



# 58<sup>o</sup>ICA 2025

EN LOS BALKANES

150 años del Congreso Internacional de Americanistas  
Novi Sad, Serbia 30 de junio - 4 de julio de 2025

***NEW CHALLENGES, NEW SPACES***



## ICA2025 JUNIOR

November 2024

Dear colleagues:

The Organizing Committee of the **58th International Congress of Americanists (ICA2025)** warmly welcomes the worldwide academic community and extends a most cordial invitation for the participation in **ICA2025 JUNIOR** Program, to be held in **Novi Sad, Serbia, from 30 June to 4 July 2025**.

On this occasion, the 58th ICA opens the space for a significant participation of the youngest researchers interested in studies on the Americas, specifically undergraduate and master's students. We consider it of utmost importance to involve the younger generations in our activities to strengthen global Americanism and, at the same time, to promote intergenerational dialogue and stimulate research and intellectual production among young people. We intend for the ICA Junior to become an integral part of our Americanist community and for its presence at the Congresses to become a tradition.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of the ICA Junior, we would like to express our gratitude for your proposals for individual presentations and inform you that the call will be open until **December 31, 2024**. We also invite you to participate with individual presentations. Registration is available on the ICA2025 platform: <https://ica2025.uns.ac.rs/>.

### Important dates:

Until December 31, 2024	Proposals for individual papers
Until January 31, 2025	Notifications of acceptance
Until February 28, 2025	Payment of the registration fee
Until May 30, 2025	Book of abstracts and preliminary program

ICA2025 Organizing Entity: [University of Novi Sad](#), Serbia

**The headquarters of the 58th ICA will be the University of Novi Sad (UNS)**, located on the bank of the **Danube River** in the central area of the city. The University campus is an architecturally compact area that allows for easy and quick internal transportation, less than one kilometer from the historical center of the city where most of the hotels, restaurants and cultural events in Novi Sad are located. The Nikola Tesla international airport in **Belgrade** is less than an hour away by highway that connects the two most important cities in the country. The airports of **Timisoara** (Rumania), **Budapest** (Hungary) and **Vienna** (Austria) are also not too far away.

Co-organizers:

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## THEMATIC AREAS OF THE 58TH ICA

Faithful to the tradition of previous ICA congresses, in order to accommodate the great thematic variety and diversity of analytical approaches, we have selected the following thematic areas in which different formats and academic works will be presented with the aim of encouraging a greater participation of scientists, academics and specialists in various fields of American studies:

1. Anthropology
2. Archeology
3. Architecture
4. Art
5. Applied Exact Sciences and Environmental Studies
6. Communication and New Technologies
7. Worldviews and Religious Systems
8. Human Rights and Culture of Peace
9. Education
10. Cultural Studies
11. Border Studies
12. Gender Studies
13. Economic Studies
14. Political Studies
15. Social Studies
16. Philosophy and Thought
17. History
18. Linguistics and Translation
19. Literature
20. Migrations
21. Social Movements
22. Cultural Heritage
23. International Relations
24. Innovative Symposia
25. Geography and Tourism
26. Sport
27. Native Peoples
28. Afro-American Studies
29. The Balkans and the Americas



## STRUCTURE

The organizational structure of ICA2025 Junior will consist of:

- ◇ Sessions with individual presentations

## INDIVIDUAL PRESENTATIONS

- Individual presentations for the 58th ICA are accepted until December 31, 2024, through the platform <https://ica2025.uns.ac.rs>.
- Each proposal for individual presentations must contain the following information about each of the authors: name and surname(s) of the author, email address, institution to which he/she belongs, CV no longer than half a page, title of the presentation and abstract with a maximum of 250 words with 5 keywords. The call for individual presentations opens on October 31 and closes on December 31, 2024.
- The Organizing Committee will group the individual presentations into parallel sessions, according to their theme. The organizers of ICA Junior will also act as coordinators of the sessions.
- One proposal per person is allowed.
- Once their abstracts have been accepted, the participants will have a period of **1 month** to pay the registration fee.

## PARTICIPATION MODES: IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL

The ICA2025 Junior symposia will have two participation modalities: in-person, between June 30 and July 3, and virtual (parallel sessions through the Microsoft Teams platform), on July 4, 2025. There will be no hybrid events, except for the opening of the Congress and the keynote lectures.

## OFFICIAL LANGUAGES


The official languages of the Congress are: Spanish, English, French, German, Portuguese, Italian and Serbian.

## FRINGE EVENTS

- IX (special) edition of the International Summer School of Latin American Studies
- Meetings of academic associations and researcher networks
- Exhibition of the 150 years of ICA
- Excursions (historical, anthropological and archeological routes)
- Book fair
- Cinema forum
- Concerts
- Craft fair
- Tributes to the people who marked the history of ICA

## REGISTRATION AND CONFERENCE FEE PAYMENTS

All participants must comply with the registration fee payment procedure. The payments can be made after November 2024.

<b>Registration fee for young researchers - Bachelor's and Master's students</b>	<b>30 EUR</b>	
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## BUDDY/HOMESTAY PROGRAM

The ICA2025 Junior Program offers the following possibility for its young participants:

**BUDDY Program: Accommodation for students and young researchers (Bachelor and Master students) from any country in the homes of Serbian students and young researchers.**

You can apply by filling in this [FORM](#).

## USEFUL INFORMATION

Detailed information about the city of Novi Sad and its offers can be found on the website of the Novi Sad Tourist Agency: <https://novisad.travel/en/>

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If you have questions or suggestions, please write to [ica2025@uns.ac.rs](mailto:ica2025@uns.ac.rs).

We invite you to follow our social networks to stay up to date with current and relevant information:

Facebook: ICA Novi Sad 2025

Instagram: 58\_ica\_novisad2025

LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/company/ica-novi-sad-2025>

Looking forward to seeing you in the summer of 2025, we cordially greet you,

Bojana Kovačević Petrović, President of the Organizing Committee  
Dejan Mihailović, Secretary General of the Organizing Committee  
Jelena Spasojević, Coordinator of ICA2025 Junior

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