

XIV INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

THE EFFECTS OF SOCIAL NETWORKS ON MODERN HUMAN BEINGS



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Dear Colleague,

The European University Brčko District, European University “Kallos” Tuzla, European Faculty “Kallos” Belgrade, and the Faculty for European Legal and Political Studies in Belgrade are organizing the 14th International Scientific Conference on May 15, 2026, on the topic:

THE EFFECTS OF SOCIAL NETWORKS ON MODERN HUMAN BEINGS

and hereby cordially invite you to participate in the work of the scientific conference.

Social networks have become an indispensable trend of the modern era, used by billions of people worldwide. Although they provide certain benefits, the negative effects caused by (excessive) use of social networks seem to be much more common. Sometimes these effects are merely wasted time or money, while in other cases they can lead to serious mental complications such as anxiety, addiction, depression, and similar issues.

Children and adolescents are particularly exposed to the negative sides of social networks, and they often become victims of sexual or other types of violence. Recently, many educational institutions have introduced bans on bringing smartphones into school premises during classes. Can such measures protect younger generations from the negative effects of social networks? Can parents themselves limit or control their children's use of social media, or do institutions share equal responsibility?

Experts warn of the importance of carefully using personal data on social networks—something users often neglect or take lightly. Social media platforms have also become a fertile ground for various frauds, leaving users without money. Moreover, is there a hidden entity collecting our personal data and using it for illicit purposes?

Users of social networks frequently post retouched and filtered details of their lives, creating an image that does not correspond to reality. This raises various questions, such as whether we have forgotten to live our lives for ourselves, accepting both the beautiful and the less beautiful aspects of it. When was the last time we talked with friends in person—without holding a smartphone in our hands?

The aim of this scientific conference is to encourage participants to reflect and respond to numerous questions, including but not limited to:

What are the positive and negative effects of social networks?

How can younger generations be protected from addiction to social networks and their negative consequences?

What mental and health problems arise as a result of (excessive) use of social networks?

Do social networks represent an unrealistic projection of people's lives?

Is there a legal framework that protects potential victims of fraud, violence, or other unlawful activities on social networks?

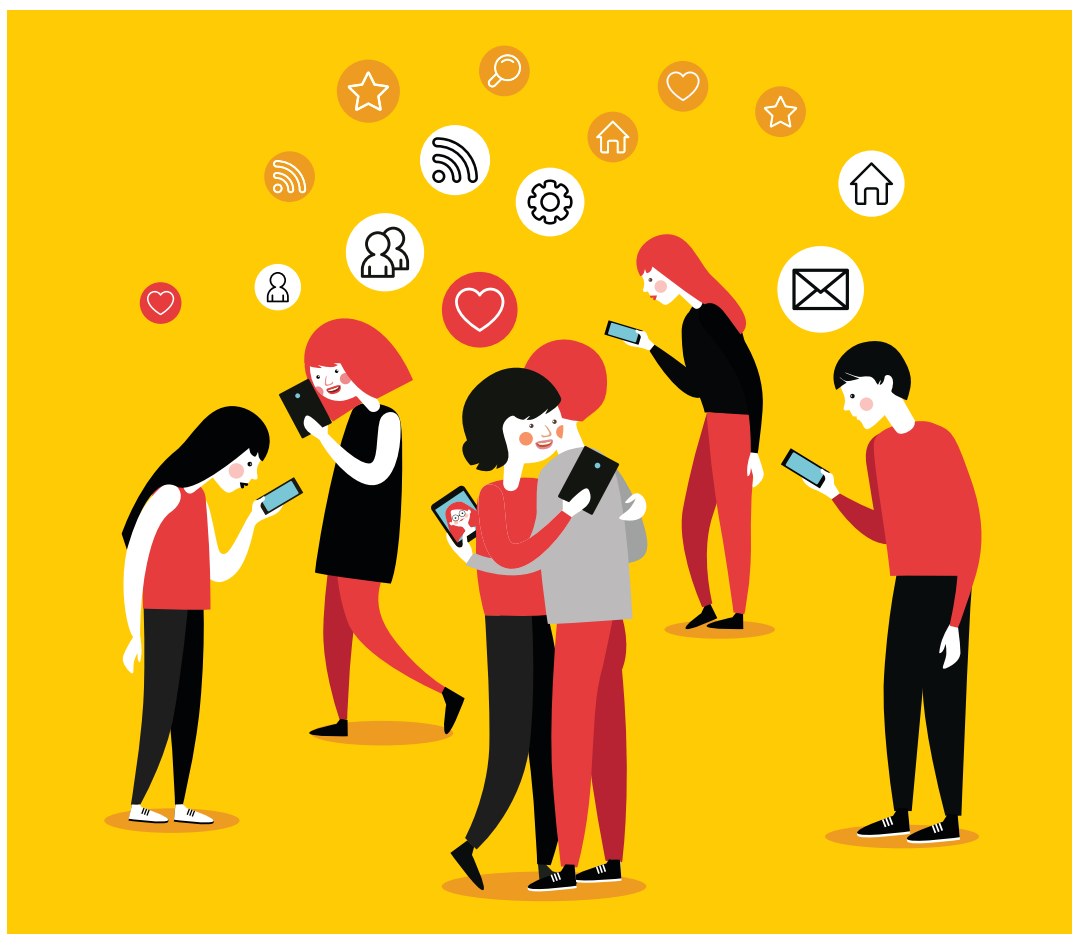
How do social networks affect the overall economic growth of a country, considering their frequent use as virtual marketplaces?

What are the future predictions regarding social networks?

In light of the above, we invite you to contribute to the 14th International Scientific Conference with your scientific or professional paper and help shed light on this important issue.

Brčko – Tuzla, October 7, 2025

PRESIDENT OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE
Academician Prof. Dr. Nedeljko Stanković



DEADLINES FOR APPLICATION AND PAPER SUBMISSION

Topic submission deadline: December 31, 2025 – email: eubd.naucniskup@gmail.com

Paper submission deadline: February 28, 2026

Review process completed by: April 1, 2026

Conference proceedings published by: April 30, 2026

Conference date: May 15, 2026

Conference venue: Brčko, Bijeljinski put bb

TECHNICAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR AUTHORS

Paper length: up to 15 A4 pages

Title: CAPITAL LETTERS (Times New Roman 14, Bold)

Subtitles: Lowercase letters (Times New Roman 12, Bold)

Text: Single spacing (Times New Roman 12), written in one of the official languages used in Bosnia and Herzegovina, or in one of the world languages

Footnotes: Times New Roman 10

Mandatory abstract/summary with keywords, translated into English

If the paper has multiple authors affiliated with different institutions, a footnote should indicate which institution each author represents (more than one institution may be listed).

Up to three co-authors are allowed per paper, and each (co-)author may participate with only one paper.

References: cited literature should be listed in a separate section as a reference list.

REGISTRATION FEE

The participation fee is 100.00 BAM (50 €) per participant.

The fee includes: conference participation, conference proceedings, certificate, and gala dinner.

The fee should be paid by April 30, 2026 to the following account:

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Payment description: Scientific Conference 2026 – participant's surname and name

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All bank transfer fees are to be covered by the payer.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation is provided for conference participants at Hotel Jelena (4 stars) at a special rate of 67.00 BAM (35.00 €) per night with breakfast included.

A gala dinner will be held on Friday, May 15, 2026, starting at 6:00 PM.

Room reservations can be made at:

Hotel Jelena – +387 (0) 49 232 850

When making a reservation, participants must specify that they are attendees of the International Scientific Conference to receive the special rate.

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