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UACS STUDENT AMONG THREE BEST IN THE RON BROWN APPRENTICE PROGRAM



The US Embassy to Macedonia was seeking entries from university students for the Ron Brown Apprentice Program. Through the program, the Embassy invited Macedonian university students to come up with the next Facebook, Apple iPhone, or hybrid car.

The program aimed to promote entrepreneurship, the development of sound business practices, and the promotion of the free market system in Southeast Europe. **Among the finalists included UACS student Bojan Najdov. This is further proof of the quality that students gain by studying at UACS.**

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UACS STUDENTS ENTER FINALS IN GLOBAL COMPETITION

Three very ambitious UACS students entered a competition on Corporate Social Responsibility, organized by one of the most famous banks in the world, Societe Generale. This year, the Citizen Act student competition is being held for the 6th time, and out of 591 teams from over 80 countries around the world, these three students from the University American College Skopje, Macedonia, made it to the top 10. The most interesting part about this? It's the first time a team from Macedonia has entered this competition, and the results achieved by this team were more than astonishing.



Under the name of "K's to Success", which is a clever combination of what they stand for (the beginning letters of their last names and the commonly used phrase "keys to success"), they entered the competition with limited yet hopeful expectations. Now, Ema, Ana and Ema, MBA students at UACS, are getting ready to travel to Paris in April to the Societe Generale headquarters. There they will present their project in front of a professional jury in order to compete for first place, which isn't far from reach, seeing how far they have already come.

UACS HOST SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER H. E. CHRISTOPHER YVON

March 22nd, 2012

UACS had the honor of hosting special guest lecturer H. E. Christopher Yvon, Ambassador of the United Kingdom to Macedonia, on March the 22nd, 2012.

Ambassador Yvon spoke, among many other interesting topics, on the UK's future role in the European Union and its efforts to assist Macedonia's Euro-Atlantic integration.

A large part of the session, however, was a Q & A from the students and faculty in attendance. At the conclusion of the session, Dr. Ivan Dodovski, Dean of the School of Political Science, awarded His Excellency with a Certificate of Appreciation.

We greatly appreciate the Ambassador's visit and look forward to future cooperation and collaboration with him.



NEW PROJECT WITH STUDENTS FROM SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

Students from the School of Architecture and Design and the School of Architecture from Gazi University - Ankara, opened the exhibition originating from their mutual cooperation. The project is called "History and space: Capadocia" and concerns the Capadocia site in Turkey



There were 30 projects exhibited, made from the students from both Schools. The project is dedicated to the nature and the specific and unique characteristics of Capadocia, with an accent on the unique specifics of the surrounding.

The project program consists of various contents: Museum, hotel, farm house and interior design. Special attention is dedicated to the traditional ambient, cultural and geographical specifics of the space and the language of the local architecture throughout the whole process of building.

INFORMATION DAY OF LANGUAGE TECHNOLOGIES AND INNOVATION

— March 14th, 2012

On March, 14th, 2012, Professor Galia Angelova, PhD, and Kiril Simov, PhD, from the Institute of Information and Communication Technologies, within the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, were guests of UACS and presented their latest research results. The titles of presentations were:

- The EU infrastructure - CLARIN and its Bulgarian Component
- Medical text processing: presentation of the projects EVTIMA and PSIP

The audience consisted mostly of UACS students, but also included representatives from the government, from the Secretariat for European Questions, as well as some colleagues from other research institutions.

At the end of the event, the concept of the Language Modeling Laboratory, which will be established at UACS, was promoted. The first results are due in June.

The aim of the event was to bring together researchers from all Macedonian academic organizations that deal with various aspects of language processing and informatics, as well as representatives of companies, governmental and non-governmental institutions, that might help for the starting initiatives in Macedonia in this area. The topics discussed included experiences and research in:

- Building linguistic resources for Bulgarian language: type of resources, efforts needed, application potential;
- BG-CLARIN as part of the European infrastructure CLARIN (www.clarin.eu);
- Application of language technologies for processing medical texts (in the projects EVTIMA and PSIP);

Possibilities to organize international funding for the tasks to be performed in Macedonia.



HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS VISIT UACS

March 23rd, 2012

Students from High School 'Algoritam' were guests at UACS on March the 23rd, 2012. They visited a lecture, took a tour around the campus and enjoyed refreshments at our outdoor cafeteria.

PRESENTATION SKILLS FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES

Our professors, Dr Ivan Dodovski and Dr Marjan Petreski conveyed a seminar within the Research Seminar Series on acquiring presentation skills for academic purposes. The seminar aligns with the UACS effort to increase its research capacity and promote first-class research. The supporting presentation can be found [here](#).

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- Corporate Social Responsible University
- Strong supporter of the entrepreneurship in Macedonia
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