



International scientific-professional conference
"EDUCATION OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES - CURRENT SITUATIONS AND PERSPECTIVES"
October 13-15, 2022 Skopje, Republic of North Macedonia

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

Organizers:

- ❖ Association of Special Educators and Rehabilitators of the Republic of North Macedonia
- ❖ Faculty of Philosophy Skopje, Institute for Special Education and Rehabilitation
- ❖ Faculty of Pedagogy, Tetovo, Studies for special education and rehabilitation

Patron:

Minister of Education and Science - Mr. Jeton Shaqiri

Categories (areas) and topics:

- ❖ The Impact of diagnosis and early intervention on the education of students with disabilities - clinical strategies and trends in rehabilitation:
 - *Etiological aspects of disabilities;*
 - *The impact of prevention and detection on education;*
 - *Early diagnosis and its importance for education;*
 - *The impact of early intervention on education;*
 - *Methods and techniques for assessment and treatment;*
- ❖ Upbringing and education of children with disabilities in preschool institutions:
 - *Experiences from inclusion in preschool institutions;*
- ❖ Primary education of students with disabilities:
 - Assessment of students with disabilities enrolled in primary education;
 - Types of learning support for students with disabilities (educational assistance, personal assistance, assistive technology, inclusive team);
 - The role of Primary schools with resource centers and Learning support centers on the education;
 - Individual education plan and Modified program;
 - Monitoring, evaluation and assessment of the achievements of students with disabilities;

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- ❖ Secondary education of students with disabilities:
 - Experiences and perspectives;
 - ❖ Higher education for persons with disabilities;
 - ❖ Education of students with disabilities in pandemic conditions:
 - Experiences and perspectives;
 - ❖ Socio-economic aspects of the education of persons with disabilities:
 - *Impact of education on the quality of life of persons with disabilities;*
 - *Parents and families of persons with disabilities as active participants in all segments of the process;*
 - *Social inclusion of persons with disabilities;*
 - *Models of support for the education of persons with disabilities by Day care centers and institutions for social protection;*
 - *Vocational rehabilitation and employment of persons with disabilities;*
 - *The role of the NGO sector in education and the support of persons with disabilities;*

Conference goals:

- ❖ Networking of institutions and strengthening the communication of educators, researchers, medical professionals, parents and all those who are committed to improving the education and quality of life of persons with disabilities; exchange of experiences and knowledge and giving proposals for improvement of education, diagnosis and rehabilitation of persons with disabilities; understanding the challenges that the Republic of North Macedonia should face in order to improve the upbringing and education of persons with disabilities.

Target groups:

- ❖ Professionals - special educators and rehabilitators (different profiles), teachers, educators, psychologists, pedagogues, speech therapists, pediatricians, psychiatrists, social workers, etc;
- ❖ Institutions for education, diagnosis, rehabilitation, treatment and protection of persons with disabilities;
- ❖ Parents of children with disabilities
- ❖ Representatives of central and local government;
- ❖ NGOs;

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Official language of the conference:

- ❖ Macedonian language
- ❖ Albanian language
- ❖ English language

Forms of participation:

- ❖ Plenary presentation
- ❖ Oral presentation
- ❖ Poster presentation
- ❖ Participation without presentation

Application for participation:

- ❖ Fill in the "Application Form" by downloading from the website: www.sojuzser.org After applying for participation you will receive a pre-registration form with a certain registration fee and after paying the registration you will receive a confirmation list with a reference number that you must bring with you upon arrival at the Conference. If you do not receive feedback within 7 days of registration, please sent one more email to the same email address.

Application for papers:

- ❖ Filling in the "Application Form" on the website: www.sojuzser.org
- ❖ By e-mail address: dsojuz@yahoo.com

Publications:

- ❖ All submitted papers that will receive a positive review will be published in the Conference Proceedings

Guide to writing abstracts and papers:

- ❖ The guide for writing abstracts and papers in Macedonian and English is given in the Guide for authors and can be downloaded from the website: www.sojuzser.org

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Registration fee:

- ❖ Payments made until **20th of May** - **1200 denars** (for participants from the Republic of North Macedonia), 30 euros for participants from abroad
- ❖ Payments made until **10th of September** - **2400 denars** (for participants from the Republic of North Macedonia), 50 euros (for participants from abroad)
- ❖ Payments made after **10th of September** - **5000 denars** (for participants from the Republic of North Macedonia), 100 euros (for participants from abroad)
- ❖ Members of the Association of Special Educators and Rehabilitators of the Republic of North Macedonia (with regulated status in the last two years) and the employees of the Faculty of Philosophy Skopje and the Faculty of Pedagogy Tetovo are exempt from registration, and allowed to participate on the conference by paying a "membership fee" in the amount of **1000 denars until 20th of April**
- ❖ Members of the Association of Special Educators of Serbia, the Association of Special and Rehabilitation Educators of Slovenia, the Association of Educational Rehabilitators of Croatia, the Association of Special Educators and Rehabilitators of Republic of Srpska, the Association of defectogists, educators-rehabilitators in the canton of Sarajevo "STOL" and the Association of Special Educators of Montenegro pay a registration fee of **20 euros until 20th of May**, in accordance with the signed Cooperation Protocol
- ❖ ***The registration fee includes: conference participation, materials, certificate of participation, refreshments during breaks.***
- ❖ **PAYMENT OF THE REGISTRATION FEE:**
- ❖ For the payment from the Republic of North Macedonia: The payment of the registration fee should be made on the account: 300-0000001729-87 Komercijalna Banka AD Skopje
- ❖ **For payments from abroad:** The payment of the registration fee is made on the account of the "Association of Special Educators and Rehabilitators of the Republic of North Macedonia", account: 0270100352068 IBAN: MK 07300701003520679 Swift: KOBSMK2X, Bank: Komercijalna Banka AD Skopje

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Accommodation:

The conference will be held at the **Holiday Inn hotel in Skopje**, www.holidayinn.com

Registration of participants is on Thursday, 13th of October, 2022. The accommodation starts with dinner, and the departure is scheduled for Saturday, 15th of October, 2022 (ending with lunch).

Accommodation prices:

Hotel Holiday Inn	Price per person		
Room type	Bed and breakfast	Half board (breakfast and dinner)	Full board
Double room	3,276.00 MKD or 53 €	4,200.00 MKD or 68 €	5,440.00 MKD or 88 €
Single room	4,635.00 MKD or 75 €	5,871.00 MKD or 95 €	6,798.00 MKD or 110 €

- ❖ The price for hotel accommodation includes tourist tax and VAT, internet connection, use of mini gym and sauna, as well as a set for making coffee and tea in each room.
- ❖ ***Please register in a timely manner.***

Important dates:

- ❖ 15.05.2022 - deadline for submission of abstracts for papers
- ❖ 20.05.2022 - notification for acceptance of abstracts
- ❖ 30.06.2022 - deadline for submission of papers
- ❖ 20.05.2022 - deadline for early payment of registration fee
- ❖ 30.09.2022 - deadline for registration for participation in the conference
- ❖ 05.10.2022 - deadline for submission of presentations
- ❖ 13-15.10.2022 - holding the conference