













# THE INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE FOR STUDENTS AND YOUNG SCIENTISTS



**Košice** 20.5.2022



"It is not true, but it could be"

## THE CONFERENCE IS HELD UNDER THE AUSPIECES OF

Rector of the Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice **prof. RNDr. Pavol Sovák, Csc.**Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice **prof. PhDr. Oľga Orosová, Csc.** 

The conference is organized as a part of the project APVV-20-0334: "This is Not True, but it Could Be": Conspiracy Theories and Hoaxes in the Modern Development of Slovakia in the European Context

## **ANNOTATION**

The scientific conference for students and young scientists addresses the persistent threats of our time: after the COVID-19 pandemic, the next challenge to global and European security is posed by the conflict in Ukraine. The presence of disinformation, hoaxes and conspiracy theories is becoming an inherent part of these challenges in the 21st century. These often seek to erode trust in democracy, undermine the integrity of elections or reinforce the polarization and conflict in society. The given aspects allow for an interdisciplinary scope with regard to the study of both domestic and international elements. We are at a moment that calls for a responsible academic approach in offering reflections, possible solutions to gradually emerging, resonating and challenging issues. In this respect, the conference reflects the growing relevance of the issues underlined by the need for an intensive debate. Therefore, we consider the contributions of the speakers to be of a significant input, which will undoubtedly help to shape the expert discourse on the selected thematic areas.

## ORGANIZATIONAL GUIDELINES

**Deadline for sending an application is** 8 May 2022.

Online Registration Form: LINK

Conference will take place on 20 May 2022 in Košice.

Conference programme will be sent to you via e-mail after the registration is closed.

**Deadline for submission of your paper is** 31 July 2022 at:

Katedra politológie FF UPJŠ v Košiciach Moyzesova 9 (Platón building).

Papers submitted after this date will not be published.

#### **Publication of contributions:**

All papers will be reviewed. Please, comply with the Instructions for Authors.

In the case of non-compliance, your papers will be returned to the post edition.

Languages of papers in publication are Slovak, English, Czech.

Accepted papers from the conference will be published in the e-book conference proceedings.

There is a limitation of 8 – 15 pages per paper, including references and

bibliography.

#### **Conference Languages:**

Slovak, English, Czech, Polish.

#### **Presentation Length:**

Every participant has 15 minutes for the presentation.

#### **Conference fee:**

Conference fee is 20 €.

The fee includes publication of paper in the e-book conference proceedings.

The payment should be realised via bank transfer

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Students and members of co-organisers institutions are free of charge.

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## We are looking forward for your participation.

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