



FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Sir/Madam,

It is our honor and pleasure to invite you to the **First Macedonian Congress of Roads**, which will be held on **November 7 - 8**, 2019 in **Skopje**, in the hotel "**Double Tree by HILTON**".

We expect this First Macedonian congress on roads to be a successful start of a tradition in organizing such scientific and professional gatherings.

At the same time, this First Macedonian Road Congress should be a major regional gathering of all authorities in the field of roads, not only from neighboring countries, but also from Europe.

The first Macedonian Road Congress is organized under the patronage of the Prime Minister of the Government of the Republic of North Macedonia, at the initiative of the Macedonian Association of Road Engineers (MARE), and in cooperation with the Faculty of Civil Engineering (GF), the University "St. Cyril and Methodius" (UKIM), the Public Road Maintenance Company (JPDP), the Public Enterprise "Makedonijapat" and the Chamber of certified architects and certified engineers of Republic of Macedonia (KOAOL).

The First Macedonian Congress on Roads is organized in honor of several major jubilees:

- 70 years since the establishment of the University "Ss. Cyril and Methodius"
- 70 years since the establishment of the Faculty of Civil Engineering in Skopje
- 50 years since the establishment of the Macedonian Association of Road Engineers

In addition to the congress is the large investment cycle in the road infrastructure that takes place in the Republic of North Macedonia in the amount of over 1 billion euros, expressed through the construction of 2 highways, several express roads and more regional roads.

Topics of the upcoming First Macedonian Congress on roads are:

- ✓ Planning and designing
- ✓ Management, construction and maintenance
- ✓ Road traffic safety
- ✓ Environmental protection and sustainable development
- ✓ Infrastructure facilities
- ✓ Transport policy and financing
- ✓ ITS and new technologies in traffic
- ✓ Free and related topics in the field of roads and presentation of new projects

On this occasion, we invite all domestic and foreign experts to present their own research and experiences in the field of roads on the anticipated topics.

For all Congress participants a fee is planned, with a discount for early registration. For students of doctoral studies and postgraduate students of the Civil Engineering Faculties an additional discount follows.

The official languages of the Congress are Macedonian and English.

Also, we call on all domestic and foreign companies to help the organization of this great international gathering, through the promotion and advertising of their companies by choosing one of the sponsorship packages.

Deadlines:

Activity	Date
Deadline for sending the abstracts	15.07.2019
Acceptance of abstracts	25.07.2019
Deadline for submission of papers	30.09.2019
Notice of acceptance of papers	15.10.2019
Deadline for registration of participants	31.10.2019
Date of the congress	7 – 8.11.2019

Fees for participation in the congress:

- For foreign participants

Until 30.07.2019	180 €
Until 30.09.2019	200 €
Until 30.09.2019	220 €

- For members of MARE and co-organizers

Until 30.07.2019	100 €
Until 30.09.2019	120 €
After 30.09.2019	130 €

The discount applies to members of the DPM with paid membership fees for 2018 and 2019.

For regular students and postgraduates, follows a discount of 50%.

For doctoral students, follows a discount of 25%.

With one paid registration fee, it is possible to publish only 2 papers by the same author.

The registration fee includes:

- ✓ Attendance at Congress and all lectures
- ✓ A copy of the printed Book of Abstracts
- ✓ A copy of proceedings to USB
- ✓ All additional congressional and promotional materials
- ✓ Cocktail for welcome
- ✓ Refreshments during breaks provided by the Program of the Congress
- ✓ Lunches provided by the Program of the Congress
- ✓ Gala dinner
- ✓ A copy of the scientific and professional journal „Patishta“
- ✓ Certificate for participation at the congress by the “KOAOL” valued by CPD points

Note: The hotel accommodation is not included in the registration fee!

All additional information regarding the Congress can be found on the website: www.prvkongreszapatista.mk where you can apply for participation and submission of abstracts.

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