

United Nations Educational, Scientific and **Cultural Organization**





University of Arts in Belgrade

UNESCO Chair in

Cultural Policy and Management

(Interculturalism and Mediation in the Balkans)

and



Master Programme in

CULTURAL POLICY AND MANAGEMENT

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MA IN CULTURAL POLICY AND MANAGEMENT

Study Level: Master Study Mode: Full Time

Duration: One academic year, i.e. 2 semesters

Start Date: 1st October 2017

Due Date: 30th September 2018

Application Deadlines: 1. June 21st 2017

2. September 20th 2017

Directors: Milena Dragićević Šešić, PhD

Camille Jutant, PhD

Location: University of Arts in Belgrade

Tuition Fee: 190,000 RSD

Tuition Fee for

International Students: 2.000 €

Program Description

MA in Cultural Policy and Management study program, taught in English and French, is internationally acclaimed and accredited by the University Lumière Lyon 2 and supported by other partner universities, professional organizations and guest experts from all over Europe. It attracts not only students from the Balkan region, but also those coming from Europe and worldwide, who seek an innovative, stimulating and unique study environment.

As a heart-centered Balkans university, we benefit from the cultural resources of the capital city and the extended regional art and culture community that meets in Belgrade. This program enables students to be a part of this creative capital and of the multicultural landscape of the Balkans.

For its excellence in promotion of intercultural cooperation and mediating capacities of culture, the MA in Cultural Policy and Management has been named **UNESCO Chair** in 2004.

Program Structure

MA in Cultural Policy and Management is implemented through lectures, project making, research based learning, problem-solving, small group work, internships in France and Balkan countries, seminars and workshops designed to help the student develop wider contextual understanding, research skills and awareness of professional issues.

Courses are taught in both English and French (consecutively translated into English). Non-French-speaking students are given the opportunity to gain fundamental knowledge of French language through the pro bono French Course.

Since we encourage most of our students to become practicing professionals, an internship in the field is obligatory, but previous professional experience might also be credited. The program is concluded by master thesis research and finally the title given by the University of Arts in Belgrade is **MA** in **Cultural Policy and Management** and title given by the University Lyon 2 is **Master 2 Développement de Projets Artistiques et Culturels Internationaux**.

Please note that the inscription to University Lyon 2 requires an additional funding (c. 260,10 €).

Course List

Autumn Term

A. Core courses

- Strategic Management in Culture (6 ECTS)
- Cultural Policy and Cultural Rights (6 ECTS)
- Management of Intercultural Art Projects (6 ECTS)
- Marketing in Culture (5 ECTS)
- Human Resources Management in Culture (4 ECTS)

B. Elective courses (1 of 2)

- Reading the Image of the Balkans (3 ECTS) or
- European Culture: Past, Present and Future (3 ECTS)

Spring Term

A. Core courses

- Methodology of Research (5 ECTS)

C. Elective courses (1 of 2)

- Management of Cultural Heritage (5 ECTS) or
- Policies of Performing Arts Festivals (5 ECTS)
- D. Internship (6 ECTS)
- E. MA Thesis (14 ECTS)

TOTAL CREDITS 60 ECTS

Entry Requirements

Applicants should have a university degree in social sciences, humanities and arts (240 ECTS).

Relevant professional experience is highly preferred. Fluency in English is required. Fluency in French is favored.

Application Route

Application deadlines:

- June application period: 21st June 2017 or
- September application period: 20th September 2017.

Please note that funding bodies need to meet numerous deadlines and therefore we urge potential students not to delay submitting applications to ensure timely processing.

Applicants will be interviewed through an online questionnaire.

Inscription deadlines:

- June inscription period: 26th 27th June 2017
- September inscription period: 26th 27th September 2017.

Application Documents

Please download the application form for 2017/18 from our website (Serbian students in Serbian language, international students in English) and e-mail it to coordinator@arts.bg.ac.rs. If you have trouble downloading the form please contact the Program Coordinator through the email address above.

You should submit your application documents personally or send them by mail to the following address: UNIVERSITY OF ARTS IN BELGRADE, Kosancicev venac 29, 11000 Belgrade, Serbia.

Your application should include following documents:

- 1. Application form 2 copies
- 2. Curriculum vitae with a photo and detailed educational and professional history included
- 3. Motivation letter
- 4. Certified copy of your diploma
- 5. Diploma supplement/transcript of courses with the average mark
- 6. Payment receipt for the application fee amount of 5000 RSD or 60€. Serbian students should follow the payment instructions listed in the general student guidelines in Serbian; international students should email coordinator@arts.bg.ac.rs for the payment instructions.

Please note that all documents should be submitted in English or in Serbian.

