

For the 7th year in a row the Association of Philosophy Students “Furija” is organising the International Students’ Conference for students of philosophy and other social sciences entitled *Contemporary Themes in Philosophy Junior*. The conference will be held at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Rijeka. The purpose of this conference is mainly to present as much of philosophical issues as possible, through presentations, discussions, and invited lectures. The importance and the success of the previous conferences are visible both in the longevity and their international character. Conferences are also recognized and supported by the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences and the University of Rijeka. For that reason, the Association of Philosophy Students “Furija” wants to give students an opportunity to present their own research in the field of philosophy and other humanities and social sciences.

The 7th International Students’ Conference *Contemporary Themes in Philosophy Junior* will be held for three days, from the 19th to the 21st of May 2016. During the Conference, all of the participants who are not from Rijeka will have an accommodation in the city centre, free public transportation to the Faculty and a lunch each day.

Same as in previous years, the Conference is not limited in terms of topics for the presentation. This is so in order to give an opportunity to the students with interest in various fields of philosophy to present their work. However, the original work will be preferred, as well as dealing with contemporary authors, themes and research. This year’s Conference is subtitled “**Philosophy in theory and practice**”. The title is meant to encourage the presenters to view their area of research through both theory and practice, without the aforementioned limitations in subject or area of research. When people think of philosophy, they usually think of its’ theoretical aspect. Philosophers deal with numerous issues through theory, logics and analysis to find the answers to the questions which they encounter in their field of interest. However, many philosophers are trying to show the practical side of their research and try to answer practical questions. We want to encourage you to reassess your field of research and the questions you tackle in the framework of theory, practice or both of those.

The applications for participation are opened until **3rd of May 2015**. Students from all levels of studies (undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate) are free to apply. One can apply as a single author or in pair. The official languages are Croatian and English. The sections in English language will be organized according to the number of foreign applications. In order

to apply one has to send an abstract of the paper of approximate length of 300-500 words which will be published in a book of abstracts. Further, in the application e-mail you have to provide the title of your presentation, your full name and surname, faculty and university on which you study, the year and the level of study, your e-mail and phone number. If a certain timeframe does not suit you, please note that in the application e-mail also. The applicants who submit their abstracts in Croatian should also note whether they are willing to present in English. Each participant will be given 20 minutes for presentation, following a 10 minute discussion.

Applications and any inquiries are to be sent at the e-mail address:

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Looking forward to your applications!

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