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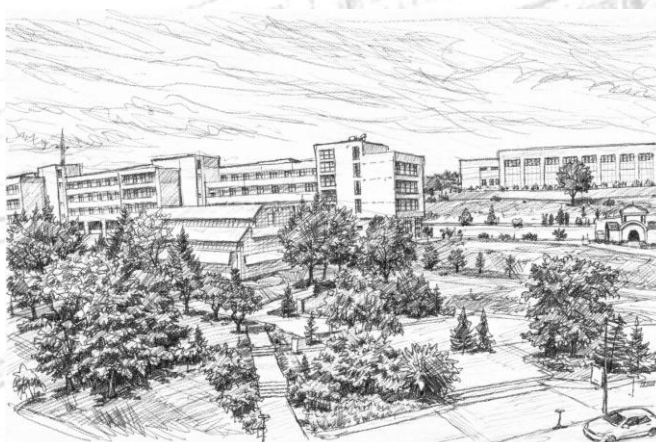
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- ◆ **30.06.2026** – Registration for participation with topic and authors of the paper
- ◆ **15.09.2026** – Submission of the full text of the papers

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- 1. Healthcare**
- 2. Kinesitherapy / Physical Therapy**
- 3. Speech Therapy / Logopedics**
- 4. Medical and Social Sciences**
- 5. Sports**
- 6. Medicine**
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