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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

8 - 13 March 2024

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PLENARY

Friday,
8 March 2024

10:00 – 11:00
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Maribor &
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WELCOME ADDRESSES

Jurij Toplak, University Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM, Fordham University, President of the Organisational Committee of the It's About People Conference
Felix Unger, University Professor, Honorary President, European Academy of Sciences and Arts

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HONORARY ADDRESS

Dubravka Šuica, European Commission Vice-President for Democracy and Demography

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

A New Renaissance For Europe: Challenges of Science, Arts, and Innovation in the Spirit of European Humanism

Klaus Mainzer, University Professor, President, European Academy of Sciences and Arts, President of the Scientific Committee of the It's About People Conference

11:00 – 12:00
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01 PLENARY SESSION: Innovation and Education For Europe

(Moderator: Klaus Mainzer, University Professor, President of EASA)

Join WEBINAR

Michael Beckmann, University Professor, Dean, Technical University Dresden
Ioannis Liritzis, Dean of Natural Sciences at the European Academy of Sciences and Arts; Distinguished Professor at Henan University and Alma Mater Europaea ECM
Verica Trstenjak, Former Advocate General of the CJEU, Professor of European Law
Željko Knez, University Professor, University of Maribor

12:15 – 12:45
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HONORARY DOCTORATE CEREMONY

Klaus Mainzer, University Professor, President, European Academy of Sciences and Arts, President of the Scientific Committee of the It's About People Conference

15:00 – 15:45
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INVITED SPEAKERS: Deliberative Democracy

AI-deliberative Pooling Acts: Truth, Trust & Hope in Assistive Service for Sustainability and Dignity

Tatjana Christelbauer, Founder and Director, Agency for Cultural Diplomacy Vienna;
Alice Siu, Senior Research Scholar at Stanford University, Associate Director, Stanford's Deliberative Democracy Lab

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15:45 – 17:00 **02 PLENARY SESSION**

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HONORARY ADDRESS

Borut Pahor, President of the Republic of Slovenia 2012-22

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INVITED SPEAKERS

Why War?

Richard James Overy, Professor, University of Exeter, The Times Editor of Complete History of the World, Fellow of the Royal Historical Academy and British Academy, Recipient of the Wolfson History Prize and the Hessell-Tiltman Prize

Remarks on the Repeated Past Major Climatic Events (Mythological Deluges, Hydraulic Works) and Thoughts of Resilience and Mitigation

Ioannis Liritzis, Dean of Natural Sciences at the European Academy of Sciences and Arts; Distinguished Professor at Henan University and Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Ending Global Poverty

Andrew Sumner, Professor, King's College London, Research Associate, University of Oxford, Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences and the Royal Society of Arts, Senior Fellow, United Nations University, President of the European Association of Development Research and Training Institutes, Foreign Policy's 'Top 100 Global Thinkers'

17:00 – 18:00 **03 PLENARY SESSION**

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INVITED SPEAKERS

Migrants in the Global Economy: Holding Us Back or Pushing Us Forward?

Dany Bahar, Associate Professor at Brown University, Senior Research Fellow at Harvard University

Sustainability and Its Impact on Human Rights

Verica Trstenjak, Former Advocate General of the Court of Justice of the EU, Professor of European Law

40+ Years of European Parliament Elections

Michael Anthony Marsh, Professor, Fellow Emeritus, Trinity College Dublin, Member of the Royal Irish Academy

EDUCATION AND MENTAL HEALTH

Saturday,
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9:00 – 10:15

(in Slovenian,
Scholarly Panel
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04 EDUCATION AND MENTAL HEALTH

(Moderators: Sebastjan Kristovič, Professor; Polonca Pangrčič, Assistant Professor; Jasmina Kristovič, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

Relational Aspects of Family Resilience

Barbara Simonič, Professor, Faculty of Theology, University of Ljubljana

Political-Economic Power and Education in the Use of Artificial Intelligence

David Kraner, Professor, Faculty of Theology, University of Ljubljana

What has Narcissistic Personality Disorder in Common with the Neoliberal Social Values?

Renata Šribar, Professor, Centre FemA, Alma Mater Europaea ISH

Mental Health and Screen and Social Media Addiction - Digital Cocaine

Sebastjan Kristovič, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

With the Help of Christian Worship Music to Meet God and the Believers

Drago Jerebic, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Theology, University of Ljubljana

Active Learning Towards Global Skills and Competencies

Polonca Pangrčič, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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05 EDUCATION AND MENTAL HEALTH

(Moderators: Sebastjan Kristovič, Professor; Polonca Pangrčič, Assistant Professor; Jasmina Kristovič, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

Effective Psychotherapeutic Treatment of Young People in Times of Nihilism, Lack of Meaning and Identity Confusion

Uroš Perko, PhD, Psychotherapist, Zavod Mitikas

Mental Health and a Meaningful Life for Slovenian Adolescents

Jasmina Kristovič, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Significance of Establishing Positive Teacher-student Relationships

Katja Vrtačnik Garbas, PhD, Teacher, Zavod za Gluhe in Naglušne Ljubljana

The Powerlessness of Professional Workers at the Social Work Centre to Establish a Working Relationship with the User of the Social Work Centre Services

Nataša Novak, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

EDUCATION AND MENTAL HEALTH

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Family of Origin and Anger-Conflict Dynamics in Romantic Relationships: A Systematic Literature Review

Leina Radusinović, PhD Candidate, University of Ljubljana

Measuring the Color of Perceived Afterimage with a Color Wheel

Bor Sojar Voglar, PhD, Teacher, Prva Gimnazija Maribor

11:30 – 12:45

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06 EDUCATION AND MENTAL HEALTH

(Moderators: Sebastjan Kristovič, Professor; Polonca Pangrčič, Assistant Professor; Jasmina Kristovič, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

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Cure and Care: Family and Community Support in Disability Education

Elena Zanfroni, Professor; Silvia Maggiolini, Professor; Paola Molteni, PhD, Lecturer, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

The Impact of Artificial Intelligence on the Academic Approaches of the New Generation of Students

Kledi Satka, Professor, University of Tirana

Understanding Subjective Well-being in Kosovo Youth: Exploring Psychosocial and Socio-demographic Factors

