

XXXIII INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SEMINAR
IN BULGARIAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

PROGRAMME

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Veliko Tarnovo

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Daily time-table

- 7:45 – 8:45 Breakfast
- 9:00 – 10:50 Practical Seminars (Classes in Bulgarian for all levels)
- 10:15 – 10:30 Break
- 10:30 – 11:45 Practical Seminars (Classes in Bulgarian for all levels)
- 11:45 – 12:00 Break
- 12:00 – 13:15 Practical seminars in Phonetics, Grammar and Lexis for beginners (1st, 2nd week)
Specialized seminars (1st, 2nd week)
- 13:30 – 14:30 Lunch
- 14:30 – 18:00 Leisure activities
- 19:30 – 20:30 Dinner
- 20:30 – 22:30 Cultural programme

Specialized seminars

Week One (August 2nd – 6th)

Modern Bulgarian Language (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Lyubka Stoichkova, Ph.D.

Modern Bulgarian Literature (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Sava Vasilev, Ph.D.

Bulgarian History and Culture (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Ivan Todorov, Ph.D.

Bulgarian History and Culture (in English) (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Nadezhda Hristova, Ph.D.

Week Two (August 9th – 13th)

Modern Bulgarian Language (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Aneliya Petkova, Ph.D.

Bulgarian Folklore (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Todor Mollov, Ph.D.

Bulgarian Culture and Art (in English) (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Mariyana Garmidolova, Ph.D.

Bulgarian Ethnography (12:00 – 13:15)

Lecturer Assoc. Prof. Nikolay Kolev, Ph.D.

Lectures

August 3rd, Tuesday (16:30 – 17:45)

Prof. Nikolay Daskalov, Dr. Habil. – Literary Modelling of the World and Man

August 4th, Wednesday (16:00 – 17:45)

Prof. Svetlozar Igov, Dr. Habil. Bulgarian Academy of Science – The Bulgarian Novel

August 5th, Thursday (16:30 – 17:45)

Prof. Antoaneta Ancheva, Dr. Habil. – A Panorama of Modern Bulgarian Art

August 6th, Friday (16:30 – 17:45)

Assoc. Prof. Mariana Yovevska, Ph.D. – The Contribution of the Balkans to the Process of European Integration in the Past and in the Present Day

August 9th, Monday (16:30 – 17:45)

Assoc. Prof. Ludmila Kostova, Ph.D. – Europe Versus the West? Images of Foreignness in Bulgarian Literature and Travel Writing from the 19th c. to the Present

August 10th, Tuesday (16:30 – 17:45)

Assoc. Prof. Radoslav Radev, Ph.D. – Oriental Motives in Bulgarian Culture

August 11th, Wednesday (16:30 – 17:45)

Prof. Penka Angelova, Dr. Habil. – The Rescuing of the Bulgarian Jews

August 16th, Monday (16:00 – 18:00)

Round Table: Current Problems of Bulgarian and Slavic studies

Cultural Programme

August 2nd, Monday

11:00 Official opening ceremony of the 33rd Summer Seminar in Bulgarian Language and Culture in the Aula of the University of Veliko Tarnovo

19:30 Cocktail party for the participants and guests of the Seminar

August 3rd, Tuesday

18:00 Classes in Bulgarian folk songs and dances

20:30 Evening party: “Let’s Be Friends!”

August 4th, Wednesday

18:00 Classes in Bulgarian folk songs and dances

20:30 A Visit to the audio-visual “Sound and Light” Show

August 5th, Thursday

18:00 Classes in Bulgarian folk songs and dances

20:30 A piano recital by Prof. Lilia Naumova

August 6th, Friday

18:00 Classes in Bulgarian folk songs and dances

20:30 Contemporary Bulgarian Cinema: “The World is Big and Salvation Lurks Around the Corner”. A meeting with Stefan Kitanov, producer of the film

August 7th, Saturday

9:00 Sightseeing tour of Veliko Tarnovo.

10:00 A Lesson on Bulgaria with Assoc. Prof. Plamen Pavlov

August 8th, Sunday

Excursion:

Veliko Tarnovo – Lovech – Troyan - Oreshaka

August 9th, Monday

18:00 Classes in Bulgarian folk songs and dances

20:30 Evening of Bulgarian Folklore

August 10th, Tuesday

20:30 Contemporary Bulgarian Cinema: “The Glass River”. A meeting with Emil Andreev, author of the novel on which the film is based, and Stanimir Trifonov, director of the film

August 11th, Wednesday

20:30 Evening of Bulgarian Cuisine

August 12th, Thursday

20:30 Evening of Bulgarian Poetry: Vladimir Stoyanov, “the poet with the guitar”

August 13th, Friday

20:30 Evening of International Cuisine – “With a knife and fork around the world”

August 14th, Saturday

15:00 Visit to Arbanasi

20:30 Contemporary Bulgarian Cinema: “Mission London”

August 15th, Sunday

Excursion:

Veliko Tarnovo – Kilifarevo Monastery – Dryanovo Monastery – the Bacho Kiro Cave

August 16th, Monday

20:30 Evening of Nations

August 17, Tuesday

20:30 Official closing ceremony of the 33rd International Summer Seminar in Bulgarian Language and Culture

August 18th, Wednesday

Departure for Burgas

August 19th, Thursday

Free Program

August 20th, Friday

Visit to Nessebar

August 21st, Saturday

Return to Veliko Tarnovo

August 22^{sd}, Sunday

End of the Seminar

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