









GEOGRAPHICAL • RESEARCH • OF THE LANDSCAPE AND • MODERN • FORMS• OF TOURISM



Department of Geography and Geology, Faculty of Natural Sciences, Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

invites you to an international online scientific conference, which will take place under the auspices of the Dean of the Faculty of Natural Sciences Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica doc. RNDr. Jarmila Kmeťová, PhD.

The conference is dedicated to the significant jubilee of life, the 90th birthday of prof. RNDr. Jaroslav Mazúrek, CSc., Nestor of geographical research and education at Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica and Slovakia.



The first year of the conference focusing on pilgrim tourism took place in September 2019 in Korňa, Kysuce, Slovakia under the auspices of the then Minister of Culture of the Slovak Republic PhDr. Ľubica Laššáková.

The aim of the scientific conference is to present the latest results of geographical research of the country with the possibilities of their application in modern forms of tourism in the regions of Slovakia and Europe. To present the conclusions of basic physical-geographical, human-geographical and historical-geographical research of various types of landscape through the most modern methodological applications, especially in individual tourism. Contributions focused on modern forms of tourism considering the changing global situation caused by the COVID-19 pandemic are also welcomed.

THEMATIC FOCUS OF THE CONFERENCE

physical-geographical, human-geographical and historical-geographical landscape research

historical aspects of tourism research

individual forms of modern tourism in today's country

theoretical-methodical and practical aspects of modern forms of tourism (e.g. ecotourism, rural tourism, wildlife tourism, mountain tourism, mining tourism, geotourism, adrenaline tourism, dark tourism, speleotourism, etc.)

information and communication technologies in the research of modern forms of tourism

current tourism during the COVID-19 pandemic

Basic information

Date June 24, 2021 at 9:00 am.

On-line form communication channel MS Teams

Choice of speakers

heads of the scientific committee of the conference reserve the right to choose the registered speakers and to include them in the conference program to ensure that their contributions correspond with the scientific focus of the conference, would be of benefit to the scientific discipline of the conference and to fit them within the time frame available for the conference program

English, Slovak and Czech **Conference language**

> using the form until 15 May 2021 (with brief Registration annotation in English)

Publication of papers Acta Geographica Universitatis Comenianae

- SCOPUS, published by the Comenius University in Bratislava)
- selected the most significant papers recommended by heads of the scientific committee
- however, the recommendation of a paper by heads of the scientific committee of the conference does not automatically guarantee its acceptance in the press. All contributions must be subjected to a full review procedure according to the internal rules of the journal

Geographical Review

- published by the Department of Geography and Geology, Faculty of Natural Sciences, Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica
- selected papers will be published in English and Slovak

Acta Geoturistica

- published by civic association Geotour supported by the BERG Faculty of the Technical University in Košice, the Institute of Earth Resources and the Department of Geo and Mountain Tourism
- selected papers will be published in English

Further information detailed information on the conference. organizational notes, the conference program and the collection of abstracts will be sent to all conference speakers by 2nd June 2021.

> **Certificate** all invited experts receive a certificate of the requested lecture

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