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Dear Colleague,

We are pleased to invite you to take part in the **8th edition of the traditional International Colloquium of Old Bulgarian Studies**, supported by the National Research Programme *Cultural Heritage, National Memory and Social Development* (NRP CHNMSD) and dedicated to the 90th anniversary of Prof. DSc Donka Petkanova, former director of the Colloquium and founder of the Department for Cyrillo-Methodian Studies at Sofia University Faculty of Slavic Studies.

The event will take place **from August 31 to September 2, 2021**, in the Rectorate of Sofia University “Sveti Kliment Ohridski”.

You can send your topics and abstracts until the 20th of June 2021 to colloquium2021@abv.bg.

Contributions in Bulgarian, Russian and English are welcome.

Travel and accommodation expenses of the foreign participants will be covered by the organizers.

The organizers are ready to modify the conference mode of attendance (in-person, online or hybrid) with view of the epidemic situation in Bulgaria.

The Colloquium proceedings are to be published in a special volume. The publication guidelines are attached to the present letter.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee

Prof. Anna-Maria Totomanova
Coordinator of NRP CHNMSD