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LIBRARY STAFF MOBILITY WITHIN ERASMUS+ PROGRAMME 2024

5-days visit of librarians at George Emil Palade University of Medicine, Pharmacy, Science, and Technology of Targu Mures – Library Services (Romania)

Dear members of the Information and Library Science community,

George Emil Palade University of Medicine, Pharmacy, Science, and Technology of Targu Mures and its Library, are organizing International Library Staff Week, between 27th- 31st of May 2024, in order to share experiences, best practices and networking with colleagues.

This programme is opened to all kind of library staff involved in a European university and will bring together professional library staff with varied backgrounds, working in university libraries or research orientated libraries with an interest in sharing ideas and networking with colleagues.

The main theme of the 2nd International Library Staff Week is:

CONTEMPORARY LIBRARY ARCHITECTURE: PLAN AND DESIGN

Through this week, together we will investigate and analyse the new tendencies in library architecture, approaching topics such:

- Libraries: The Sacred Spaces of Modernity
- ❖ Key Elements of Library Architecture
- New Waves in Library Architecture
- ❖ Academic library: Case studies
- 21st century Libraries: Changing forms, changing functions

Various other subjects related to digital transformation in academic libraries, may also be included in the programme, as it follows:

- Digitization of cultural heritage
- Institutional repository
- Digital Reference Services
- Digitalisation of Library Services
- Challenges in the digital age
- The future of collections



UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

- The library as a place
- User's experience
- Public Relations challenges
- Acquisition of resources (online and traditional)
- Legal aspects

Participants will have the opportunity to contribute to the programme with a short presentation of their library, with a highlight on their library architecture and services, sharing experiences, innovative projects or other library related topics.

Several interesting cultural visits will also be included in the program.

No participation fee is required. Participants have to cover their expenses using the Erasmus+ grant provided by their home institutions. Please do not make travel arrangements before your participation is confirmed.

Your application should consist of a CV and a letter of motivation. Please send your applications via e-mail to biblio@umfst.ro.

We look forward to welcoming you to The Library of George Emil Palade University of Medicine, Pharmacy, Science, and Technology of Targu Mures.



PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

2nd International Library Staff Week at George Emil Palade University of Medicine, Pharmacy, Science, and Technology of Targu Mures

CONTEMPORARY LIBRARY ARCHITECTURE: PLAN AND DESIGN

27th-31st of May 2024





Preliminary Programme

Day 1: 27th of May

Library of Medicine and Pharmacy
Adress: Târgu-Mures, 38 Gheorghe Marinescu street

10:00-12:30

Welcome session, registration, meeting the staff of the University Library

- Tea & Coffee, Registration of the participants
- Welcome session, ice breaking, overview of the week, meeting the staff of the library/university/leading board;
- Guided tour of the Library of Medicine and Pharmacy with general introduction of the university library system;
- Library museum, discussions about the collection of old books in the library museum, the preservation conditions, the access to old collections.

13:00-14:00

Lunch

14:30-16:00

Visit UMPhST Campus: University Botanical Garden, Anatomy Museum



Day 2: 28th of May

Library of Sciences and Letters Adress: Târgu-Mures, 1 Nicolae Iorga street

10:00-12:30

- Tea & Coffee
- Participants presentations and discussions
- Guided tour of the Library of Science and Letters

13:00-14:00

Lunch

14:30-16:00

- Visit the University Museum
- Visit the Medieval Fortress



Day 3: 29th of May

Library of Engineering and Information Technology Adress: Târgu-Mures, 1 Nicolae Iorga street

09:30-12:00

- ❖ Tea & Coffe
- Participants presentations and discussions
- Guided tour of the Library of Engineering and Information Technology

13:00-14:00

Lunch

14:30-16:00

- ❖ Visit of Palace of Culture
- ❖ Visit Teleki Libray



Day 4: 30th of May

Library of Medicine and Pharmacy Adress: Târgu-Mures, str Gheorghe Marinescu, no 38

08:30-18:00

Tea & Coffee

- ✓ A day in a medieval city: Sighişoara
- ✓ Visit of Sighișoara Library, Special Collections Department
- ✓ Sighişoara's Citadel: The Citadel Square, The Clock Tower, Vlad Dracul House, Sighişoara Citadel Towers, The History Museum

Day 5: 31th of May
Library of Medicine and Pharmacy
Adress: Târgu-Mures, str Gheorghe Marinescu, no 38

09:30-11:00

- Tea & Coffee
- Closing session: farewell, conclusions of the week
- Handing out the certificates of participation at Erasmus STT Mobility