# Summer School of Slavonic Studies

13. 8. - 4. 9. 2023

The Summer School of Slavonic Studies is hosted by the Department of Czech Studies of the Faculty of Arts, University of South Bohemia, České Budějovice, in a three-week period between late August and mid-September. The course is designed for those who pursue Slavonic or Czech Studies, for teachers, assistants, translators, for all who take interest in the Czech language.

# **Program**

The participants can look forward to language lessons, lectures, excursions, cultural events and weekend trips.

For language courses, the participants are divided into three groups, depending on their level of proficiency:

- A Beginners attend an intensive language course of five lessons a day.
- **B Intermediate** students attend a three-lesson language course in the morning and a two-lesson conversation seminar.
- **C Advanced** students attend a three-lesson language course in the morning and two hours of conversation seminar or special lectures.

**Lectures** are given in Czech and cover various subjects in linguistics, literary history and Czech cultural history.

**Excursions** may include selected departments of other faculties of the University of South Bohemia (e.g. the university microbrewery), as well as local monuments and institutions.

Students are offered **trips** to interesting places in South Bohemia.

## Entrance criteria

The number of participants at the Summer School is limited (approx. 80). Some of the places are reserved for scholarship holders of the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic based on international cultural agreements. International candidates apply for these scholarships through the competent authorities (usually the Ministry of Education) in their country. Other places are intended for self-paying participants.

## Accommodation and meals

The Summer School participants take their meals in the university dining hall and are accommodated in double rooms in the university hall of residence on the university campus.

#### Address

KOLEJE A MENZY Studentská 15 370 05 České Budějovice

# **Payment**

Interested applicants will send a completed application form and then receive an invoice. Upon receipt of payment, they will receive a letter of acceptance. The acceptance letter also serves as a basis for the visa application. The payment can be made in Czech crowns or in EUR, so that the conversion corresponds to the given amount.

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# About the university

The University of South Bohemia in České Budějovice was founded in 1991. It currently has eight independent faculties with more than 10 000 students.

The Faculty of Arts of the University of South Bohemia was founded in 2006

# About the city

**České Budějovice** - the administrative, economic and cultural centre of the South Bohemian Region - was founded in 1265 by King Přemysl Otakar II at the confluence of the Vltava and Malše rivers.

In the heart of the historic centre there is a square lined with burgher houses with arched passages. The Samson Fountain with statues of J. Ditrich is the dominant feature here. The Baroque Town Hall and the Black Tower can also be found here.

