



## The Academy of Arts in Banská Bystrica

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Established in 1997

**SHORT DESCRIPTION:** The Academy of Arts in Banská Bystrica (AU BB) is a public higher education institution of a university type providing education structured within the three-tier ETCS system in the field of professional art. Its core mission is to develop and disseminate education in accredited study programs in the field of theater, music, fine art, film art and multimedia, supporting critical thinking, artistic creativity and research, as well as the values of humanism and tolerance.

### LIST OF FACULTIES:

- Faculty of Dramatic Arts
- Faculty of Performing Arts
- Faculty of Fine Arts

**SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, PROJECTS:** The Academy of Arts in Banská Bystrica is focusing its research on four artistic fields: fine arts, music arts, theatre, film and multimedia. The field of research is focused on accredited study programs within respective faculties. They follow trends in the development of their creative staff and doctoral students in the categories of artistic and publishing



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outputs. During its development, the university has become the center of artistic research not only of regional and national but also of international importance. The participation in various bilateral projects and in the ERASMUS+ learning Mobility projects contributes to this as well. Through its activities, the project promoted professional relationships between AU BB and European higher education and arts institutions.

Currently the Academy has 95 cooperation agreements with partner schools within Erasmus+ mobility program (incl. KA3 participating countries program).

Important part of the support of art and art research at the Academy of Arts are funds raised mainly from domestic grant agencies.



**131**  
scientific degree  
lecturers in 2019/20

**549**  
students in 2019/20

