

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek, and the Croatian Institute of History – Department for the History of Slavonia, Srijem and Baranja organize

**First International Scientific Conference  
FROM THE HISTORY OF EDUCATION: EDUCATION AND PEDAGOGY  
BETWEEN THE TWO WORLD WARS  
(Osijek, September 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> 2026)**

It is our pleasure to invite you to the **First International Scientific Conference “From the History of Education: Education and Pedagogy between the Two World Wars.”** The conference is dedicated to exploring the historical, social, pedagogical, and institutional aspects of schooling and pedagogical thought in the period between the First and Second World Wars. The aim of the conference is to encourage interdisciplinary discussion and the exchange of scholarly knowledge on the development of educational systems, teaching practices, pedagogical ideas, educational policies, and the role of schools and teachers within the context of the complex socio-political changes of the period.

We invite scholars, researchers, and professionals from the fields of history, pedagogy, education, sociology, philosophy, didactics, and related disciplines to contribute to the exploration of this important topic with their presentations.

The thematic areas of the conference include, but are not limited to:

- educational reforms and school legislation between the two world wars
- pedagogical theories and ideas in the interwar period
- teacher education and the professional identity of teachers
- schooling and education in the context of social, political, and cultural changes
- everyday school life, curricula, and teaching methods
- comparative perspectives on schooling in different European and global contexts

**Abstract submission:**

- Croatian or English language
- 3–5 keywords
- 250–1,000 characters
- send to the e-mail address: [izpovijestiskolstva@gmail.com](mailto:izpovijestiskolstva@gmail.com)

Important dates and deadlines:

- **15 May 2026** – submission of paper title and abstract (up to 1,000 characters)
- 5 June 2026 – notification of acceptance/rejection
- **10–11 September 2026** – conference dates

Presentation formats:

- **on-site** (Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Osijek)
- **online**

Official languages:

- Croatian
- English

Conference fee:

- no registration fee

The complete written papers are planned to be published in the form of conference proceedings. More information will be made available to interested authors after the conference has taken place.

We hope that you will recognise the scholarly value of this conference and respond to this call by participating.

Yours sincerely,

**Organizing Committee:**

Dinko Župan, PhD, Chair

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