

Forum for European Journalism Students International calls for



LOCATION

Krakow. Recently one of the most beautiful showpieces of Central Europe – a claim validated by its historic centre's inclusion on the first ever UNESCO World Heritage List in 1978, along with only ten other places in the world. The former capital of Poland, residence of Polish kings. A city of majestic architectural monuments, cultural treasures, timeless courtyards, priceless artworks, legendary beer cellars and gardens and unforgettable positive vibe.

Jagiellonian University. The oldest and the most renowned higher education institution in Poland. Established in May 1364 by the Polish king Casimir the Great inextricably bound with the turbulent and often tragic history of Poland. The institution managed to survive both the partitions of Poland by Russia, Prussia and Austria, and the two world wars, serving as a guardian of Polish culture and identity and educating successive generations of Poles, as well as members of other nations, significantly contributing to the intellectual heritage of Europe.

Faculty of Management and Social Communication. Established in 1996. Today one of the largest part of university structure, educating over 7,5 thousand of students in the field of journalism, economics, management, audio-visual arts and public affairs.

TOPIC

Media Social Responsibility. Journalism has always been a challenge, but in recent years the role of the media in building a better world seems even more difficult and at the same time more and more important. In the era of the enormous development of the internet and social media, journalists should fight with fake news and tell the truth. They should overlook the work of politicians. They should be able to talk about poverty, famine, war and show them without making a sensation, but increase the sensitivity and awareness of their audience. The question also arises where the border between work and social responsibility of a journalist is. Does the working end in the editorial office and at the computer?

The political situation in the media does not facilitate the social approach. Hungary's largest left-liberal daily 'Népszabadság' was closed last year. In Poland, the largest commercial television station was imposed a million-zloty penalty after reporting the opposition's protests. Journalists in the United States lost with the Facebook algorithm, which Donald Trump used to win the election.

During the congress in Krakow we want to show why despite political, financial and technological difficulties, journalists should not give up their mission and how they should meet these challenges of modern times.

APPLICATION & PARTICIPATION

Please apply here until the **March 27th**:

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Since this is the last call, we only have a few places left. You will be notified of your acceptance by **March 28th**. The participation fee for the event is **150 euro**, which covers food, accommodation and all the activities in the programme. Your travel expenses will not be covered by this fee. Once you are accepted to participate, you will have to pay a deposit of **80 euro** on the bank account until **April 4th**. You will be provided with the bank account details upon notification of acceptance.

You can also apply for the solidarity fund, which can cover up to 70% of your travel expenses. The fund gathers money at each of our events through the annual auction of country delegation presents. At each event, we host an auction, in which together we raise money to help our own members attend events. We will do the auction again at the AC, so don't forget to bring your country delegation presents. The deadline for applying for the solidarity fund is the **March 27th**. Please apply here:

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CONTACT

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