

December at the Museum of Byzantine Culture

Cultural Events

Meetings – Conferences – Seminars

Sunday 1 December 2019 | Auditorium "Stephanos Dragoumis" | 09:00-15:00

Scientific conference, titled "Folk tradition of Pontos. From the past to the present".

Organization: Co-organization of the Pharos of Pontians and of the Athens and Thrace Universities with the support of the Museum of Byzantine Culture. Entrance free.

Saturday 7 and Sunday 8 December 2019 | Auditorium "Stephanos Dragoumis" | 09:30-14:00, 17:30-21:00 and 11:00-15:00

4th International Scientific Laboratory of Mount Athos Center.

Organization: Mount Athos Center with the support of the Museum of Byzantine Culture. Entrance free.

Monday 9 December 2019 | Auditorium "Stephanos Dragoumis" | 9:30 – 21:00

An international seminar will be held on the occasion of the 800th anniversary of the enthronement of Saint Sava as the first archbishop of Serbia (1219 - 2019) and within the framework of the 4th International Scientific Laboratory of Mount Athos Center.

Organization: Mount Athos Center with the support of the Museum of Byzantine Culture. Entrance free.

Wednesday 11 December | Auditorium "Stephanos Dragoumis" | 12:00-21:00

Meeting entitled "Interdisciplinary Approaches to Museum Education", dedicated to the memory of the archaeologist-museum educator of the Museum Ioulia Gavriilidou.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture. Entrance free.

Concerts

Tuesday 3 December 2019 2019 | Auditorium "Stephanos Dragoumis" | 18:00

Concert by Tjaša Kastelic (violin) and Jerzy Chwastyk (guitar), two internationally renowned musicians of the foreign music scene.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture.
Entrance free.

Books presentation

**Wednesday 4 December 2019 | Auditorium "Stephanos Dragoumis"
| 20:00**

Presentation of a book, written by Professor Emeritus of Aristotle University of Thessaloniki Mr. Efthymios N. Tsigaridas, entitled

**Icons from the Byzantine Museum and from churches of Kastoria
(12th - 16th centuries).**

Dr. Agathoniki Tsilipakou, Director of the Museum of Byzantine Culture, Dr. Dimitrios Triantaphyllopoulos, former Ephor of Byzantine Antiquities-former Professor of the University of Cyprus, and the author Dr. Efthymios N. Tsigaridas, former Ephor of Byzantine Antiquities - Professor Emeritus of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki will speak about the book.
The event will be coordinated by the Director of the Museum Dr. Agathoniki Tsilipakou.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture.
Entrance free.

Festival "Reflection of Disability in Art"

**Tuesday 3 December to Tuesday 10 December 2019 | Auditorium
"Stephanos Dragoumis" | 12:00-13:00**

The Museum of Byzantine Culture, a Museum accessible to all, participates in the 2nd Festival "Reflection of Disability in Art - Reflection of Disability in Art" <https://rodi.uom.gr/program/>], with an audio-tactile tour "Touch and get to know Byzantium".

Organization: University of Macedonia and Museum of Byzantine Culture, under the aegis of His Excellency, the President of the Hellenic Republic, Mr. Prokopios Pavlopoulos and with the support of the Thessaloniki Film Festival.
Entrance free.

For participation contact the University of Macedonia.

Christmas celebration

**Sunday 15 December 2019 | Auditorium "Melina Mercouri" and
Museum Reception hall | 10:00**

Christmas party for the members of the Association of Employees of Ministry of Culture of Northern Greece and their families.

Organization: Association of Employees of Ministry of Culture of Northern Greece.

Opening of temporary exhibitions

Thursday 12 December 2019 | Multiple-use hall "Eftychia Kourkoutidou-Nikolaidou" | 19:00

Opening of the temporary exhibition, titled "Gifts: Short Stories for New Acquisitions". The exhibition, which will be inaugurated by the Secretary General of Culture Mr. Georgios Didaskalou, is organized in memory of the colleague Georgia Papazotou.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture.

Entrance free.

Friday 20 December 2019 | Temporary Exhibitions Wing "Kyriakos Krokos" | 20:00

Opening of the temporary exhibition, titled "Two collections meet". Selections from the icons and heirlooms of the Collections of the Municipal Gallery of Thessaloniki and of the Museum of Byzantine Culture. The opening will be accompanied by "Veroe's Echo" Choir.

Organization: Museum of Byzantine Culture.

Entrance free.

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