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Academy of Performing Arts in Bratislava

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Established in 1949

SHORT DESCRIPTION: The Academy of Performing Arts (VŠMU) with about 1000 students is the largest artistic educational institution in the Slovak Republic. Students can develop their talents and skills in theatre, film, music and dance in bachelor's, master's and doctoral degree programs. The Academy's objective is to offer deep understanding of the European cultural context as well as the specific qualities of Slovak art and culture. Graduates of the Academy of Performing Arts have become leading personalities of Slovak cultural life, many of whom are teachers at the Academy. Study programs are regularly updated to meet the latest standards in the profession. Theatre and dance performances, film screenings, concerts of students and teachers are open to the general public. School public activities form an integral part of Slovak culture.

LIST OF FACULTIES:

- Film and Television Faculty (FTF)
- Music and Dance Faculty (HTF)
- Theatre Faculty (DF)



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SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, PROJECTS:

The Academy of Performing Arts has three major art scenes (LAB Theatre, Klap Cinema and Dvorana Concert Hall), open to the public, presenting the results of artistic and scientific research. Every year it offers about 350 public events for more than 20,000 visitors. Research is also conducted at the Department of Audio-visual Studies at the FTF, the Department of Music Theory and Dramaturgy at the HTF, and the Department of Theatre Studies at the DF. Employees of the Academy are involved in many projects, cooperating with the Slovak Academy of Sciences, the Slovak Film Institute and the Theatre Institute and with several music and dance institutions. The projects are focused on the reflection of Slovak art, new trends in the arts and humanities and the history of Slovak art. Doctoral lecturers and students actively participate in research conferences, seminars, workshops, master classes and other artistic projects. The Academy has a cooperation agreement with 105 partner schools and is involved in the E + Mobility Program (including the KA7 Participating Countries Program), Erasmus Mundus and the E + KA2 Strategic Partnership Program.



253
scientific degree
lecturers in 2019/20

975
students in 2019/20