Naim Fanaj, Professor, Associate Professor, Alma Mater Europaea Campus College Rezonanca; Sevim Mustafa, Assistant Professor, AAB College Prishtina; Elona Krasniqi, PhD Candidate, PMSH

Promotion of Mental Health and Establishment of Partnership Between Parents and Educational Institutions From the Point of View of Family Pedagogy and Family Therapy

Jasminka Zloković, Professor, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences University of Rijeka; Sara Jerebic, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Theology University of Ljubljana

Supporting Digital Skills Education for People with Intellectual Disabilities from the Perspective of Service Providers

Lea Masnjak Šušković, PhD Candidate; Alisa Fabris, Expert; Rea Fulgosi-Masnjak, Professor, Faculty of Education and Rehabilitation Sciences, University of Zagreb

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(Moderators: Sebastjan Kristovič, Professor; Polonca Pangrčič, Assistant Professor; Jasmina Kristovič, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

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Reconnected: Addressing Mental Health Challenges in European Communities, Including Kosovo

Naim Fanaj, Professor, Associate Professor, Alma Mater Europaea Campus College Rezonanca; Sevim Mustafa, Assistant Professor, AAB College Prishtina; Elona Krasniqi, PhD Candidate, PMSH

Intergenerational Transmission of Parents Traumatic Stress and Child Education and Mental Health Outcomes: Promoting Inner Strength and Resilience

Sara Jerebic, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Theology University of Ljubljana; Jasmina Zloković, Professor, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences University of Rijeka

Sleep and Its Importance for Mental Health in University Students: Analytical Cross-Sectional Study

Adelina Kakija, PhD, Lecturer; Denalda Bashota, Student, University of Shkodra "Luigi Gurakuqi"

Psychosocial Approaches as Help for Solving the Challenge of Risky Online Behaviours

Nataša Demšar Pečak, PhD, Ministry of Labour, Family, Social Matters and Equal Opportunities

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Expert Panel
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08 EDUCATION AND MENTAL HEALTH

(Moderators: Sebastjan Kristovič, Professor; Polonca Pangrčič, Assistant Professor; Jasmina Kristovič, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

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Mindfulness Approach in Shaping Concepts of Interpreting House Museums

Matjaž Koman, General Manager, Žirovnica Institute for Tourism and Culture

Integrity: The Core of Dignity in Teacher Education

Erika Ašič, Expert, DKPS

9:00 – 10:00
(in English,
Artistic Event)
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09 EXHIBITION

(Moderator: N/A)

Photographic Exhibition 'Phono Sapiens' by
Ilir Dugolli

10:00 – 12:00
(in English,
Scholarly Panel)
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10 HOW TO CREATE A MORE SUSTAINABLE MACRO-ECONOMIC CONCEPT FOR THE FUTURE EUROPEAN SOCIETIES – AN INSPIRATION FROM THE RENAISSANCE

(Moderator: Howie Firth, PhD, Director of Orkney International Science Festival)

WELCOME ADDRESS

The New European Renaissance and Our Future
Andraž Ivšek, Expert, Slovenian Science Foundation

INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION

Janez Potočnik, PhD, former European Commissioner for Science and Co-chair UNEP International Resource Panel (IRP), Partner SYSTEMIQ and Member Club of Rome

Carl Gombrich, Professor, London Interdisciplinary School; Professorial Teaching Fellow, University College London

Raffaella Santi, Associate Professor, University of Urbino

Samuel Abraham, Associate Professor, President of BISLA (Bratislava International School of Liberal Education)

Teun J. Dekker, Professor, University College Maastricht

PHYSIOTHERAPY

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9:00 – 9:30

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Scholarly Panel)
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11 PHYSIOTHERAPY

(Moderator: Živa Arko, Senior Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

The Effects of Medical Stay Combined With Speleotherapy on the Pulmonary Function and Exercise Tolerance in Children with Asthma

Sylwia Mętel, Lecturer, PhD, Institute of Applied Sciences, University of Physical Education in Krakow; Paweł Janus, Lecturer, Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University; Magdalena Dyda, Expert, Sanatorium Edel Zlaté Hory

Management of Stress Urinary Incontinence in Health Promotion and Health Education Centres in Slovenia

Aleša Kukovica, Expert; Andrea Backović Juričan, Senior Lecturer, Angela Boškin Faculty of Health Care

PHYSIOTHERAPY

Saturday,
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12 PHYSIOTHERAPY

(in Slovenian,
Student Panel)

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Physiotherapy Approach of Functional Magnetic Stimulation for Relieving Symptoms of Carpal Tunnel
Žiga Tratnik, Student; Tadeja Hernja Rumpf, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Effect of Therapeutic Exercise on Pain Reduction in Office Workers With Non-specific Neck Pain – A Literature Review

Larisa Šabec, Student; Mateja Berčan, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Analysis of the Exercise Guidelines in Pregnancy and Postpartum

Kaja Poličnik, Student; Patricija Goubar, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Effect of Tissue Flossing on Ankle Range of Motion and Muscle Stiffness in Patients With Ankle Sprain History

Fran Šlamberger, Student, Alma Mater Europaea ECM; Miloš Kalc, PhD, Assistant, Faculty of Medicine, University of Maribor, ZRS Koper; Mitja Gerževič, Assistant Professor, AMEU ECM

Chronic Lower Back Pain Is Associated With Hip Joint Mobility and Bilateral Asymmetry of Flexibility in Professional Ice Hockey Players

Nika Tomšič, Student; Živa Arko, Senior Lecturer; Mitja Gerževič, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Conservative Physiotherapy Treatment of Intervertebral Hernia in the Lumbar Part of the Spine

Alen Zorko, Student; Tatjana Horvat, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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11:30 – 12:30 **13 PHYSIOTHERAPY**

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Translation, Adaptation and Validation of the Lower Extremity Functional Scale (Lefs) for the Pediatric Orthopedic Patient

Nicole Perrone, Expert, Dipartimento di Scienze Mediche e Chirurgiche, CdL in Fisioterapia, Università di Trieste

Evaluation of the Strength and Mobility Parameters of the Volleyball Player's Shoulder

Claudio Morelli, Expert, Studio Privato di Fisioterapia a Roma; Francesco Frontani, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea

