

EXHIBITION OF ICONS FROM THE BALKANS
AT THE CEC GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN TRONDHEIM
“**Richness of Diversity**” – Past and Present of The Balkan Iconography”

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Garden Gallery
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Introduction:

During the General Assembly of the CEC- **Conference of European Churches** in Trondheim, Norway, an exhibition of icons from the Balkans will be presented.

CEC General Assembly is the ultimate decision-making body of the CEC, that regularly meets every six years, gathering 1200 participants, among whom there are 350 representatives of Christian Churches from Europe - the CEC members

Concept of the Event

Exhibition will consist of about 30 icons painted by the most renowned professional contemporary icon-painters from Serbia&Montenegro, Romania, Bulgaria and Greece. Selector of the exhibition is Mr. Lazar Predrag Markovic, Art Historian and editor of the Orthodox Internet Magazine ISKON (www.iskon.co.yu)

Exhibition will have two sub-themes: “Christ” (shown the variety in expressing the image of the Saviour in local traditional & contemporary iconography on the Balkans) and “Gospel“ with numerous themes illustrating the events from the New Testament.

All the icons are hand made, being either faithful copies of medieval or 16th –19th Century icons, or are representing an attempt to create authentic icons that will contain some modern elements characterising our time.

Some of the exhibited icons will be offered for sale.

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