



30 YEARS of BULGARIAN ASSOCIATION FOR MUSIC THERAPY

**6th Bulgarian National Music Therapy Conference w/ International Participants**

**CONSONANCES**

**October 24-26, 2025**

**AN INVITATION FOR PRESENTERS**

Dear Colleagues,

The Bulgarian Association for Music Therapy (BAM) kindly invites you to take part as presenters in the 6<sup>th</sup> Bulgarian National Music Therapy Conference w/ International Participants „Consonances“ dedicated to BAM’s 30th anniversary which we are celebrating in 2025.

As a presenter you can share your current professional experience in one of the following thematic directions:

- Theoretical and practical aspects of music therapy
- Interdisciplinary intersection points between music therapy and other therapeutic approaches
- Applications of music therapy in the prevention and treatment of mental and somatic illnesses

We provide the possibility of taking part in the conference through the following six diverse formats:

**1. Clinical Case Study (40 minutes)**

The aim of this session is an in depth presentation and clinical discussion of one or more cases. Participants receive written materials prepared in advance which enables a deeper analysis. The presenter can set specific requirements for preliminary registration and can limit the number of participants.

**2. Research Presentation (20 minutes)**

A format of presenting scientific research in the field of music therapy including:

- Research goals
- Methodology
- Key results
- Multimedia presentation (required)



### 3. Scientific Notification (15 minutes)

A short presentation of:

- Current research projects
- Forthcoming scientific research
- Innovative approaches in music therapy

### 4. Lecture (20 minutes)

A theoretical presentation

### 5. Discussion on a Topic (60-90 minutes)

Focus groups for:

- Professional experience exchange
- Sharing of good practices
- Analysis of contemporary tendencies in social work, healthcare, education and culture
- *A format including a moderator or a discussion partner in accordance to the author's preference is also possible.*

### 6. Workshop or Demonstration (90 minutes)

An integrated format combining:

- Theoretical lectures
- Presentations
- Interactive tutorial methods
- Practical demonstrations
- *Pre-conference workshops would be possible on the day of the official opening of the conference.*

**Please, request/claim your participation by filling out [the registration form](#) before February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025. An abstract of your paper with a length up to 180 words is required.**

All approved presenters will be notified until March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

The publication of a conference omnibus is possible (online or in print).



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	EARLY BIRD RATE until APRIL 30 <sup>TH</sup> , 2025	REGULAR RATE until JUNE 30 <sup>TH</sup> , 2025
Participation fee	60 EUR	80 EUR
Participation fee covered by an institution	80 EUR	100 EUR

*\*Participation fees are to be paid by a bank transfer only.*

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*For additional info on the conference, please visit our official [website](#) or contact us at [bam@bulgarianmusictherapy.com](mailto:bam@bulgarianmusictherapy.com)*