Comparison of the Effectiveness of a Home-Based Treatment Between App or Verbal Explanation in Patients With Temporomandibular Disorders. A Pilot Study

Cristina Argentieri, PhD, Saint Camillus International University; Francesco Frontani, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea; Giovanni Galeoto, PhD, Saint Camillus International University; Gianfranco Albergo, PhD, Dentoral

Cervical Radiculopathy Mimicking a Neurodegenerative Disease: A Case Report of an Early-Onset Parkinson's Disease Diagnosis in a Middle-Aged Woman Identified via Hyperhidrosis

Mirko Zitti, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea, University of Rome La Sapienza IRCCS San Camillo Hospital; Alessandro Andreani, PhD, PT OMPT MSC University of Molise Department of Medicine and Health Sciences Vincenzo Tiberio; Daniele De Patre, PhD, PT MSC NeuroRiab rehabilitation center; Giorgia Pregnolato, PhD Student; Luisa Cacciante, PhD, IRCCS San Camillo Hospital

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Which Types of Motor Control Exercises Are Most Used to Modify Pain in the Short Term in Patients With Pelvic Girdle Pain: A Narrative Review

Alessandro Mantia, PhD, OMPT University of Rome La Sapienza Department of Human Neuroscience; Mirko Zitti, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea, University of Rome La Sapienza, IRCCS San Camillo Hospital

Testing of a Specific Rehabilitation Protocol for Coordination of Parkinsonian Subjects

Andrea Ricci, Teaching assistant, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Use of REMO Wearable for Hand Motor Recovery After Stroke: Preliminary Data

Giorgia Pregnolato, PhD Student, Laboratorio di Tecnologie per l'innovazione sanitaria, IRCCS San Camillo Hospital; Luigi Privitera, PhD Student, School of Advanced Studies, Università di Camerino; Paolo Ariano, Expert, Morecognition Ltd

Surgical Treatment of Periarticular Musculoskeletal Injuries of the Hip in Professional Athletes

Loris Perticarini, PhD, Fondazione Poliambulanza Brescia; Luca Andriollo, PhD, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart; Francesco Benazzo, Professor, IUSS University o Pavia

SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY

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15 SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY: DIFFERENT ASPECTS OF SECURITY IN THE ELDERLY

(Moderator: Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

INVITED SPEAKER

Medico-social Care of Elderly Population - Democracy at its Best

Nenad Bogdanović, Professor, Karolinska Institutet

Virtual Reality and Its Use in Care Homes and Beyond

Věra Suchomelová, PhD, Lecturer, University of South Bohemia

Measures to Prevent Violence Against Elderly Residents in Institutional Care for Persons With Mental Illnesses and Intellectual Deficits

Nataša Štandeker, PhD, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Digital Technology as an Alternative to Live Contact for Older Adults in Nursing Homes: Research in Two Nursing Homes in Slovenia

Ivan Jurišić; Šefik Salkunić; Tomislav Nemec; PhD Candidates, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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16 SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY

(Moderator: Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

Active Ageing in a Changing World

Rosette Farrugia Bonello, Deputy Director at the International Institute on Ageing United Nations-Malta, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Differences in the Results of Residents' Satisfaction Within Care Homes for Seniors on Islands in the Primorje-Gorski Kotar County

Jelena Lučan, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Impact of Physical Activity on the Quality of Life of Elderly People

Željka Kanižaj Rogina; Valentina Vincek, PhD Candidates, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Impact of Digital Technology on the Quality of Life of Older Adults

Valentina Vincek, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM; Marijana Neuberg, Associate Professor, University North; Željka Kanižaj Rogina, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Differences in Expectations and Preferences for Healthcare between Veterans and the Baby Boomer Generation: A Cross-sectional Study

Danijela Sopić, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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17 SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY

(Moderator: Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

Attitudes of Students of the Secondary Medical School Bjelovar Majoring In Nurse/General Care Technician on Euthanasia

Željka Ostović, PhD Candidate, Medical School Bjelovar; Ivan Pokec, PhD Candidate, Bjelovar University of Applied Sciences

The Impact of Informal Caregiving on Caregivers' Spiritual Health

Sabina Eberl, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Does the Strength of Religious Belief Affect Hope in Elderly Individuals?

Ahmet AYTEPE, PhD Candidate; Mehmet Efe, PhD; Fatih Şahin, PhD, Lecturers, Muş Alparslan Üniversitesi

Dignity Informal Care of Elderly Adults

Sabina Eberl, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Consequences of the COVID-19 on Residents in Elderly Adult's Home in Ljutomer

Urška Kunčič, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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18 SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY

(Moderator: Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

Nursing Students Preserve the Dignity of Older Adults Through a Holistic Approach: Literature Review

Aleksandra Ločnik, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Role of Digital Solidarity in Intergenerational Relationships

Mateja Buzina; Tanita Knežević, PhD Candidates, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

A Dignified Old Age - Energetically Secure Old Age

Tanita Knežević; Mateja Buzina, PhD Candidates, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Burden on Informal Caregivers of Persons With Dementia During COVID-19 Pandemic

Mercedes Lovrečić, Assistant Professor, National Institute of Public Health; Barbara Lovrečić, Assistant Professor, National Institute of Public Health

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19 SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY

(Moderator: Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

The Impact of COVID-19 Pandemic on Neuropsychiatric Symptoms in People With Dementia and the Role of Modern Technologies

Mercedes Lovrečić, Assistant Professor, National Institute of Public Health; Barbara Lovrečić, Assistant Professor, National Institute of Public Health

Palliative Care Older Adults with Noncommunicable Disease Dementia through the Perspective of Sustainability and Dignity

Suzana Koštornaj, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Photography and Digital Devices as Base for Reminiscence Therapy With Elderly People

Marija Pokmajević, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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20 SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY

(Moderator: Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

Dignity and Preservation of Cognitive Abilities of the Elderly With the Help of Art Therapy - Fractal Drawing

Mihaela Kežman, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea

The Impact and Contribution of Intergenerational Tourism

Lara Polanec, Student; Tina Goričan, Student; Mojca Horvat, Student; Veronika Plankl, Student;
Mihaela Kežman, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea

Intergenerational Cooperation in the Workplace

Aljaž Ozimič, Student; Urška Majcenovič, Student; Anja Hazimali, Student; Zala Vesenjak,
Student; Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea

