



THE BREAKTHROUGH OF THE SOCIAL

**Practical Utopias, Wisdom and Radical Transformations - Social Work
@IUC: Lessons Learned and Future Challenges**

Dubrovnik 2nd - 6th September, 2019

The conference will celebrate 30 years of social work courses at the IUC in Dubrovnik. It will address the state of the art in the theory and practice of social work, address new ways of formulating and implementing social policy, examine key challenges in working with children and families, explore new approaches to children in conflict with law, present possibilities of community work and community action, confront issues of old age and investigate the possibilities for and obstacles to deinstitutionalisation.

The aim of the conference is to reassert the role of social work in societal change and to explore political, organisational and ethical issues through the lens of freedom and social transformation. To do so participants will revisit historical sources and envisage new pathways, possible functions and responsibilities of the profession in order to enrich utopias with practical purpose through (indigenous) wisdom and by reinvigorating the anti-oppressive mandate of social work.

Social work needs to establish strong alternatives that are extremely important in the times of rising nationalisms, abrogation of human rights and decaying solidarity. These alternatives should use the tools and stories of social work in order to encourage and enable people to believe that another world is possible and work towards building it together.

The conference itself will last three days. There will be fringe events (special workshops, interest groupsetc.) prior and possibly after the conference.

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the Slovenian Association of social workers are calling for participation at the 7th National Congress of Social Work with international participation

16-18 October 2019, Terme Vivat, Moravske Toplice, Slovenia

Humanism and ethics in social work

The 7th national Congress of social work continues the tradition of group analyses of social problems undertaken by the academics, the professionals in social care, its designers, the students, and the users. The times we live in call for decisive thinking about the future of humanism in organised human communities, and the social problems in local, regional and global perspectives. The themes of poverty, social exclusion and various forms of violence are increasingly aggravated by environment devastation, global migrations, precarisation, new forms of dehumanisation, and towering social differences, coupled with armed conflicts, political disputes. Also increasing are media attacks on the institution of social work that seek to cast doubts on the social state, and attempts instrumentalisation of social work in the hands of power. All these developments concern us all, but most notably the users of social work services.

What do humanism and ethics stand for in the social services, and how do we assure good treatment to all users? How can we develop green social work and strengthen the autonomy of social work?

The congress is an opportunity to deepen our theoretical and practical knowledge, to facilitate international exchange, to forge professional and personal ties in order to strengthen the international community of social workers and workers in other branches of social care.

Central themes of the congress:

- Social work and the state vs. social work as state: questions of ethics
- Social work and the media
- Global challenges: green social work, social work and political conflict, global migrations in the light of humanism
- Poverty, precarisation and social exclusion in Slovenia: towards an ethical and humanist stance
- Social work and political extremism in the light of international standards of ethics in social work
- Social work practice: international comparisons
- Research in social work



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Fakulteta za socialno delo v sodelovanju z Društvom socialnih delavk in delavcev vabita na 7. kongres socialnega dela z mednarodno udeležbo

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Humanizem in etika v socialnem delu

Sedmi kongres socialnega dela nadaljuje tradicijo skupinske analize družbenih problemov, pri kateri so udeleženi akademska sfera, strokovnjakinje_i iz socialnega varstva in njegovi načrtovalci_ke, študentke_i in uporabnice_ki. Živimo v času, ki od nas zahteva odločilen premislek o prihodnosti humanizma v organiziranih človeških skupnostih ter njenih socialnih vprašanjih v lokalni, regijski in globalni perspektivi. Tematikam revščine, socialne izključenosti in raznovrstnim oblikam nasilja se pridružujejo vse bolj pereče teme: uničevanje okolja, globalne migracije, prekarizacija, nove oblike razčlovečenja in povečevanje socialnih razlik, vojna žarišča in politični konflikti, medijski napadi na socialne službe, ki zmanjšujejo zaupanje v socialno državo in oblastna instrumentalizacija stroke socialnega dela. Ti procesi zadevajo vse nas, najbolj pa uporabnice in uporabnike socialnovarstvenih storitev. Kaj pomenita humanizem in etika v socialnih službah in kako zagotoviti dobro obravnavo? Kako razvijati zeleno socialno delo in okrepliti avtonomijo socialnega dela? Kongres bo priložnost za poglobitev teoretičnih in strokovnih znanj, mednarodne izmenjave, strokovno in prijateljsko povezovanje in krepitev skupnosti socialnih delavk in delavcev in drugih poklicev v socialnem varstvu.

