

Plan of excursion

The excursion aims to introduce our esteemed guests to some of the most important cultural and historical sites, the imperial city of Niš, where the Roman emperor Constantine the Great was born.

Gathering, getting to know the guide and the start of the two-hour excursion are scheduled in front of the Faculty of Civil Engineering and Architecture (Aleksandra Medvedeva Street 14) at 1:00 p.m. The tour begins with the Niš fortress. By walking through the fortress, guests get to know its rich history that reaches back to ancient times, the Roman, Byzantine, medieval Serbian and Ottoman periods. The next culturally and historically mentioned on the tour list is the Synagogue, whose turbulent history spanning two centuries records a great fire at the end of the 19th century, then reconstruction, devastation during World War II and reconstruction in the early 2000s when it was converted into a gallery and venue for numerous cultural manifestations, concerts, literary evenings. After visiting the Synagogue, the group goes to the Cathedral - the central city orthodox church, where we take the bus to the "Bubanj" memorial park on the hill of the same name southwest of Niš. "Bubanj" represents one of the most extensive killing grounds of Serbs, Jews and Roma during the Second World War. The complex consists of a forest with paved paths, a display of scenes of suffering and a centrally positioned monument in the form of three fists, which today represents one of the symbols of the city of Niš. The last site on the excursion list is the monument on the Čegar hill northeast of Niš, where one of the cult battles in the liberation of the Serbian people from centuries-long Ottoman slavery took place. Finally, the tour ends at the meeting place, the plateau in front of the Faculty of Civil Engineering and Architecture, where we say goodbye until the next SINARG!