Call for Conference Contributions

Date: 30 October, 2025

Location: Prishtinë, Republic of Kosovo and online

Language of the conference: English and Albanian

*The Faculty of Philosophy at the University of Prishtina is pleased to invite you to the **65th Anniversary Conference of the Faculty of Philosophy in Kosovo: Social Sciences, Humanities and Change**, which will take place on 30 October, 2025 in Prishtina and online.*

This year marks the 65th anniversary of the Faculty of Philosophy, which has long served as the leading academic institution in the fields of social sciences and humanities in Kosovo and beyond. To commemorate this milestone, a conference will be held to reflect on the Faculty's decades-long journey, highlighting its role, achievements, contributions, evolution, opportunities, and challenges, while providing a forward-looking perspective on its future development.

We welcome original research papers, position papers, case studies, and other academic contributions that explore the challenges and opportunities of studying and teaching social sciences and humanities, particularly in the societies of the Southeastern Europe. The event will also provide an opportunity to reflect on the profound legacy of the social sciences and humanities in shaping and driving social transformation. It will explore how these fields have contributed to the development of critical thought, social progress, and cultural understanding, while also addressing their evolving role in responding to contemporary challenges in an ever-changing global landscape.

Key topics

We welcome submissions on a broad range of topics related to the aforementioned themes, including but not limited to:

- *Requirements and challenges in the development of the Faculty of Philosophy*
- *Demographic, cultural, and economic trends shaping the development of study programs*
- *The Faculty of Philosophy's role in cultural emancipation*
- *Identifying the needs and priorities for scientific research*
- *Quality assurance in higher education*
- *The relationship between higher education and pre-university education*
- *The role and the public mission of the university*
- *The role of intellectuals in society*
- *University autonomy in the face of political influence and market forces*
- *The center-periphery dynamic in academia and scientific production*
- *The importance of scientific production and discourse in native languages*
- *Internationalization and the global academic landscape*
- *The impact of digitalization on education and research*
- *The future of academic institutions*
- *The transformation of university in the era of artificial intelligence*
- *Opportunities and challenges in scientific research*

Migration and its impact on youth interest in studies

- *The relevance of social sciences and humanities in the posthuman era*
- *Formal vs. informal education*

Submission Guidelines

- *Submissions should include a title, an abstract of 200-300 words, 3-5 keywords, and brief information about the author(s) (up to 100 words per author)*
- *Submissions must be original and not under review or published elsewhere*
- *We welcome submission in English or Albanian*
- *Submission should be submitted through email: conference.prishtina@uni-pr.edu*
- *All submissions will be reviewed by the conference's academic committee*

Important Dates

- *Abstract Submission Deadline: 15 May 2025*
- *Notification of Acceptance: 15 June 2025*
- *Final Paper Submission Deadline: 1 October 2025*
- *Conference Date: 30 October 2025*

Registration and Conference Details

- *Participation is free.*
- *For more information, please visit our website at https://filozofiku.uni-pr.edu/*

Publication Opportunity

- *A selected number of high-quality papers will be published in a conference proceedings collection, which will be made available online and in print after the conference.*