Inscription Documents

Inscription deadlines:

- June inscription period: 26th 27th June 2017
- September inscription period: 26th 27th September 2017.

Though selected candidates will be informed in detail about the enrollment procedure, it is important for international students to prepare some documents in advance.

You will be asked to provide:

- 1. Copy of your passport
- 2. Birth certificate in English or in Serbian (for the UAB inscription)
- 3. Birth certificate in French, English, German, Italian, Spanish or Portuguese (for the Lyon 2 inscription)
- 4. 2 photos (3,5 x 4,5 cm)
- 5. Medical insurance the copy of international insurance card or receipt of medical insurance paid in Serbia
- 6. Tuition fee payment receipt For either the entire tuition fee or first of two equal installments. For latter option, the second installment should be paid in January 2017.

Serbian students should follow the enrollment instructions outlined in the general UAB student guidelines in Serbian.

Academic Calendar

Autumn Semester: 1st October to 23rd December 2017 Spring Semester: 6th February to 30th May 2018

MA Thesis Defense: October 2018

Additional Information

General information can be obtained at: www.arts.bg.ac.rs; for detailed information or any enquiries contact the Program Coordinator directly at: coordinator@arts.bg.ac.rs or: +381 11 2624281.

Opportunities for Francophone students

 AUF annual fellowship program for internships in Francophone countries – for more information: https://www.auf.org/bureau/bureau-europe-centrale-et-orientale/appels-offre-regionales/mobilites-de-stage-professionnel-16/

Students' Life

Accommodation and living costs during studies will be born by the students. Our students' office will help you book accommodation at the Student Residence or assist with other services.

The school is well equipped with a library and information centre with open access computer facilities and lecture theatre.

Professors and Lecturers

Program professors are actively involved in cultural policy, management and associated disciplines, and also engaged in related academic and practice-based research, giving the program its strong identity and firm foundations.

Program directors are Milena Dragićević Šešić, PhD, professor at the Faculty of Dramatic Arts in Belgrade, UNESCO Chair holder, and Camille Jutant, PhD, head of the Master 2 Programme *Développement de Projets Artistiques et Culturels Internationaux*, Université Lyon 2.

Faculty includes professors from European countries, Balkan region, and Serbia, among them:

Lidia Varbanova, PhD, Desautels School of Management, McGill University, Montreal

Philippe Teillet, PhD, Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Grenoble (Université Pierre Mendès-France)

Pierre le Queau, PhD, Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Grenoble (Université Pierre Mendès-France)

Dominique Sagot-Duvaroux, PhD, Université d'Angers, Paris I Sorbonne

Sanjin Dragojević, PhD, University of Zagreb

Silvija Jestrović, PhD, University of Warwick

Milija Gluhović, PhD, University of Warwick

Aleksandra Jovićević, PhD, University La Sapienza, Rome

Aleksandar Brkić, PhD, LASALLE College of the Arts, Singapore

Predrag Cvetičanin, PhD, University of Niš

Irina Subotić, PhD, Professor Emeritus, President of the Europa Nostra Serbia

Vesna Đukić, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade

Nevena Daković, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade

Ivan Medenica, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade

Ljiljana Rogač Mijatović, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade

Ana Martinoli, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade

Irena Ristić, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade

Jelena Todorović, PhD, Faculty of Fine Arts, Belgrade

Nikola Šuica, PhD, Faculty of Fine Arts, Belgrade

Branislav Dimitrijević, PhD, New Academy of the Arts, European University, Belgrade

Partner Organisations

Institut français de Serbie, Belgrade

Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Grenoble (Université Pierre Mendès-France)

Observatoire des Politiques culturelles, Grenoble

Communauté Française de Belgique

Relais Culture Europe, Paris

Territoire de Belfort - Conseil Général

Fondation Marcel Hicter, Bruxelles

Austrian Cultural Forum, Belgrade

British Council, Belgrade

The Best in Heritage (European Heritage Association), Zagreb

IMO, Institute for International Relations, Zagreb

ECUMEST Association, Bucharest

Central European University (CEU), Budapest

Multimedia, Skopje

Dragan Klaić Fellowship - Regional Student Scholarship

Dragan Klaić Fellowship (student scholarship) is presented in memory of Prof. Dragan Klaić, PhD, theater scholar and cultural analyst. It is supported by the *Open Society Foundations* and the *European Cultural Foundation*.

The Fellowship aims to encourage and stimulate candidates from the Balkan region to apply for this international master study program. It is given annually to the best candidate – to cover tuition fees, as well as student's living costs in Belgrade during the academic year.

Total amount: USD 6,000

Who is eligible for the Fellowship?

