



Programme universitaire d'été Summer University Programme

BALKANS SUMMER UNIVERSITY

OHRID (North Macedonia) –September 7th to 13th, 2020

in partnership with

Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality University St Kliment Ohridski

« SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION IN THE BALKANS REGION »

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

For a few years, the Centre international de formation européenne organizes a programme in North Macedonia. The programme will take place in OHRID, the most touristic place of North Macedonia, in partnership with St Kliment Ohridski University, Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality, from September 7 to 13, 2020. CIFE and the local partner intend to select a group of about 15 participants from North Macedonia and from abroad. The working language is English.

Students enrolled in any University programmes (preferably for 2 years or more) but also young professionals are welcome. The working language is English. Students will have the possibility to acquire 4,5 ECTS academic credits according to the relevant conditions.

Experts from North Macedonia but also from the whole Europe will teach in this program. Classes will deal with specific problems regarding this country. Group activities, debates, visits and excursions also constitute an integral part of the summer school's programme. After courses, the candidates will have free time enough for their own activities (or to swim in the wonderful Ohrid Lake)

Participants will stay in apartments. There will be 3 or 4 students per apartments shared by candidates of a same sex. Accommodation during the session covers rooms for 6 nights and working lunches (except when free time is proposed for excursion or personal visits). Students will be free to choose where they have dinner (at their own expenses) so that they can take profit of the region and, because of this specific logistic in independent apartments, breakfast probably won't be organized.

Students must cover the travel costs for the journey to Ohrid and back. The closer airport is Skopje and frequent regular buses link Skopje to Ohrid in about 2.30 h. The Low Cost Company WIZZAIR also join directly Ohrid from Brussels, Francfort, Bâle ... and Pegassus or Onu Air join Ohrid from Istanbul SAW.

Fees are detailed in the registration form. Grants are available to cover a part of the cost after examination of the complete file. Candidates, who can justify their status of student, are considered first. The registration becomes final only after the integral payment of the expenses (with or without grant)

PROVISIONAL DRAFT PROGRAMME

Monday September 7th , 2020: Arrival of the participants. Accommodation. Free evening

Tuesday September 8th to 12th , 2020: Academic programme of the summer university

Sunday September 13th , 2020: Departure of the foreign group

Some of the proposed topics ():*

Presentation of Macedonia : Historical, economic, cultural and touristic aspects

Environment and Human Rights

Saving our Planet: Environment Issues

Packaging Waste Management

Cooperation for the Development

Sustainable Development and Sustainable Tourism

Tourism as a contribution to economic growth

etc....

()*: All the proposed topics are only indicative. Presentations may be modified, or replaced, depending of the progress of the program and proposals of the different lecturers who confirm their presence during the preparation. A final program will be communicated to the candidates on the first day of the session.