Experiencing an Intergenerational Perspective Through Three Generations

Larisa Vesenjak, Student; Hana Roškar, Student; Sara Skaza, Student; Marisa Verdev, Student;
Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea

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21 SOCIAL GERONTOLOGY

(Moderator: Jana Goriup, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

From Local Challenges to Healthcare Policies for the Elderly: Insights From SI4CARE, a Transnational Cooperation Project

Guido Piccoli, Expert, ALOT

15:00 – 16:30 **22 NEUROSURGERY AND NEUROSCIENCE: BRIDGING THE GAP FOR BETTER PATIENT CARE**
(in English,
Scholarly Panel)
online (Moderator: Tadej Strojnik, Professor, Neurosurgical Institute, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

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The Evolution and Future of Neuromodulation in Treating Neurological Conditions

Tadej Strojnik, Professor, Neurosurgical Institute, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Neurosurgical View on the Euthanasia

Vinko V. Dolenc, Professor, SAZU - Slovenska Akademija Znanosti in Umetnosti

The Effects of Cannabinoids on Glioblastoma Stem Cells

Tamara Lah Turnšek, Professor; Metka Novak, Assistant Professor; Barbara Breznik, Assistant Professor; Bernarda Majc, PhD, Lecturer, Department of Genetic Toxicology and Cancer Biology, National Institute of Biology; Andrej Porčnik, PhD Candidate; Roman Bošnjak, Professor, Department of Neurosurgery, University Medical Centre Ljubljana; Jernej Mlakar, PhD, Faculty of Medicine, Institute of Pathology, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

Myths & Realities About the Basal Ganglia

Zvezdan Pirtošek, Professor, University Medical Centre Ljubljana

DBS in Unresponsiveness Wakefulness Syndrome - Ethical Issues

Darko Chudy, Professor, School of Medicine University of Zagreb, University Hospital Dubrava, Zagreb

Effects of Virtual Reality Training on the Motor Functions of the Upper Limb in Patients After Early Stroke - Preliminary Results

Tadeja Hernja Rumpf, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

POLITICAL SCIENCE

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16:00 – 17:00 **23 ROUND TABLE ON THE LINKAGE BETWEEN VOTER TURNOUT AND PARTY SUPPORT**

(in English,
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Mark Franklin, Professor, Trinity College Connecticut
Lorenzo De Sio, Professor, Libera Università Internazionale degli Studi Sociali Guido Carli
Cees van der Eijk, Professor, University of Nottingham
Christopher Wlezien, Professor, University of Texas at Austin

DISCUSSION

17:00 – 18:00 **24 ROUND TABLE ON THE LINKAGE BETWEEN VOTER TURNOUT AND PARTY SUPPORT**

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Mark Franklin, Professor, Trinity College Connecticut
Wouter van der Brug, Professor, Universiteit van Amsterdam
Elias Dinas, Professor, European University Institute
Michael Anthony Marsh, Professor, Fellow Emeritus, Trinity College Dublin

DISCUSSION

10:00 – 15:00

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25 ARCHIVAL SCIENCES:

Sustainability and Dignity in the Context of Digitalisation and Artificial Intelligence in Archival Science

(Moderators: Peter Pavel Klasinc, Associate Professor; Miroslav Novak; Zdenka Semlič Rajh, Assistant Professors, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

WELCOME ADDRESSES

Luciana Duranti, Emeritus Professor, University of British Columbia
Erik Ketelaar, Emeritus Professor, University of Amsterdam

Toward Environmentally Sustainable Digital Preservation

Erik Ketelaar, Emeritus Professor, University of Amsterdam

ISO 9001 Quality Management in Archives

Dieter Schlenker, Director of the Historical Archives of the European Union, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Sustainability and Dignity in Archival Science

Peter Pavel Klasinc, Associate Professor, Archival Councilor, Director of the International Institute of Archival Sciences Trieste-Maribor, Head of Study Programmes of Archival Science at Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Challenges and Pitfalls of Contemporary Archival Theory and Practice in the Age of Applied Artificial Intelligence

Miroslav Novak, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Digitizing Archival Documents: Increasing Access or Protecting Privacy and Intellectual Property

Zdenka Semlič Rajh, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Right to Be Remembered: From a Legalistic to a Humanitarian Perspective

Charles Farrugia, Professor, University of Malta, Faculty of Media Knowledge Sciences; Rosette Farrugia Bonello, Deputy Director, International Institute on Ageing United Nations-Malta (INIA)

The Issues of Archive Depots in Slovenia

Jedert Vodopivec Tomažič, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Democratic by Design: Leveraging Enhanced Access to Archives via 3D Modeling Technology at the Fashion Institute of Technology-State University of New York (USA)

Karen Trivette, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Content Challenges in the Optimization of Documentary and Archival Material

Dimitrij Reja, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The effects of emotions on certain segments of work in archives

Mojca Horvat, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM, Slovenia

The Importance of the Human Factor for the Successful Operation of a Public Authority through their Competences and Skills

Tanja Ribnikar, Expert, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Archival Records Risks and their Management by Slovenian Creators

Iva Katarina Rimele, Expert, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Artificial intelligence in Cultural Heritage Institutions (YouTube)

Luka Hribar, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

BRAINSTORMING AND DISCUSSION

9:00 – 11:40

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Scholarly Panel)
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26 DANCE ART: Dance between Tradition and Innovation

(Moderator: Svebor Sečak, Associate Professor, Dean of the Alma Mater Europaea Dance Academy)

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INTRODUCTORY ADDRESS

Svebor Sečak, Associate Professor, Dean of the Alma Mater Europaea Dance Academy

Coppélia's Book: Deliberation, Truth, Trust & Hope

Tatjana Christelbauer, Founder and Director, Agency for Cultural Diplomacy Vienna; Alice Siu, Senior Research Scholar at Stanford University, Associate Director, Stanford's Deliberative Democracy Lab

The Future of Dance-Crossing Social Borders

Yoriko Maeno, Choreographer, Artistic Director, Member of the International Dance Council of UNESCO

The Ballet Performance Between Tradition and Innovation

Simona Somacescu, Professor, I.L. Caragiale National University of Theatre and Cinematographic art

