

## International Conference “Humanities Education in the Age of Technology”

*co-organized by the European Humanities University, LCC International University,  
and the New Bulgarian University*

**Date:** June 11-12, 2019

**Venue:** European Humanities University Campus, Auditorium 110 (17 Savičiaus Str., Vilnius)

**Presentation time limit:** up to 20 minutes

### AGENDA

#### Tuesday, June 11

16:00 – 16:15	<b>Welcoming address: Prof. Sergei Ignatov</b>
16:15 – 17:15	Keynote speaker: Prof. Gregory Prince (Hampshire College, USA) “Liberal Education - a Trans-national and Trans-cultural education for a Global Community” <b>Discussion</b>
17:15 – 18:30	<b>Panel 1</b> - Prof. Sergei Ignatov (European Humanities University, Lithuania) "The Contemporary University" - Prof. Antony Todorov (New Bulgarian University, Bulgaria) "Humanities under Attack" - Prof. Evan Zimroth (Queens College, City University of New York, USA) “Poetry and Technologies” <b>Discussion</b>
20:00	<b>Welcoming dinner</b>

#### Wednesday, June 12

9:00 – 10:30	<b>Public Student Debate: “Breadth vs Depth in the Humanities Education”</b>
10:30 – 10:45	<b>Coffee-break</b> Prof. Anatoli Mikhailov (European Humanities University, Lithuania) “Human being in the Age of Technology”
10:45 – 11:30	Assoc. Prof. Povilas Aleksandravičius (Mykolas Romeris University, Lithuania) “Thinking as a spiritual practice: a way of humanities education in the age of technology?”

11:40 – 13:00

**Panel 2**

- Assoc. Prof. J.D. Mininger (LCC International University, Lithuania) "The Common is the Content: Liberal Arts Education in Our Era of Technological Innovation"
- Assistant Prof. Ignas Kalpokas (LCC International University, Lithuania) "Algorithms and Affects: How Should Education Respond?"
- Assoc. Prof. Aliaksei Makhnach (European Humanities University, Lithuania) "Building "European" Humanities University"

**Discussion**

13:00 – 14:30

**Lunch**

14:00 – 15:30

**Panel 3**

- Assoc. Prof. Petra Žagar-Šošćarić (University of Rijeka, Croatia), "Technology and Education in Rijeka/Croatia by the example of German Studies as Humanities"
- Prof. Hristo Todorov (New Bulgarian University, Bulgaria) "Ethical dilemmas. How to teach ethics in the age of technology"
- Assoc. Prof. Lev Letyagin (Herzen State Pedagogical University of Russia) "The Urban Paradigm of University Education"

**Discussion**

15:30 – 16:00

**Coffee-break**

16:00 – 17:30

**Panel 4**

- Assoc. Prof. Valerii Monakhov (Saint Petersburg State University, Herzen State Pedagogical University of Russia) "The Education of Human and Contemporary Challenges"
- Prof. Aliaksandr Kalbaska (European Humanities University, Lithuania) "Humanities Dimension of Virtual University Museums"
- Assistant Prof. James Plumtree (American University of Central Asia, Kyrgyzstan) "Technology-aided Research and Education - Opening Up the Oral Tradition of the Manas Epos in Kyrgyzstan"

**Discussion**

17:30 – 18:30

**Closing thoughts: Next Steps**