

The 3rd ERASMUS STAFF WEEK

For Fine Arts, Design and Architecture

“Istanbul: A City of Many Layers”

INFORMATION PACKAGE

SCOPE OF THE PROGRAM

Within the framework of Erasmus+ Training Mobility, Istanbul Ayvansaray University invites professionals to *“The 3rd Erasmus Staff Week for Fine Arts, Design and Architecture” [Istanbul: A City of Many Layers]* which will be held at the heart of Istanbul—Golden Horn—between **24th and 28th June 2019**.

The program will consist of seminars and several trips to historical places (churches, mosques, museums etc.) of Golden Horn where Istanbul Ayvansaray University is located. The seminars will be given by the scholars of the Faculty of Fine Arts, Design and Architecture at Istanbul Ayvansaray University, which includes the departments of *Architecture, Graphic Design, Interior Architecture and Environmental Design, Radio, TV and Cinema, and Gastronomy and Culinary Arts*. The participants are also expected to give a talk in accordance with their professions and the related fields with the departments of the Faculty, such as **city, culture, architecture, history, cinema, design, arts and the multidisciplinary approaches related with these fields**.

We aim to introduce Istanbul to participants, and provide with an opportunity to exchange knowledge, and to share ideas. At the end of the program, the works of participants will be compiled as an e-book. We also believe that the program will also provide with the institutions to meet each other and start new cooperation.

APPLICATION

Higher education staff members, who study on the topics stated above are welcome to apply to the program. Some limitations, however, can be applied in accordance with the total number of applicants.

Since the participants are expected to give a talk for approximately 15-30 minutes, they need to write an abstract (about 250 words-in the application form) including the main issues they

want to discuss within the scope of the program, and send it to hazalaltunkulp@ayvansaray.edu.tr by e-mail. The applicants will be informed within about one week after the application form has been received. A letter of invitation will be sent to the participants whose application is accepted.

The deadline for application is **10th June 2019**, but we recommend you to apply earlier before the quota gets full and to be able to start to get ready for your travel on time.

COSTS

There is no participation fee for the program. Some lunches and dinners may also be covered by Istanbul Ayvansaray University. Some museums may have entry fee that should be covered by the participants.

Accommodation should also be covered by the participants. Since the University is located in a very touristic place, there are a wide range of options for accommodation. You can check the hotels in Balat, Sultanahmet, Karaköy, Eminönü and Taksim Districts. If you would like to consult about the hotels to us, please, do not hesitate.

Participants may contact their university's Erasmus Office to obtain Erasmus+ program staff mobility grants to cover the costs.

TRANSPORTATION

Istanbul Ayvansaray University Balat Campus is located in the Golden Horn area. There are public transport services to all central locations around Istanbul from Balat where the central campus is located.

More information is available: <http://www.ayvansaray.edu.tr/en-US/contact-transportation/27038>

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