

VII.  
INTERNATIONAL  
CONGRESS  
OF ART HISTORY  
STUDENTS

Dear students,

We are excited to announce that the applications for the VII. International Congress of Art History Students are now open for submission. This year's Congress will be held from the 14th to the 16th of November and will take place at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Zagreb.

The idea behind the Congress is to establish an international platform for young students to share ideas, knowledge and experiences in the field of art history and other related studies. Year after year, scholars from numerous European universities gather in Zagreb to present their latest scientific research to their colleagues and the academic community.

The theme of the VII. International Congress of Art History Students is *Transformation*, but in case you want to introduce yourself and your research with another subject of your interest, those will also be taken into consideration. The main theme includes transformations (changes) in art and art history that happened within the time period, style, media or an individual artist. To facilitate your work, here are some suggestions about the topics that you can write about:

- social and political context as a cause of transformations in art
- transformation in the relationship between the artist and his work
- positive and negative transformations in art
- transformations within the comprehension and view of art
- transformations in discipline: how is art history changing its approach to art? Are changes in art history real or additionally constructed?
- transformations of museums and art institutions
- transformations of art medium
- transformation of art piece: physical or contextual
- art that depends on changes (e.g. land art, architecture)
- how does art become art (e.g. readymade objects or products)

During the three days of Congress each participant will have 15 minutes to present his or her work, accompanied by visual presentation following with a 10-minute open discussion. The

official language of the Congress is English so both your oral and visual presentation, along with your written paper, need to be in English. If you are interested and want to be part of the Congress you are required to send an abstract of your paper in English, 300-500 words, in which you should present the main points of your research, along with your personal information: name, surname, university, city and the level of study. You can submit your applications until the 1st of May, 2018 after which they will be reviewed and the selected participants will be notified. In order to participate, all the written papers (in English, 10-20 standard pages) need to be submitted before the beginning of the Congress.

All participants are required to pay the participation fee in the amount of 100HRK (~14 euros) upon their arrival. During the Congress, the accommodation and a meal will be provided for the participants who are not students of the University of Zagreb. Other travel expenses are not included.

You can send your applications or any questions you may have to [kongres7.pum@gmail.com](mailto:kongres7.pum@gmail.com).

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We are looking forward to your applications!