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"Alexandru and Aristia Aman" County Library, together with "Alexandru and Aristia Aman" Fundation as organizers, and The Romanian Academy, "C.S. Nicolaescu Plopșor" Social-Humanist Sciences Institute – Craiova, Scientists Academy of Romania, the Archaeological and Historical Sciences Department of the University of Craiova, the Faculty of Law and Social Sciences - Social Sciences Department, as partners, organized during 10th – 13th of June 2015 the second edition of the International Conference Politics. Diplomacy. Culture. The works of the conference lasted two days, 11th -12th of June, and were held at "Alexandru and Aristia Aman" County Library of Craiova, Romania.

The conference was organized into four sections, integrating communications and studies from different research fields: political sciences, international relations, cultural studies, history, economy, European studies, philosophy, archaeology, cultural patrimony, diplomacy, law, political parties, sociology, religion and church history, education, media and communication. The event addressed to members of the Academy, professors, researchers, PhDs, MAs, students and all others interested in the fields mentioned above.

The Conference was held in Romanian and English, simultaneous translation being provided. The articles and communications will be published in *Journal of Humanities*, *Culture and Social Sciences* or in "*Românii în Istoria Europei*" (*Romanians in Europe's History*), vol. III.

There were no taxes for participation and publication!

The second edition of the Conference *Politics. Diplomacy. Culture* gathered over 130 participants. The works and papers presented in plenary sessions, discussions and debates which resulted from last hour interpretations and analyses represent a benefit and a salutary fact for each participant. The 13 volumes launched during the conference brought to the attention of the public titles in areas regarding media, history and diplomacy on the one hand, and theology and culture on the other. The event was highly reflected in local and national media. Moreover, the event itself was granted wide spaces in written and online press, and several professors that took part at the conference works, were invited to TV shows organized by TVR Craiova, and Digi 24 Craiova.

The opening of the "Cultural Craiova" photography exhibition, made by one of most talented photographers – a Romanian journalist, came alongside the traditional sections of the conference, the effective panels and the 13 book launches. The exhibition displayed over 30 photographs, mostly snapshots, taken during cultural events held in Craiova.

The conference was included in a series of events and cultural manifestations organized in Craiova, in support of the city's candidacy for the title of European Cultural capital in 2021. As part of these important cultural events, the conference received the support of the Dolj County Library and Municipality of Craiova. Thus, the County Library is not only the host of the event, but also one of the local institutions that endeavours to generate cultural projects each month and each day.