







ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTENEGRO

The University of Montenegro is the oldest and the only state university in Montenegro that provides comprehensive education in the fields of social, humanistic, technological, natural, and medical sciences.

It was founded in 1974, with the belief that it would educate professionals essential for the dynamic socio-economic and cultural development of Montenegro. At its inception, it consisted of three faculties: Economics, Technical Sciences, and Law.

Today, on the eve of celebrating its 50th anniversary in 2024, the University of Montenegro comprises 19 faculties and three scientific institutes: the Historical Institute, the Institute of Marine Biology, and the Institute for Advanced Studies. The university accommodates around 20,000 students across Montenegro.

The teaching is structured in accordance with curricula from esteemed European higher education institutions, facilitating smooth mobility for students and academic staff through more than 150 signed agreements within the Erasmus+ program, as well as over 80 bilateral agreements.

It strengthens its position in the realm of science through international cooperation and project activities aimed at supporting research capabilities. As a central institution for science, culture, and the arts in Montenegro, it consistently builds connections with the business, social, and international sectors through productive collaboration with the business and public sectors.

The University of Montenegro is a member of prestigious international organizations, such as:

- The European University Association
- Magna Charta Universitatum
- The Francophone University Association
- The University Network of the Adriatic Ionian Initiative
- Network of Universities of Small Countries and Territories
- The Balkan University Association
- Ulysseus European University
- European Security and Defence College





| | DAY#1: |
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|)8:45-09:00 | Welcome Address by the Rector of the University of Montenegro, Prof. dr. Vladimir Bozovic Aleksandra Klisic , Laureate of the Montenegro Distinguished Researcher Award |
| | Members of Program Committee are Chairs of Sessions to follow: |
| | THE TIMING IS TIGHT AND ALL SPEAKERS ARE KINDLY ASKED TO RESPECT IT. |
|)9:00-11:00 | 7-minute presentations in 10-minute slots (Chairs: Natasa Popovic & Stevo Popovic) HEALTH (1,2,3) = 12 presentations in two hours |
| 1:00-11:30 | Break |
| 11:30-13:30 | 7-minute presentations in 10-minute slots (Chairs: Masa Zdralevic & Nedeljko Latinovic) BIOLOGY + GENETICS + GENERALSCIENCE = 12 presentations |
| 13:30-14:30 | Break |
| 14:30-16:30 | 7-minute presentations in 10-minute slots (Chairs: Jovan Djuraskovic & Goran Popivoda) ECON + MGMT + DISCUSSIONS (40 minutes) = 8 presentations |
| 16:30-17:00 | Break |
| 17:00-19:00 | EIGHT PARALLEL SESIONS, ON THE ABOVE EIGHT TOPICS, WITH FOUR 30-minute IN-DEPTH PRESENTATIONS IN EACH SESSION |
| 19:00-20:00 | ROUND TABLE TO INCLUDE FOREIGN GUESTS AND DOMESTIC EXPERTS (topic: What is of importance for Montenegro?) |
| 20:00-22:00 | SOCIAL EVENT |
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| | DAY#2: |
|)8:45-09:00 | Interview for UCG students by Nobel Laureate Jean-Marie Lehn (Reader: Dragana Radulovic) TBD , Laureate of the Montenegro Distinguished Researcher Award |
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09:00-15:00 ORDER OF SPEAKERS

HEALTH (1) = Petar M. Seferovic, SRB Petar Otasevic, USA Milena Jovanovic, USA Marija Polovina, SRB

HEALTH (2) = Aleksandar Videnovic, USA Marko Barovic, GER Marko Jovic, SRB Djordje Jelic, BiH and Marina Andjelic, SRB

HEALTH (3) = Andjela Martinovic, LUX Mensur Dlakic, USA Mujë Gjonbalaj, KOS Silva Vujanovic, CAN

BIOLOGY = Dusica Babovic-Vuksanovic, USA Milenko Cicmil, GBR Petar Scepanovic, CHE Srdjan Djurovic, NOR

GENETICS = Vladimir Vujanovic, CAN Miodrag Grbic and Vojislava Grbic, CAN Sanja Bauk, EST Petraq Papajorgji, ALB

GENSCIENCE = Rifat Skrijelj, BiH Nebojsa Neskovic, WAAS Milos Vulanovic, FRA Demetrios Theophylactou, CYP and Yahel Vilan, ISR

ECON = Aleksandar Tomic, USA Nikola Altiparmakov, SRB Predrag Bjelic, SRB Zorica Mladenovic, SRB

MGMT = Vesna Bengin, SRB Milorad M. Novicevic, USA Evgeny A. Shvarts, RUS Alexander D. Stajkovic, USA





DAY#2:

09:00-15:00 ORDER OF SPEAKERS

PHYSCHEM = Bojana Milosevic, SRB Filip Markovic, GER Balsa Terzic, USA Milica Vujkovic, SRB

GEOSCI = Fedor Mesinger, USA Slobodan Markovic, SRB Branislav Mitrovic, SRB Vuk Uskokovic, USA

ARCHI = Slobodan Radoman, USA Komnen Zizic, SRB + AUT Aleksandar Kavcic, USA Dusan Barac, SRB

MATSTAT = Miodrag Mateljevic, SRB Slobodan Vujosevic, SRB Vladimir Dragovic, SRB Avi Mendelson and Freddy Gabbay, ISR

ETF = Ervin Spahic, GER Malisa Vucinic, FRA Zoran Babovic, SRB Marija Vujacic, ITA

COMPUTING = Miodrag J. Mihaljevic, SRB Ilija Vukotic, USA Milo Tomasevic, SRB Vlado Filipovic, SRB

AI (1) = Branka Jokanovic, USA Tijana Markovic (née Vujicic), USA Milos Ojdanic, LUX Fabio Clarizia, ITA

AI (2) = Mijat Kustudic, CHN Petar Velickovic, GBR Drazen Draskovic, SRB Predrag Obradovic, SRB and Miljan Vuletic, CHE





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17:00-20:00 THE ORDER OF SPEAKERS REMAINS THE SAME

Room A = HEALTH (1) – Chair: Natasa Popovic

Room B = HEALTH (2) – Chair: Stevo Popovic

Room C = HEALTH (3) – Chair: Ljiljana Vuckovic

Room D = GENSCIENCES – Chair: Nedeljko Latinovic

Room E = BIOLOGY – Chair: Vesna Maras

Room F = GENETICS – Chair: Masa Zdralevic

Room G = ECON – Chair: Jovan Djuraskovic

Room H = MGMT – Chair: Ivan Radevic

Each talk is 30 minutes long (discussion time included)

DAY#2:

17:00-20:00 THE ORDER OF SPEAKERS REMAINS THE SAME

Room A = PHYSCHEM – Chairs: **Natasa Raicevic**, **Zeljko Jacimovic** & **Miljan Bigovic**

Room B = GEOSCI – Chair: Slobodan Markovic

Room C = ARCHI – Chair: Svetlana Perovic

Room D = MATSTAT – Chairs: Nevena Mijajlovic & Nikola Konatar

Room E = ETF – Chair: Gojko Joksimovic

Room F = COMPUTING – Chair: Igor Jovancevic

Room G = AI (1) – Chair: Budimir Lutovac

Room H = AI (2) – Chair: Savo Tomovic

Each talk is 30 minutes long (discussion time included)

NOTE: If so desired, interested speakers of the Day#1, in the afternoon of Day#2 (from 5pm to 8pm), could visit the UCG departments in their fields (to meet experts and graduate students), and vice versa for speakers of Day#2.

Participants are coming from 20 different countries.





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