Classical Ballet as System of Systems

Simona Noja-Nebyla, Ballet Educator and Researcher, Cultural Foundation "Simona Noja"

The Challenges of Ballet Education in the 21st Century

Ana Germ, Student, Alma Mater Europaea Dance Academy

Important Educational Aspects in Teaching and Learning Dance Art

Jerneja Omahen Razpotnik, Choreographer and Dance Pedagogue

11:50 – 13:10
(in English,
Expert Panel)
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27 DANCE ART: Flamenco and Contemporary Dance

(Moderator: Rosana Hribar, Assistant professor, Head of the Contemporary Dance Department at Alma Mater Europaea Dance Academy)

Forming an Individual Path with Traces of Contemporary Dance

Johanna Rebecca Greiner, Student, Alma Mater Europaea Dance Academy

Flamenco Dance Improvisation: An Expanded Perspective

Juan Carlos Lerida, PhD candidate, Institut del teatre. Barcelona

The Evolution of the Universal Body of Flamenco in a Room of One's Own

Ana Pandur, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea Dance Academy

Contemporaneity in Flamenco Dance

María de los Ángeles Cenizo Salvago, Dance Pedagogue

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Analysis of Heavy Metal Concentrations in Various Types of Waste

Silvija Zeman, Professor, Međimursko veleučilište u Čakovcu; Melita Srpk, PhD, Zavod za prostorno uređenje; Tanja Bagari, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Physico-chemical Characteristics of Water in Trush Water Supply Shkoder Albania

Julia Preka, PhD, Lecturer, University of Shkodër "Luigj Gurakuqi", Faculty of Natural Sciences

Harnessing Technology for the Planet: Blockchain and AI as Catalysts for Sustainable Change

Pan Theo Grosse-Ruyken, Professor; Ágúst Berg Arnarsson, Lecturer, PTGR AG

Harmonizing Humanity and Industry: Orchestrating Industrial Transition for Sustainable Prosperity

Maja-Marija Nahod, Professor, Faculty of Civil Engineering, University of Zagreb

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Startups as an Innovative Concept of Sustainable Entrepreneurship

Veronika Tóthová, PhD, Lecturer, Newton University; Milan Fiľa, Lecturer, Vysoká škola aplikované psychologie

Alternative Media as an Awareness-Raising Tool for Sustainability and Climate: A Contextual Analysis of "íklimhaber.org"

Nur Emine Koc, Associate Professor; Aysegül Akaydin Aydin, Professor, İstanbul Aydin University

Presenting the Sustainability Model of Construction Projects: A Meta-Synthesis Approach

Mohammad Roozbeh, Expert, Tarsim Dade Afzar Co.; Hossein Safari, Professor, Faculty of Management, University of Tehran; Mohsen Moradi-Moghadam, PhD, Expert, Mobile Communication Company of Iran (MCI); Mohammad Mahoud, PhD, Researcher, 3M-CEPM R&D Institute

Sustainable Graphic Design in the Case of Working With the Urban Images

Melita Rozman Cafuta, Assistant Professor, University of Maribor, Faculty of Civil Engineering; Daria Mustić, Assistant Professor, University of Zagreb, Faculty of Graphic Arts

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Sustainable Floods Disaster Recovery

Franc Vidic, PhD, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

CLIL Robotics - A Program to Promote Robotics and Communication Skills

Gerald Hühner, PhD, Researcher, Institute Discimus Lab Trzec

Who Am I? An Examination of Gig Employment Status From the Perspective of E-hailing Drivers in Malaysia

Laila Suriya Ahmad Apandi; Mohd Dino Khairri Shariffuddin; Salwani Arbak, Professor, Universiti Utara Malaysia

Fundamental Modeling for Sustainable Syngas Production Through Waste Gasification

Marko Šetinc, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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(Moderator: Laurence Hewick, Associate Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

What is Sustainable Development and Is It Achievable?

Laurence Hewick, Associate Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The United Nations General Assembly as the Conscience of the World: A Constructivist Analysis

Uroš Popadić, Researcher, European Center for Peace and Development

Sustainable Tourism Planning to Ensure the Quality of Life of Local Residents

Urška Starc Peceny, Assistant Professor, Doba fakulteta; Petra Škodlar, Senior Project Manager; Vesna Kobal, CTO; Katarina Ceglar, Deputy Head of Tourism 4.0, Arctur

The Challenges and Barriers in Cross-Functional Collaboration Between the PMO and SMO to Effectively Achieve Organizational Sustainability Development Goals

Mario Protulipac, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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Possibilities of Using Assessment Instruments in the Nursing Care of the Elderly Patients With Mental Health Issues

Nataša Štandeker, PhD, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Nursing Home Care: A Comprehensive Review

Zamira Shabani, Professor; Arketa Guli, PhD, Lecturer, University of Shkodra "Luigj Gurakuqi", Faculty of Natural Sciences, Department of Nursing

Clinical Applications of Poly-Methyl-Methacrylate in Neurosurgery: The Reconstruction of Cranial Bone In Vivo

Tomaž Velnar, Professor; Roman Bošnjak, Professor, University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Alma Mater Europaea; Lidija Gradišnik, PhD, Medical faculty Maribor

A Comparison of Renier H - Technique and Total Cranial Vault Remodelling in Scaphocephaly Reconstruction

Peter Spazzapan, PhD; Miha Verdenik, PhD, University Medical Centre Ljubljana; Roman Bošnjak, Professor; Tomaž Velnar, Professor, University Medical Centre Ljubljana, Alma Mater Europaea

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The Role of Rehabilitation Professionals in the Context of Inclusive Education

Milda Gintiliene, Lecturer; Daiva Baltaduoniene, Associate Professor, Kaunas Higher Education Institution; Auste Gintilaite, Student, Lithuanian Health Sciences University

Spiritual Wounds

Suzana Vučetić, Professor, Sveučilište Josip Juraj Strossmayer Osijek Katolički bogoslovni fakultet u Đakovu; Štefica Mikšić, Professor; Brankica Juranić, PhD, Sveučilište Josip Juraj Strossmayer Osijek Fakultet za dentalno medicino i zdravstvo; Metka Lipič Baligač, PhD Candidate, Splošna bolnišnica Murska Sobota, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

