



Short narrative biography

Ermis Lafazanovski (1961 in Cluj - Romania) works as professor and Scientific Counselor at the Marko Cepenkov Institute for Folklore in Skopje, which is the leading folklore research institute in the Republic of Macedonia. He has a particular interest in oral history and in text interpretation, which resulted in several book publications. In his research, he employs interdisciplinary approaches, combining literature, history and anthropology.

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EDUCATION

B.A. in South Slavic Literature - "University St.Cyril and Methodius" Skopje 1989

M.A. in World Literature - University of Zagreb, Croatia, 1993

Dr. in Macedonian Folk Literature, "University St.Cyril and Methodius" Skopje 1997

EMPLOYMENT 1991 - present, Prof. Dr. Scientific Cancelor at "Marko Cepenkov"- Institute of Folklore, Skopje, Macedonia

PUBLICATIONS: Books :

"Tradition, narration, Literature", Institute of folklore, Skopje, 1996

"Macedonian Cosmogonical Legends", Kultura, Skopje 2000

"Text and Menthality", Institute of Folklore, Skopje, 2001

*"Anthropological dialogs"*Magor , Skopje, 2002"

"The Exodus of the Macedonians from Greece:Women's stories about WW II and their Exodus." Evro -Balkan, Skopje 2002

"Myths of creation", Institute of folklore Skopje 2006

Working Experiences (academic, research, other)

1991 – present – professor Institute of folklor „Marco Cepenkov“ – Ckopje

2013 - present, visiting proffesor Faculty of Architecture and Design, UACS

Memberships in professional associations

President od Macedonina PEN centre

Member of Writers Assotiation of Macedonia

Associate member: -

(ISFNR) International Society for Folk Narrativ Research

- (SIEF) (Société Internationale d'Ethnologie et de Folklore) –

(In ASEA) International Association for Southeast European Anthropology

Recent conferences

October 2015 – Quebec – Canada (81 Pen international congress)

October 2014 – Belgrade – Balkan PEN association

LIST OF WORKS

“The Aegean Issue and Its Influence on forming Contemporary Macedonian National Identity (1948-2010) Warsawa, Poland 20013 in Macedonia , Land, Region, Borderland, colloquia Balcanica volume 2, Warsaw 2013

The Intellectual as place of memory: The Krste Petkov Misirkov’s Role in the Macedonian and Moldavian national Movements, in (Ulf Brunbauer and Hanes Grandits ed.)The Ambiguous Nation, Muncehn 2013

Skopje: Nostalgic Places and Utopian Spaces, во Urban Life and Culture in Southeastern Europe, ed. Klaus Roth, Ulf Brunbauer , Ethnologia Balkanica 10/2006 p. 63-75, Munchen 2006

Between Turkish and European coffee: Rurlan urban cultural integration in Turkish bazaar in the city of Skopje, IV, 6th International congress on the Turkish Culture,Ankara 2009, p. 1853,