



# Study visit agenda NEW BULGARIAN UNIVERSITY 1618 Sofia, Bulgaria, 21 Montevideo Str. 21 – 22 March 2019

New Bulgarian University is the first private university in Bulgaria. It was established in 1991 as a modern institution which unites the best of the European and American educational systems. It is the first Bulgarian university that introduced BA, MA and PhD degrees as well as long- distance and continuous studies and the credit points system. Over 10 000 students are enrolled in the fields of social sciences, natural sciences new technologies, arts. A number of prominent figures such as the musicians Milcho Leviev, Raina Kabaivanska, Ennio Morricone, Rainer Bischof, Michael Frischenschlager, Mario Hossen, Ludmil Angelov and many others are Honorary Doctors and Honorary Professors of NBU.

Department of Music offers innovative programs in Music Performance, Dance, Sound Engineering, Composition and Conducting, Musicology, Musical Theatre. The Department of Music organizes series of master classes in instrumental, vocal performance and conducting by outstanding professors and artists from all over the world.

All NBU degrees are compatible with the Bologna Convention (2006) and approved by the National Agency for Assessment and Accreditation (NAAA) in Bulgaria. The artistic and scientific activities are supported by the Ministry of Education and Science, the Ministry of Culture and other national and international institutions.

The university has developed online teaching offered through its website operating by module MOODLE.

NBU is the main contractor and coordinator of successfully completed projects. The Music Department is closely linked to the EU's International Credit Mobility Program, based on bilateral agreements with the academies and conservatories in Europe.

#### **MARCH 20, WEDNESDAY**

#### **ARRIVAL**

Getting settled at the pre-arranged accommodation







# **MARCH 21, THURSDAY, MORNING**

#### **INITIAL MEETINGS**

Meeting with Prof. Dr. Milena Shushulova-Pavlova, contact person of the New Bulgarian University

Lecturer	Position at the NBU	Hour	Hall	Topics
Prof. Dr. Milena Shushulova-Pavlova	Head of the Department of Music, Production and Management Courses DEMUSIS contact person	9:30 - 10:00	20	Welcoming address
Dr. Natalia Afayan	Lecturer in Voice Organization and assistance	9:30 - 10:00	20	Welcoming address

# (1) ON-SITE PRESENTATION OF THE NBU

## (2) MEETINGS

Lecturer	Position at the NBU	Hour	Hall	Topics
Ch. Prof. Dr. Rossitsa Becheva	Responsible for Sound Studio "Stanislav Stanchev-Stanley"	10:00-11:30	511	Dealing with electronic and computer music; methodology of synthesizer training and electronic music interpretation, in the field of artistic practice and the integration of music and new computer technologies in the field of keyboard pedagogy and interpretation, musical-hearing education and various musical-theoretical disciplines. Digital arts and sound design.
Prof. Dr. Simo Lazarov	Director of Sound Studio "Stanislav Stanchev-Stanley"	10:00-11:30	511	Lecturer on sound engineering and electronic music at the Music Academy, Technical and Sofia's Universities. Author od a brand new programme- course on "Computer Systems and Technologies in the Music" at the New Bulgarian University.
Assoc. Prof. Dimitar Vassilev	Lecturer in Sound Engineering	10:00-11:30	511	Computer programs in sound engineering
Dr. Ani Lincheva	Program consultant	11:30 - 12:00	508	Students presentation of a musical







# (3) Q&A, PLANS FOR THE GROUP ASSIGNMENTS

#### MARCH 21, THURSDAY, AFTERNOON, 13.00

# (4) MEETINGS

Lecturer	Position at the NBU	Hour	Hall	Topics
Ch. Prof. Dr. Stella Atanasova	Director of computer courses at NBU	13:00 - 14:30	307	Sound of computer games
Ch. Prof. Dr. Margarita Krasteva-Stoichevska	Program consultant	13:00 - 14:30	501	Working with MOODLE in lecture courses
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Georgi Petkov	Conductor of the University Choir "Folk-Jazz Formation of NBU" lecturer in musical folklore, composer	13:00 - 14:30	501	Working with MOODLE, a virtual corepetitor
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Georgi Arnaudov	DEPUTY-RECTOR FOR THE SCIENTIFIC AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES OF THE NBU	15:00 - 16:00	20	Formal Meeting with a leadership of the NBU
Ch. Prof. Dr. Dimitar Trendafilov	ASSISTANT RECTOR OF THE INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS OF THE NBU	15:00 - 16:00	20	Formal Meeting with a leadership of the NBU
Prof. Dr. Milena Shushulova-Pavlova and Dr. Natalia Afeyan	NBU Tour	16:00-17:00		Ton studio, Television, Museum, Gallery, Library, Theater, Music Training Halls, etc.

#### **SOCIAL EVENING**

Bulgaria Hall, 19:00 h, 1, Aksakov Str., Sofia **CONCERT** 

SOFIA PHILHARMONIC

Soloist: PROF. DR MARIO HOSSEN - violin professor at NBU







### MARCH 22, FRIDAY, MORNING, 10.00

# PRESENTATION OF NEW BULGARIAN UNIVERSITY FACILITIES RELEVANT FOR DEMUSIS PROJECT

Music and Recording Studio
Specialized computer teaching rooms
Music Production Halls
Equipment overview
Site visits, discussion

Lecturer	Position at the NBU	Hour	Hall	Topics
Kiril Yanev	Lecturer in Sound Engineering and music producer	10:00 – 12:00	Tone studio 29, Velcho Atanasov Str	Tone studio equipment; Equipment for sound recording and production, software, 5.1 and 7.1. systems, 3D sound, sound levels

#### MARCH 22, FRIDAY, AFTERNOON, 13.00

#### PRESENTATION OF STUDY PROGRAMMES, EXPERIENCES AND GOOD PRACTICES

Sound engineering and music management

Sound design and new media

Music technology

Digital media and culture







Lecturer	Position at the NBU	Hour	Hall	Topics
Prof. Susanna Klincharova	Master class by harp	13:00-14:00	506/511	Classical Music and Digitization
Dr. Emil Traychev	Lecturer in Sound Engineering	14:00 - 14:40	511/501	Computer programs for arranging, digitization of musical productions, music producer
Ch. Prof. Dr. Stella Atanasova	Director of computer courses at NBU	14:40 - 15:30	314, І к.	Teaching Computer music, Computer skills on PC and Mac, Sound design, PC skills for musicians, Editing of the sound
Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ventzislav Dzhambazov	Dean of THE SCHOOL OF DISTANCE, DIGITAL AND CONTINUING EDUCATION	15:30 - 16:00	501	LLL courses
Мартин Стоянов	Organization and assistance THE SCHOOL OF DISTANCE, DIGITAL AND CONTINUING EDUCATION	15:30 - 16:00	501	LLL courses
Prof. Elisaveta Valchinova-Chendova	Program Director, Production and Management Courses	16:00-17:00	501	Music management and production
	additional program			
Ch. Prof. Dr. Evelina Hristova	PR lecturer at NBU, events in the field of music			PR in Music
Ch. Prof. Dr. Encho Naydenov	Lecturer in Photography and Digitization			Music Producer

MEETING WRAP-UP, Q&A, PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

**SOCIAL EVENING** 

**MARCH 23, SATURDAY** 

**DEPARTURE** 