A Nutritional Approach to Natural Management of Polycystic Ovary Syndrome

Anja Kikl, Student, Alma Mater Europaea; Vilma Kovač, Assistant Professor, Department of Reproductive Medicine & Gynecological Endocrinology, Clinics of Gynecology and Perinatology, University Medical Centre Maribor

Case Report of a Patient Suffering From Alzheimer's Dementia - Monitoring Outcomes, Health Care and Course of Treatment

Ivan Pokec, PhD Candidate, Veleučilište u Bjelovaru; Željka Ostović, PhD Candidate, Srednja medicinska škola Bjelovar

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Opening Our Eyes To the Implicit Bias in Nursing

Helena Kristina Halbwachs, PhD, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Awareness of Healthcare Providers About the Importance of Balanced Nutrition for Older Adults

Jerneja Raduha, Student, Univerzitetni klinični center Ljubljana; Boris Miha Kaučič, Professor, Fakulteta za zdravstvene vede v Celju

The Application of Bioelectrical Impedance in the Analysis of Body Composition in Obese Adolescents

Nikolina Zaplatić Degač, PhD Candidate, Univerza v Novem mestu Fakulteta za zdravstvene vede

Push and Pull Factors for Going to Work Abroad Among Medical Staff: Research on Student Nurses in Croatia

Valentina Pavlović Vinogradac, PhD Candidate, University of Zagreb, Faculty of Law, City of Zagreb, City Office for Local Self - Administration, Civil Protection and Safety; Danijel Bursać, Assistant Professor, North University, University Hospital Merkur; Marijan Vinogradac, PhD Candidate, University of Zagreb, Faculty of Education and Rehabilitation Sciences, Special hospital "Primamed"

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Epidemiological Characteristics of Neonates Admitted to General Hospital Pula With Neonatal Jaundice

Kristina Mržljak, Expert , General Hospital Pula; Mladen Jašić, Assistant Professor, Special Hospital for Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation "Martin Horvat" Rovinj-Rovigno

Nurses' Role in Providing Qualitative and Effective Health Care Services. An Evaluation of Hospital Nursing Services Based on Quality and Safety Hospital Standards

Rozarta Nezaj, PhD, Lecturer, Albanian University, Tirana, Albania, Faculty of Medical Sciences, Department of Nursing and Physiotherapy; Admir Nake, Professor , University of Medicine, Tirana; Mirela Cela, PhD, Lecturer, Faculty of Medicine, University of Medicine, Tirana, Albania

Eye Biometry of Healthy Adult Presbyopic People in Zagreb, Croatia

Štefanića Kolačko, PhD; Martina Hrvačić, PhD Candidate; Jurica Predović, Expert, University Hospital "Sveti Duh", Zagreb, Croatia

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36 HEALTH SCIENCES

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Virtual Standards of Beauty: How Social Media and Television Shape Decisions About Aesthetic Procedures

Anthony Ban, PhD Candidate, Pula General Hospital, Croatia

Brain Information Processing Analysis Using Artificial Intelligence Methods

Han Yiyuan, Student, Washington University in St. Louis; Muhammad Aqeel, Student; Payam Norouzzadeh, PhD, Saint Louis University; Eli Snir, Teaching Professor , Washington University in St. Louis; Bahareh Rahmani, Associate Professor, Saint Louis University

Boosting Children's Motor-Cognitive Skills in an Enriched Environment: An Analysis of BRAIN Project Workshops and Sport Camps for Ages 3-10

Luka Šlosar, PhD, Alma Mater Europaea ECM, Science and Research Centre Koper, IKARUS; Paraskevas Alvanos, PhD, Lecturer; Konstantinos Chatzinikolaou, PhD, Lecturer, AETOI Thessalonikis, School of Mathematics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

Epidemiological Characteristics of Children Who Underwent the Observational Protocol for the Diagnosis of Autism (Ados-2) at the Orthopedic and Rehabilitation Hospital "Martin Horvat" Rovinj-Rovigno, Croatia

Mladen Jašić, Assistant Professor; Renata Peharec, Expert; Dina Dežmar, Expert; Ivana Frančula Modrčin, Lecturer; Marinko Rade, Professor, Orthopedic and Rehabilitation "Martin Horvat" Rovinj-Rovigno

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Critical Thinking, Clinical Reasoning and Decision Making

Peter Kamničar, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Head Injuries in the Presence of Alcohol in the Blood in an Emergency Department

Ksenija Zbičajnik, Expert, UKC MB Urgentni center

Analysis and Correlation of Work Locus of Control and Life Satisfaction Among Healthcare Workers in the Republic of Croatia

Marija Arapović, Lecturer; Anica Kuzmić, Lecturer; Nikolina Zaplatić Degač, Lecturer; Vesna Hodić, Lecturer, University North

The Role of the Nurse in Neonatal Respiratory Distress Syndrome and the Use of Non-invasive Mechanical Ventilation

Darja Šparakl, Expert, Univerzitetni klinični center Maribor; Šefik Salkunić, Expert, Alma Mater Europaea

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38 THE IMPORTANCE OF LEGAL-BUSINESS ARGUMENTATION IN THE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PROCESS

(Moderator: Marko Novak, Professor, MLC Ljubljana)

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Tanja Boršič, Expert, Holding Slovenske elektrarne d.o.o.
Srečko Devjak, Professor, MLC Ljubljana

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Suzana Bračič Tomažič, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM
Gábor Kecskés, Research Fellow, Hungarian Research Network, Centre for Social Sciences,
Institute for Legal Studies
Cristina Aragão Seia, Professor, Universidade Lusíada do Norte
Rigels Lenja, PhD, Ludwig-Maximilians Universität München
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(Moderator: Monika Florczak-Wątor, Professor, Jagiellonian University in Kraków)

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The Emerging Role of Crisis Management in the Contemporary Legal Systems: A Case Study From Hungary

Fruzsina Gárdos-Orosz, Professor; Kitti Mezei, Research Fellow, Hungarian Research Network,
Centre for Social Sciences, Institute for Legal Studies

Legal Coverage of Technological Development in the Post-covid Period

Boldizsár Szentgáli-Tóth, Senior Research Fellow; Kitti Mezei, Research Fellow; Dorottya Deáki, PhD Candidate, Hungarian Research Network, Centre for Social Sciences, Institute for Legal Studies

