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The 4th annual conference Culture Get-Together 2023 – LEAVING!

Culture Get-Together is a conference for cultural experts, representative of the public administration, educators, artists as well as the public interested in the current situation of live art and cultural practice.

The aim of the conference is to motivate the cooperation of representatives in the field of independent performing arts, self-government, and the state sector, but also open unpopular topics. So, it won't be surprising that this year's conference will address the issue of Leaving, which will thus offer a broader discussion.

We are interested in "Leaving" in terms of all the connections and consequences on individual and social levels, in both creative and managerial area. We will talk about leaving executive management positions, leaving a job for a freelance basis, leaving to and from abroad or, for example, the reasons for the reluctance and fear to leave.

We will share our experience with several prominent figures working as senior leaders in projects and institutions with a strong societal impact, often with international outreach.

The conference is organised by **Nová síť /a service organisation for performing arts.**

Hosted by **Mario Kubaš**, the conference is also streamed and translated into English.

Conference venue: Spojka Events (Karlín), Pernerova 697/35, Prague 8



Conference agenda:

25/9/2023

9:00 – 9:30 **REGISTRATION**

9:30 – 10:00 **OPENING OF THE FIRST DAY OF THE CONFERENCE**

Introduction – **Adriana Světlíková** and **Petr Pola** on behalf of the organizer [Nová síť](#)

10:00 – 13:00 **I. PART**

- **Marta Ljubková** – lead dramaturge at the cultural centre [Vzlet](#), former chief dramaturge at the [National Theater in Prague](#)
- **Ondřej Hrab** – founder and director of the [Archa Theatre](#)
- **Roman Černík** – founder and artistic director of the cultural centre [Moving Station](#) in Pilsen
- **Yvona Kreuzmannová** – co-founder and director of the [Tanec Praha](#) organisation
- **Rostě Novák** – principal of [Cirk La Putyka](#)
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- **Dalibor Špok / final post** - psychologist, psychotherapist

13:00 – 14:00 **LUNCH BREAK**

14:00 – 16:00 **II. PART**

Moderated panel discussion: How to leave in the Czech Republic No.1

- **Martin Baxa** – [Minister of culture](#) of the Czech Republic
- **Hana Třeštíková** – Deputy Major of the [Prague 7 district](#), former council member for culture, exhibitions and tourism at the Capital City of Prague
- **Adriana Světlíková** – director of [Nová síť](#)
- **Karolína Koubová** – former mayor of the City of Jihlava
- **Jan Kunze** - director of the [EPO 1 Centre for Contemporary Art](#)

17:00 – 18:30 **CULTURAL OPEN MIC on "Thanks, bye!"**

An uncensored cabaret of five-minute contributions from unexpected guests - prepared by Jiří Šimek and Nataša Bednářová from ufftenživot. We will give space for free speech, reaction, and feedback from the cultural community.

26/9/2023

9:00 – 9:15 **REGISTRATION**

9:15 – 9:30 **OPENING OF THE SECOND DAY OF THE CONFERENCE**

Introduction – **Adriana Světlíková** and **Petr Pola** on behalf of the organizer [Nová síť](#)

9:30 – 12:00 **I. PART**

Tomáš Sedláček / opening post - economist, philosopher, university pedagogue

- **Jitka Jurková Pánková** – former director of [Czech Centre Brussels](#)
- **Lucia Kašiarová** – co-founder of [Studia ALTA](#) in Prague, director of [Theater Dance Studio](#) in Banská Bystrica
- **Jana Návrátová** - Chairman of the Board of Directors of the [Dance Career Foundation](#) and Artistic Director of the [Dance Film Festival](#)
- **Márta Ladjánszki** – dancer, choreographer, former director of [L1 Dance Fest](#) in Budapest and **Zsolt Varga** - composer, musician and chairman of the L1 Association
- **Jiří Bárta** - fundraising consultant and former long-time director of the [Via Foundation](#)

12:00 – 13:00 **LUNCH BREAK**

13:00 – 15:00 **II. PART**

Moderated panel discussion: **How to leave in the Czech Republic No.2**

- **Jitka Jurková Pánková** – former director of [Czech Centre Brussels](#)
- **Jiří Bárta** - fundraising consultant and former long-time director of the [Via Foundation](#)
- **Lucia Kašiarová** – co-founder of [Studia ALTA](#) in Prague, director of [Theater Dance Studio](#) in Banská Bystrica
- **Petra Kultová** - programme coordinator of the [ECOC Broumov 2028](#) project

15:00 – 15:15 **CONFERENCE CONCLUSION**

- **Adriana Světlíková** – director of [Nová síť](#)

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