



## POLYPHONIA Final Conference

«Thematic Tourism Development Through the Preservation of Polyphonic Music, unique element of the cross-border Cultural Heritage»

Organizer: Regional Union of Municipalities of Epirus

### Ioannina

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2022 | Starting: 18:00

*POLYPHONIA: Music unites people and brings development*

17:45 – 18:00

**Registrations of Participants**

18:00 – 18:10

**Welcome Speech**

*Christos Ntakaletsis, President of Regional Union of Municipalities of Epirus (PEDE)*

18:10 – 18:20

**Presentation of the POLYPHONIA Project and its contribution to Polyphonic Song and its preservation**

*Nikolaos Deskas, Development Consultant of PEDE, PM of Project POLYPHONIA*

18:20 – 19:30

**Activities and Results of the POLYPHONIA Project**

*Stelios Koukoularis, Municipality of Pogoni*

*Ermir Nika, Institution of Prefect in Gjirokstra Region*

*Neritan Mehmetaj, Regional Directory of National Culture Vlore*

*Mihal Kicaqi, Municipality of Dropull*

19:30 – 19:45

**Break – Coffee / Snacks - Networking**

19:45 – 20:00

**State borders and language are not always the borders of a musical culture**

*Konstantinos Lolis, Musicologist*

20:00 – 20:15

**Polyphonies of Pogoni & Dropul and their teaching practices in the urban area**

*Paraskeui Kanellatou, Research Director - Greek Song Research Center | PhD Candidate in Folklore - National & Kapodistrian University of Athens*

20:15 – 20:30

**Teaching of the Polyphonic Song of Epirus in the Music School of Ioannina**

*Panagiotis Tellis, Musician/ Musicologist, PhD Candidate in the Department of Music Studies of the Ionian University*

20:30 – 20:40

**Questions - Discussion**

20:40 – 21:00

**Concert from the Polyphonic Song Association of Pogoni**

The Conference will also be broadcast electronically via Zoom:  
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81770000563?pwd=WEJpZEJFajRiWVQ0N0dDU1ZWV24zQT09>

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