Certainty in Law and the Arguments of Other Disciplines

Viktor Olivér Lőrincz, Junior Research Fellow, Hungarian Research Network, Centre for Social Sciences, Institute for Legal Studies

Natural Science Arguments in Constitutional Čaw

Nora Bán-Forgács, Research Fellow, Hungarian Research Network, Centre for Social Sciences, Institute for Legal Studies

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What Can We Expect From EMFA? – A Critical Analysis of the European Media Freedom Act in the Context of Digital Media

Gergely Gosztonyi, Professor, Eötvös Loránd University; Gergely Ferenc Lendvai, PhD Candidate, Pázmány Péter Catholic University, Research Fellow, ISLC, University of Milan

It Is Not (Primarily) About Controlling Technology, Not Even About Controlling Its Owners – It Is About (Re-)Gaining Being Human

Peter Herrmann, Research Associate, Human Rights Center, Law School at the Central South University, Changsha

(Un) Efficiency of the Legal Protection Mechanism of the Electoral Rights in Serbia

Maja Nastić, Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Niš

Kosovo's Progress and Challenges on the Path to EU Accession

Albulena Balaj Halimaj, PhD Candidate, South East European University Tetovo

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Exploring Concessions in Kosovo: Evaluating Legal Framework and Economic Impact

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SDGs at Halftime. Lessons Learnt and the Way Ahead

Gábor Kecskés, Research Fellow, Hungarian Research Network, Centre for Social Sciences,
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43 HIGH SCHOOL RESEARCH in Partnership With II. Gimnazija Maribor

(Moderators: Katja Holnthaner Zorec, Research Coordinator, II. Gimnazija Maribor; Luka Martin Tomažič, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM)

Medical Cannabis (Cannabis Sativa) as an Alternative in the Treatment of Melanoma?

Nuša Ačko, Student, II. gimnazija Maribor

Review of the Neutralising Properties and Cost-effectiveness of Drugs and Food Supplements for Neutralising Gastric Acid

Vid Koren, Ana Potočnik, Students, II. gimnazija Maribor

Correlation between Regular Physical Activity and Anxiety and Self-esteem

Žiga Gaal, Student, II. gimnazija Maribor

Assessing Alternative Electoral Systems and their Implementation in Republic of Slovenia

Borja Ranzinger, Student, II. gimnazija Maribor

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44 DIGITALISATION AND ICT USE AMONG OLDER ADULTS

(Moderator: Voyko Kavčič, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM, Institute of Gerontology, Wayne State University)

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Tomas Dosedel, Professor, Faculty of Social Studies, Masaryk University

Lucie Vidovićova, Assistant Professor, Masaryk University, Faculty of Social Studies, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Barbara Grintal, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Nikolaj Lipič, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Peter Seljak, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Simon Delakorda, Expert, Mreža nevladnih organizacija za vključujočo informacijsko družbo

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Planning Smart Silver Villages as Age-Friendly Communities in European Rural Areas

David Bogataj, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Social Infrastructure of Rural Areas

Marija Bogataj, Professor, INRISK Institute

Is It About People? Critical Reflection on the Contemporary Social System

Erik Brezovec, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Croatian Studies, University of Zagreb

Perception of Resident of Old and New Neighbourhoods Regarding Social Infrastructure

Visar Emerllahu, PhD Candidate, European Faculty of Law, New University; David Bogataj, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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How to develop a model for measuring value of social innovations in Long-term Care - The case of physiotherapy (Reactivation in Home Care)

Suzanna Mežnarec Novosel, PhD Candidate; Alma Mater Europaea ECM; Marija Bogataj, Professor, Institute INRISK

Cash Flow Generated by Social Infrastructure of Rural Areas

Valerija Rogelj, PhD, Researcher, INRISK Institute

Designing Living Environments for Older Adults: Does the Legal Framework Contribute to Appropriate Quality?

Vesna Žegarac Leskovar, Professor, University of Maribor, Faculty of Civil Engineering; Nataša Ćuković Ignjatović; Dušan Ignjatović, Professors, University of Belgrade, Faculty of Architecture; Nataša Šprah, PhD, Researcher, University of Maribor, Faculty of Civil Engineering; Novak Đukić, Researcher, University of Belgrade, Faculty of Architecture; Vanja Skalicky Klemenčič, Professor, University of Maribor, Faculty of Civil Engineering

Blockchains in Optimising the Community Care

Petra Janež, PhD, Researcher, INRISK Institute

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(Moderator: Uroš Marušič, Associated Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM, Science and Research Centre Koper, IKARUS)

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Boštjan Šimunić, PhD, Researcher, Znanstveno-raziskovalno središče Koper
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Neuromuscular Adaptation to Disuse – From Space to Clinic

Ramona Ritzmann, PhD, Praxisklinik Rennbahn AG

Feasibility and Effects of Exergame-Based Cognitive-Motor Training in the Scope of Inpatient Rehabilitation

Eleftheria Giannouli, PhD, Research Group Leader, ETH Zürich

Dual-Task Balance Assessment Utilizing the Oculus Quest VR Headset During a Bedrest Study

Luka Šlosar, Assistant Professor, Znanstveno-raziskovalno Središče Koper, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Intergenerational Cognitive-Motor Training: Exploring Games for Enhanced Cognitive and Motor Function for Kids and Elderly

Brina Vadnjal, Student, Univerza na Primorskem

Beta-Gamma Phase-Amplitude Coupling as an Indicator of Medication Levels in Parkinson's Disease: Preliminary Results

Tisa Hodnik, Student, Univerza na Primorskem; Uroš Marušič, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM, Science and Research Centre Koper, IKARUS

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Bridging the Speculative and the Spectral: Contemporary Ontological Models of Realism

Zachary Isrow, Assistant Professor, Beacon College

Generative Self-Reflections by the Dialog with Generative AI

Kazuhiko Shibuya, PhD, Artificial Intelligence Center, Alma Mater Europaea

Topic: Language, Globalization and Cultural Linguistic Diversity

Albana Tahiri, Assistant Professor, Albanian University, Faculty of Social Sciences. Department of Education and English Tirana; Besnik Rama, PhD, Lecturer , Specialist at the Ministry of Education and Sports, Tirana