Glavne teme kongresa:

- Socialno delo in država/socialno delo kot država: etični razmisleki
- Socialno delo v medijih
- Globalni izzivi: zeleno socialno delo; socialno delo in politični konflikti, globalne migracije v luči humanizma
- Revščina, prekarizacija in socialno izključevanje v Sloveniji: etična ravnanja in humanistična država
- Socialno delo in politični ekstremizmi v luči mednarodnih etičnih standardov socialnega dela
- Mednarodne primerjave socialnode洛vnih praks
- Raziskovanje v socialnem delu

Sledi v zraku/ Tracings Out of Thin Air: Hendikep kot litmus test demokracije/ Dis/ability as litmus test for democracy

Mednarodni kolokvij /International colloquium

The international colloquium will take place on Friday, 14th December 2018
from 13.00-17.00 in ATRIJ ZRC, Novi trg 1, Ljubljana 1000, Ljubljana

The International colloquium with the presentation of the publication *Sledi v zraku/ Tracings Out of Thin Air* (2018, published by Forum slovanskih kultur/ International Foundation Forum of Slavic Cultures, Ljubljana) is organized by Marina Gržinić (ZRC SAZU, Ljubljana) and Darja Zaviršek (Fakulteta za socialno delo, Ljubljana).

Programme of the colloquium

Pozdravni nagovor/Welcome speech by Dr. Marina Gržinić, ZRC SAZU, Ljubljana,
and Dr. Andreja Rihter, Director, International Foundation Forum of
Slavic Cultures, Ljubljana

Doris Arztmann and Eva Egermann (Austria)

Kiborški izstop iz učilnice. Telesne heteroglosije in Kripljasti materiali za umazano
znanje v umetniškem izobraževanju / Cyborg Exits in the Classroom. Body
Heteroglossias and Crip Materials for dirty knowledge in Art Education

Marina Gržinić, ZRC SAZU, Ljubljana

Telo, hendikep in kritična umetnost / Body, disability, and critical art

Cinzia Leone, Univ. of Genova

Hendikepirani ali državljeni: ali ta dilema še vedno drži? / Disabled or Citizens:
Is this Dilemma Still Real?

Elena Pečarič, YHD, Ljubljana

Neodvisno življenje hendikepiranih / Independent Living of Disabled Persons

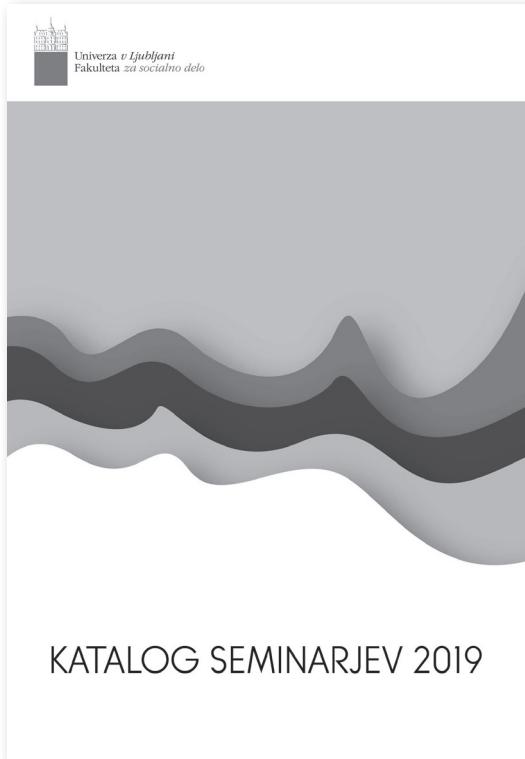
Irena Šumi, Univ. of Ljubljana

Starejše ženske: hendikepirane ali odvečne? / Old Age Women:
Disabled or Redundant?

Darja Zaviršek, Univ. of Ljubljana

Misterij zapoznale deinstitucionalizacije v postsocialističnih državah:
študija primera Slovenije / The mystery of the delayed deinstitutionalization
in postsocialist countries: case study Slovenia

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SEMINARJI 2019

MAREC - Metode socialnega dela I., II., III. in IV.

APRIL - **4. apr.** Celostna oskrba ljudi z demenco

- **18. apr.** Strateško načrtovanje v javnih zavodih

MAJ - **9. maj** K rešitvi usmerjen pristop v socialnem delu

- **16. maj** Celostna oskrba ljudi z demenco

SEPTEMBER - Usposabljanje supervizorjev/supervizork v socialnem varstvu

OKTOBER - **16., 17., 18. okt.** 7. kongres socialnega dela

NOVEMBER - **7. nov.** Osnove obdelave kvantitativnih podatkov

- **21. nov.** Osnove obdelave kvantitativnih podatkov