All regional candidates applying for the UNESCO Chair in Cultural Policy and Management program in both June and September application periods are eligible for the Fellowship consideration, however, the selection of candidates is conducted in September, when the list of accepted students is finalized.

Fellowship criteria

Candidates are selected on the basis of:

- Previous education achievements
- Demonstrated commitment to sustained interaction with students of other nationalities, languages or ethnic backgrounds in the spirit of international understanding and cooperation during their previous studies, or demonstrated commitment to development of community intercultural projects outside of the university
- Initiation of and participation in other relevant cultural activities (cultural activism)
- Motivation letter explaining future career goals and interests, as well as reasons for applying for the Fellowship.

Application route

In order to be taken into consideration for the *Dragan Klaić Fellowship*, nominations must be received together with application documents for the UNESCO Chair in Cultural Policy and Management program. Application deadlines:

- June application period: Tuesday 21st of June 2017
- September application period: Tuesday 20th of September 2017

Application evaluation process

- Application documents and personal profiles will be reviewed and evaluated by the entrance exam jury members of the UNESCO Chair in Cultural Policy and Management and the Committee for the *Dragan Klaić Fellowship Program*.
- The results will be announced by 30th September 2017
- If needed, a Skype conference call / interview with a candidate will be arranged.

Dragan Klaić was a theater scholar and cultural analyst. He served as a Permanent Fellow of Felix Meritis Foundation in Amsterdam and taught Arts and Cultural Policy at the University of Leiden. He obtained a degree in Dramaturgy in Belgrade and a Doctorate in Theater History and Dramatic Criticism from Yale University. Klaić worked as a theater critic and dramaturge, held professorships at the University of Arts in Belgrade and University of Amsterdam, guest professorships in the USA, at the CEU Budapest and University of Bologna, led the Theater Instituut Nederland, co-founded the European Theater Quarterly Euromaske, and served as the President of the European Network of Information Centers for the Performing Arts and of the European Forum for the Arts and Heritage. His fields of engagement were contemporary performing arts, European cultural policies, strategies of cultural development and international cultural cooperation, interculturalism and cultural memory. He led complex international research projects, conceptualized numerous conferences and symposia, authored and edited publications. Klaić is the author of several books and hundreds of articles. He was the Chair of the European Festival Research Project. Dragan Klaić passed away in August 2011.

Center for Openness and Dialogue Stipend (Tirana)

Center for Openness and Dialogue (COD, Tirana) provides a full scholarship for the academic year 2017-18 that will cover the tuition fee and living expenses in Belgrade during the academic year, as well as working at COD in Tirana the following year.

The Scholarship aims to encourage and stimulate candidates from Albania to apply for this international master study program. COD will provide one or two scholarships to the best candidate/s (Albanian national/s) selected by the UNESCO Chair in Cultural Policy and Management.

Who is eligible for the Fellowship?

All candidates from Albania (Albanian nationals) applying for the UNESCO Chair in Cultural Policy and Management program in both June and September application periods are eligible for the Scholarship consideration, however, the selection of candidates is conducted in September, when the list of accepted students is finalized.

Fellowship criteria

Candidates are selected on the basis of:

- Previous education achievements
- Demonstrated commitment to sustained interaction with students of other nationalities, languages or ethnic backgrounds in the spirit of international understanding and cooperation during their previous studies, or demonstrated commitment to development of community intercultural projects outside of the university
- Initiation of and participation in other relevant cultural activities (cultural activism)
- Motivation letter explaining future career goals and interests, as well as reasons for applying for the Scholarship.

The scholarship is conditioned by the candidate collaborating with COD throughout the duration of the studies, as well as working in COD at least one year after the completion of the master's program.

Application route

In order to be taken into consideration for the *COD Scholarship*, nominations must be received together with application documents for the UNESCO Chair in Cultural Policy and Management program. Application deadlines:

- June application period: Tuesday 21st of June 2017
- September application period: Tuesday 20th of September 2017

Application evaluation process

- Application documents and personal profiles will be reviewed and evaluated by the entrance exam jury members of the UNESCO Chair in Cultural Policy and Management
- The results will be announced by 30th September 2017
- If needed, a Skype conference call / interview with a candidate will be arranged.

In case there are applicants selected for the Scholarship, COD will stipulate an agreement upon which the Scholarship is granted.

Upon the finalization of the first two years, COD will employ one or both MA graduates on a one year contract.

As part of the selection procedure agreed with the University of Arts in Belgrade, candidates should not get in contact with COD, its director or any of its team members in regard to this application.

Any such attempt will be not in the advantage but at the contrary at the disadvantage of the applicant. Once the selection is finalized, COD will contact the applicant/s selected for the scholarship.