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University of Arts in Belgrade

UNESCO Chair in
Cultural Policy and Management
(Interculturalism and Mediation in the Balkans)

and

UNIVERSITÉ LUMIÈRE LYON 2

Master Programme in

# **CULTURAL POLICY AND MANAGEMENT** (Interculturalism and Mediation in the Balkans)



## MA IN CULTURAL POLICY AND MANAGEMENT

Study Level:	Master
Study Mode:	Full Time
Duration:	One academic year, i.e. 2 semesters
Start Date:	1 <sup>st</sup> October 2015
Due Date:	30 <sup>th</sup> September 2016
Application Deadlines:	1. June 24 <sup>th</sup> 2015
	2. September 18 <sup>th</sup> 2015
Directors:	Milena Dragićević Šešić, PhD
	Jacques Bonniel, 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. 250 €).

#### Course List

<ul> <li>Management of Intercultural Art Projects</li> <li>(6 ECTS)</li> <li>Marketing in Culture (5 ECTS)</li> <li>Human Resources Management in Culture</li> <li>(4 ECTS)</li> </ul>	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)
B. Elective courses (1 of 2) - Reading the Image of the Balkans (3 ECTS) or	

#### 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: **24<sup>th</sup> June 2015 or**
- September application period: **18<sup>th</sup> September 2015**.

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: 29<sup>th</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> June 2015
- September inscription period: 22<sup>nd</sup> 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2015.

#### **Application Documents**

Please download the application form for 2015/16 from our website (Serbian students in Serbian language, international students in English) and e-mail it to <u>coordinator@arts.bg.ac.rs</u>. 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 <u>coordinator@arts.bg.ac.rs</u> for the payment instructions.

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

#### Inscription Documents

Inscription deadlines:

- June inscription period: 29<sup>th</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> June 2015
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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 2016.

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

#### Academic Calendar

Autumn Semester: 1<sup>st</sup> October to 20<sup>th</sup> December 2015 Spring Semester: 10<sup>th</sup> February to 30<sup>th</sup> May 2016 MA Thesis Defense: October 2016

#### Additional Information

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

#### 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 Jacques Bonniel, PhD, Head of the Master 2 Programme *Développement de Projets Artistiques et Culturels Internationaux,* Université Lyon 2.

#### Faculty includes:

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 Irina Subotić, PhD, Professor Emeritus, President of the Europa Nostra Serbia Vesna Đukić, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade Tijana Mandić, PhD, Faculty of Dramatic Arts, Belgrade

Guest Lecturers:

Silvija Jestrović, PhD, University of Warwick Milija Gluhović, PhD, University of Warwick Aleksandra Jovićević, PhD, University La Sapienza, Rome Jean Pierre Deru, PhD, Université de Louvain, Director Fondation Marcel Hicter, Brussels

#### 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 Goethe-Institut, 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 SCP (The Swiss Cultural Programme in the Western Balkans), Sarajevo Canadian Embassy, Belgrade 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: **USD6,000** 

#### 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: Thursday **24<sup>th</sup> of June 2015**
- September application period: Thursday **18<sup>th</sup> of September 2015**

#### 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 30<sup>th</sup> September 2015
- 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.