problems.

The main intention is to provide innovative educational technologies, scientific and practically oriented approaches to maintaining and improving the "human capital" through the formation of key skills and competencies of children and students, the development of their abilities and talents, their humanistic potential and creative way of life. The organizers hope that the Balkan Congress will contribute to the deepening of reflection and intensifying of the debate on the latest trends and perspectives in education and help to promote the enrichment of cultural and professional cooperation of all participants.



Scientific fields:

- **Philosophy, Sociology and Psychology of Education**
- **ICT in Education**
- **Innovations in Education for Smart Growth**
- **Inclusive Education and Active Social Involvement**
- **Languages and Intercultural Interaction**
- **Art, Music, Sport and Education**

The official languages of the conference:

Bulgarian and English

Abstract submission:

Abstract submission will be open from **April 15 – May 15 2017**.

Presenters may submit proposals **of two papers at the most**: one paper proposal as the main author and one as a co-author. Submissions are to be sent by means of an on-line submission system. The participants should register and access the system on the following web address:

<http://pf-conference.info>

Abstract: A structured abstract of up to 300 words is required for all original contributions, and should include a clearly defined research problem, purpose, methods, results, conclusions and key words.

Notification of abstract acceptance, in case of refusal: by May 25 2017.

Full paper submission: by August 10 2017.

All accepted papers will be published in the Conference proceedings with ISBN on the site of the conference.

The second publication – for selected/reviewed papers will be in the Year Book of the Faculty of Education, Trakia University - Stara Zagora.



The best papers from the Conference will be reviewed and published in a special issue of “PEDAGOGY” – THE BULGARIAN JOURNAL OF EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH AND PRACTICE.

Conference fees: 100 EUR by August 10 2017.

For students and PhD students – **80 EUR.**

The conference fee includes coffee breaks, conference materials and a conference cocktail.

Payment of the registration fee for authors: no later than August 10, 2017.

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Venue

The conference will take place in the **Sol Nessebar Resort, Nessebar, Bulgaria.**

Special prices for accommodation are provided for all the participants.

double room – 65 BGN per person, All Inclusive

single room – 85 BGN per person, All Inclusive

Official ECB euro reference exchange rate: Bulgarian lev – Eur 1 =BGN 1.9558

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