

EFN CONFERENCE 2021 - THE HUNGARIAN HERITAGE HOUSE, BUDAPEST

Time CET Session

WEDNESDAY 17 NOVEMBER

- 12.00 - 14.00 ARRIVE AND REGISTER AND COFFEE
- 14.00 - 14.30 **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS - Laszlo Kelemen, David Francis, Nod Knowles**
Laszlo Kelemen is the outgoing Director of the Heritage House and has run the House for several years; David Francis is the EFN Chair
- 14.30 - 15.10 **NORDIC GREEN TOURING - Raisa Siivola & Maria Silvennoinen**
These two professionals from Jazz Finland will describe their experimental project of green touring for musicians in the Nordic region
- 15.10 - 15.30 COFFEE BREAK
- 15.30 - 16.10 **FOLK MUSIC FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS - Miklos Both**
Miklos, the incoming Director of the Heritage House, will talk about a major folk education project that he has been running in recent years
- 16.15 - 16.55 **DISCUSSION GROUPS** 1. Education 2. Green Touring 3. Dance development
We will break out into discussions groups to look further at subjects brought forward by speakers and EFN Members
- 17.00 - 17.45 **THE HUNGARIAN DANCE HOUSE MOVEMENT - Soma Salamon**
Soma, from the Hungarian Music House, will outline the considerable history of success in the Dance House revival movement
- 17.45 - 18.45 FREE TIME
- 18.45 - 19.15 TRAVEL TO FONON MUSIC HALL
- 19.15 - 20.30 **DINNER at FONON MUSIC HOUSE** *Everyone pays for their own dinner - by card please*
We will have menus in advance, and pay for our own dinners on the night
- 20.30 until late **FONON MUSIC HOUSE - DANCE HOUSE EVENING - music + dance instruction!**
We can experience the Dance House movement for ourselves in a sociable evening of music, dance and fun!

THURSDAY 18 NOVEMBER

- 08.30 - 9.15 ARRIVE AND REGISTER AND COFFEE
- 9.15 - 9.30 **WELCOME and INFORMATION - David Francis, Nod Knowles**
- 9.30 - 10.15 **EFN AGM follow up + BOARD ELECTION + future planning? EFN Board**
The EFN is on the brink of major change - where and how will it go forward?
- 10.15 - 11.00 **THE FUTURE FOR AUDIENCES - ONLINE & IN PERSON? - Tom Besford**
Tom is the CEO of the English Folk Expo and has been working in both in-person and online situations - so what is the future?
- 11.00 - 11.30 COFFEE BREAK
- 11.30 - 12.15 **DISCUSSION GROUPS** 1. Online v In Person? 2. Commercialisation of tradition? 3. Regional cooperation? 4. EFN for Non-members
Breakout groups - discuss subjects of interest to EFN - plus an information session for non-members: 'What Is EFN and What Does It Do?'
- 12.15 - 13.00 **BALKAN MOST - TRADITIONAL ARTS IN THE BALKAN REGION - Andreas Lelkes**
Andreas, from Hangveto, will describe their major project connecting with the traditional sectors in the Balkan region
- 13.00 - 14.15 LUNCH *Provided for delegates by EFN & The Hungarian Heritage House*
- 14.15 - 15.15 **DISCUSSION GROUPS & PLENARY - The future work & planning & 2022 conference for EFN**
Everyone will have the opportunity think and talk about the future of this new and fast-growing network
- 15.15 - 15.30 **THANKS AND CLOSE - David Francis, Miklos Both**
- 15.30 - 16.00 BREAK
- 16.00 - 17.00 **TOUR OF THE HUNGARIAN HERITAGE HOUSE ARCHIVE**
- 17.00 - 18.30 **HUNGARIAN TRADITIONAL CONCERT - at the Hungarian Heritage House - 3 groups**
A joyful chance to see and hear some of the best in traditional Hungarian music!
- 18.30 **GOODBYE** *Everyone goes their own way*