Challenges to Human Dignity

Andrei Marga, Professor, Babes-Bolyai University Cluj-Napoca

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The Albanian Value System, Their Approach to Democratic Values and the Role of Justice

Adriana Anxhaku, Assistant Professor; Klara Sula, PhD Candidate, University of Tirana

Strengthening Cybersecurity in the Western Balkans: The Role of the Western Balkans Cyber Capacity Centre (WB3C)

Tal Pavel, PhD, The Institute for Cyber Policy Studies

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The Evolution of the JOURNEY Metaphor in Albanian Political Discourses on European Integration

Ledia Kazazi, PhD, Lecturer, University of Elbasan "Aleksander Xhuvani"

Joseph of Egypt: Queer Elements of Patriarch's Narrative

Ignac Navernik, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ISH

An Analysis of B. Malamud's Prose From the Perspective of I. Kant's Moral Philosophy

Shpetim Madani, Professor , Academy of Armed Forces, Tirana, Albania

Challenges of Women Refugees in Malaysia: Multiple Stakeholder Perspectives

Suhaini Muda, PhD, Lecturer; Laila Suriya Ahmad Apandi, Associated Professor; Nur Syakirah Akmal Ismail, Professor; Norhafezah Yusof, Professor, Universiti Utara Malaysia; Norsuhaili Abu Bakar, Associated Professor, Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin

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The Role of the United Nations General Assembly in the Codification and Promulgation of the Principles of Friendly Relations Among States

Uroš Popadić, Expert, European Center for Peace and Development

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The Influence of Facebook on Changes in Human Communication in the Field of Emotional Relationships

Božidar Veljković, Assistant Professor; Tihana Đumić, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Consultation With the Public During the Adoption of Laws in the Field of Environmental Protection

Irena Klepac Mustać, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Sustainability in Focus: Sustainability Communication Strategy of OTP Bank d.d. Croatia

Manuela Bukovec, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Perceptions of Climate Change: Perspectives From the COP28 Conference in Dubai

Ivana Belić, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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How Does Gen Z Perceive Sustainable Fashion? Attitudes of Croatian Students Towards the Green H&M Campaign

Ema Petrušić, Expert, CROZ; Tanja Grmuša, Assistant Professor, Zagreb School of Business

The Influence of Digital Platforms on the Perception of the Quality of Internal Communication in a Non-profit Organization: The Perspective of Team Members and Leaders

Rebeka Radovanović, Expert, Schneider Electric; Tanja Grmuša, Assistant Professor, Zagreb School of Business

Communication of Healthcare Professionals With Patients in the “Post-covid” Period Related to Regular Medication Intake

Dubravka Jakšetić, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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Democracy in the Digital Era: Croatian Attitudes Toward Voting Mechanisms

Valentina Pavlović Vinogradac; Biljana Cerin; Damir Vanđelić, PhD Candidates; Antonio Priščan, Lecturer, ZRIN - Institute for Development and Sustainability of Croatia

Freedom and Ethics: Basic Postulates of Religious Creation

Zdravko Šorđan, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

The Diversification of Strategies in Confronting the Revolutionary War: An Intelligence Military Analysis in the Current Context and Future Prospects

Stefano Turini, PhD, Senior Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Communication Challenges in Local Communities in the Field of Tourism

Tjaša Glazarić, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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Social Construction of Risk and Its Perception in Public

Ivan Balabanić, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

Information Quality as a Manifestation of Concern for Human Dignity

Kinga Machowicz, Professor, The John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin

Health Navigation: Strategic Communication Management in Istrian Health Institutions

Anthony Ban, PhD Candidate, Alma Mater Europaea ECM

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Jan Palmowski, Secretary-General of the Guild of European Research-Intensive Universities, Professor of Modern History and Former Pro-Vice-Chancellor and Academic Vice-President at the University of Warwick, and Adjunct Professor of Higher Education Studies at the University of Oslo

Taking the European Cooperation in Higher Education to the Next Level - What Does It Take?

Nadia Manzoni, PhD Candidate, Central European University

Comparing the 50 European University Alliances

Jurij Toplak, Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ECM, Fordham University

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Agata Lambrechts, Postdoctoral Researcher at the Università della Svizzera Italiana

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Sustainability and Dignity in the Face of the Destruction of Cultural Heritage

Anja Hellmuth Kramberger, Assistant Professor, Alma Mater Europaea ISH

Berchtesgaden in the Shadow of a Dark Heritage: Remnants of National Socialism Through Fieldwork

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Museums and the Dignity of Human Remains: The Case of the Smell of Museum Objects

Mojca Ramšak, Professor, University of Ljubljana

Human Remains, Subject or Object? Ethical Issues in Archaeological Research and Museum Presentation of Human Remains

Verena Perko, PhD, Lecturer, University of Ljubljana, New University

Does Archaeological Heritage Convey Ethical Values?

Jelka Pirkovič, Assistant Professor, University of Ljubljana, New University

Between the “Curse of the Pharaoh” and Indiana Jones - On the Problem of an Adequate Representation of Archeology in Pop Culture and Media

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Barbara Teßmann, Researcher, Museum für Vor- und Frühgeschichte Berlin

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Francesco Flammini, Professor, University of Applied Sciences and Arts of Southern Switzerland (SUPSI) - Dalle Molle Institute for Artificial Intelligence (IDSIA USI-SUPSI)

Competencies Model for the Socialization of Artificial Intelligence

Sergey Bushuyev; Natalija Bushuyeva; Denis Bushuiev; Victoria Bushuieva, Professors, Kiev National University of Construction and Architecture

Empowering Academic Futures: Blockchain-backed Digital Credentialing for Sustainable Development

Mirjana Ivanuša, Lecturer, Alma Mater Europaea ECM; Tony Lenko, PhD, Veritas Digital

Promoting Human Dignity and Learning Sustainability With Support of Web3D Resources: A Use Case

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Rastislav Janota, Director, National Cyber Security Centre SK-CERT, NSA Slovakia

Dan Cîmpean, Director, Romanian National Cyber Security Directorate Romania

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People Management With an Emphasis on Recruiting Employees in the Post-covid Era in the Catering Sector: Case Study Czechia and Slovakia

Renata Ježkova, Assistant Professor; Tatek Beneti, PhD, Lecturer, Newton University