



Ministry of Culture and Tourism  
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**BAKU  
INTERNATIONAL  
THEATRE  
CONFERENCE**

**5-6 November, 2018**

**Baku, Azerbaijan**

## **V Baku International Theatre Conference**

**“THE WORLD THEATRE PROCESS IN XXI CENTURY”**

The main theme of this year’s conference:  
“Philosophy of Theatre in XXI century: the Concept of Existence”

Date: 13 February 2018

Dear colleagues,

We have the honor to invite you to the V Baku International Theatre Conference (BITC) which will be held in the city of Baku, Azerbaijan, on **5-6 November 2018** under the auspices of the Ministry of Culture and Tourism of Azerbaijan Republic, the National Academy of Sciences and the Azerbaijan Union of Theatre Workers. Various master classes, workshops and trainings will be held by international theatre experts within the framework of BITC-2018.

The main theme of this year’s conference “Philosophy of Theatre in XXI century: the Concept of Existence” will be discussed by more than 150 experts from 40 countries, such as Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bulgaria, Cuba, Estonia, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, India, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Lithuania, Macedonia, Morocco, Netherlands, Qatar, Romania, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, South African Republic, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Syria, Turkey, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, USA, Uzbekistan, Vietnam, among others. The leaders of such authoritative international theatre organizations like ITI, ASSITEJ, IATC, IFTR, UNIMA and others will also attend the BITC-2018.

To take part in BITC-2018 you are kindly requested to send us the documents following below:

- your brief CV,
- photo for the conference book (jpeg, size not smaller than 1 mb),
- paper in abstracts or in full (not more than 1000 words).

The deadline for applications is on June 1, 2018.

You are welcome to take part in the conference as a speaker/presenter (10 min) or as an observer/listener.

The working languages of BITC-2018 are English, Russian and Azerbaijani. All papers will be published in the Conference Book in three languages.

The Ministry of Culture and Tourism of Azerbaijan Republic will provide accommodation, meals and intercity transport for three nights of 4-6 November (four days). Departure date is on 7 November 2018.

Any transport and entry visa expenses should be covered by participants.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely Yours,



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