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CALL FOR PARTICIPATION

1st INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

“Bridge of Knowledge: Diversity, Dialogue and Innovation in Contemporary Libraries”

14–15 October 2026

NI Library “Kocho Racin” – Tetovo, Republic of North Macedonia

Sub-topics:

- ✚ Diversity for Inclusion in Library Services
- ✚ The Role of Libraries in Promoting Dialogue and Intercultural Understanding
- ✚ Digital Transformation and Innovation in Libraries
- ✚ Promotion of Reading and Information Literacy
- ✚ Libraries as Centers for Lifelong Learning
- ✚ Cooperation and Networking among Libraries and Cultural Institutions

Conference Objective: The conference aims to encourage the exchange of knowledge, experiences, and best practices among librarians, scholars, researchers, and all professionals working in the field of library and information activities.

Important Dates:

- 📅 Deadline for abstract submission: **10.07.2026**
- 📅 Notification of accepted abstracts: **31.07.2026**
- 📅 Deadline for paper submission: **10.09.2026**
- 📅 Deadline for participation without a presentation: **10.09.2026**

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The abstract is limited to maximum 250 words and must be submitted in both the author's native language and English. It should consist of a single paragraph summarizing the most important elements covered in the paper. 11 Points Times New Roman, Bold)

Keywords: 5–7 keywords. (11 Points Times New Roman, Italic, Each Word)

Official Languages of the Conference: macedonian, albanian, and english.

Conference presentations should be prepared in PowerPoint, in native language and english, with a maximum duration of 10 minutes.

Editorial Board:

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GUIDELINES FOR AUTHORS

Only original papers (not previously published) may be submitted to the Conference Editorial Board. Papers must fall within the conference theme and subthemes and must be technically prepared in accordance with these guidelines. After reviewing the full papers and based on the established criteria, the Editorial Board will decide which papers will be presented at the conference and which will be published only in electronic and printed form.

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Summary and Keywords in English.