INVITATION

International Week at
Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu

13 – 17 May 2019

"From International Higher Education to Global Citizenship"
6th edition
Dear colleagues,

It is our pleasure to invite you to attend the 6th edition of the International Week of Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu. The aim of this event is to create the opportunity for intercultural exchange between students, practitioners and teachers from all around the world and to foster cooperation between the partner universities.

"From International Higher Education to Global Citizenship" is the theme of the 2019 International Week and therefore all the lectures and workshops will be created around the acknowledged need of cultural exchange. We trust that for a successful connection and collaboration between individuals and institutions alike, intercultural dialogue represents the main vector that we should all understand and enhance. Through this event, we will develop a deeper understanding, an open and respectful exchange between the partner universities – as representatives of a culture, image and identity of a country – on the world stage.

Activities:
- Lectures held by guest academics for the local students from LBUS Faculties
- Workshop on the internationalization of higher education and its role in creating global citizens
- Roundtables for developing international partnerships and collaboration
- International dinner
- Visits of Romanian heritage (cities, museums, citadels etc.)
- Closing banquet
What is the International Week about?

During this week, the guests will meet the students and teaching staff from Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu and share with them knowledge and expertise in the different scientific and practical fields. This event will gather all the nine faculties of LBUS together with all the international partner universities through the central topic of “From International Higher Education to Global Citizenship”.

Complementary to the academic activities, the week’s program will include social and cultural endeavors which shall enlarge the guests’ experience. The city of Sibiu and its surroundings offer a great variety of natural and architectural displays which favor unique leisure-time activities.

What should your contribution consist in?

- Academic guest should prepare one-two lectures for an audience which consists of Bachelor, Master Students and professors from the same field of expertise. The lectures will be held in English and therefore a minimum English level of B1 is kindly required.
- The non-academic staff who will join the event will attend the workshops and participate in meetings with administrative personnel from the same field.
About Internationalization at Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu

Having acknowledged that globalization has transformed the world into a “global village”, LBUS has increased its efforts to adjust its educational offer to the new, international demand.

LBUS is part of the Erasmus+ program and over the time the university has developed more than 350 partnerships with universities from Europe and Asia. Every year there are about 150 international students coming to LBUS and about 200 going to partner universities, for a study or placement mobility.

Knowledge is global and research must transcend the national boundaries. International projects are being carried out by setting up organizing committees formed out of professors and students; the last edition of International Week proved again that internationalization is of the main preoccupations of the university staff. Also, the various International Summer Schools that took place in LBUS, made the internalization process fun and appealing for many students, Romanian and international alike.