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Dear Sir/Madam,

Faculty of Philosophy, University of East Sarajevo has the honour to invite you to be a participant of the International Scientific Conference "Science and Reality" which is going to be held on 23rd May, 2026 at the Faculty of Philosophy in Pale. The conference will be held in-person (online participation will be possible as well). We invite proposals addressing the following topics:

- *Science and Artificial Intelligence*
- *Innovations in Teaching Foreign Languages and Literature*
- *Serbian and German: Languages in Contact and Contrast*
- *Innovations in Teaching the Chinese Language, Culture, and Literature*
- *Research in Cross-Cultural Communication*
- *Contrastive Linguistic Studies*
- *Directing Large-Scale Scenic Performances*
- *New Forms in Performing Arts*
- *Drama and Post-Drama in Contemporary Serbian Playwriting*
- *The Poetry and Poetics of Pero Zubac*
- *Serbian Literature in a Comparative Context*
- *Contemporary Literary Studies*
- *Psychology and Literature: Trauma, Memory, and Identity in Literary Works*
- *Innovative Approaches to Reading: Empathy in Literature*
- *Literature and Reality: Historical Falsification and Dystopia*
- *Psychology in the Contemporary Social Context*
- *Cultural and Historical Heritage of the Balkans*
- *Books, Periodicals, and Culture through History*
- *Contemporary Trends in Library and Information Science*
- *The Relevance of Metaphysical Thought Today*
- *Media, Journalism, and Reality*
- *The Western Balkans between Geopolitical Competition and Democratic Erosion*
- *Ethics in Social Work: Dilemmas and Standards*

- *Between the Real and the Virtual: Social Networks and the Modern Age*
- *Ethnic Groups and Globalization: Challenges and Perspectives*
- *Education in the 21st Century: Progress or Deviation?*
- *Contemporary Pedagogy: From Theoretical Reflections to Practical Educational Challenges*
- *Pedagogy in Contemporary Society*
- *The Status of Persons with Disabilities in Society: Between Prejudice and Acceptance*
- *Inclusive Education: From Theory to Practice*
- *Assistive Technologies in Inclusive Education*
- *Geography and Reality*
- *Mathematics: From Research to the Classroom*

We kindly ask You to apply for the participation and send the title of your paper (along with a brief elaboration) via email to the following address: skup.2026@ff.ues.rs.ba, by **19th March, 2026**, at the latest. Admission of Your application will be confirmed via email and it will be sent to the address from which the application had been sent. Authors whose papers get accepted will receive the paper acceptance notice.

The working languages of the conference are Serbian, English, French, Russian, Chinese, Greek.

Nota bene:

1. Applications which arrive after the deadline will not be considered.
2. Only the applications by authors with scientific affiliations will be considered.
3. Papers can be submitted individually or as co-authorship (two authors at most).
4. All the papers will be revised by two reviewers. Papers which do not receive two positive reviews will not be published.

Important dates:

19th March, 2026 – Deadline for abstract submission

30th March, 2026 – Notification of acceptance

23rd May, 2026 – Conference date

30th September 2026 – Deadline for full paper submission

Kind regards,

ORGANISING COMMITTEE