

Dear participants,

In the frame of the Pan-National Year of Gjergj Kastrioti Skanderbeg, the 140th anniversary of the Albanian League of Prizren (June 10, 1878) and the 110th anniversary of the Congress of Manastir, the Central Bank of the Republic of Kosovo in cooperation with the Bank of Albania organize the exhibition "Gjergj Kastrioti Skanderbeg in Albanian coins and banknotes".

The exhibition is part of the state agenda organized by the Government Commission for the Pan-National Year of Gjergj Kastrioti Skanderbeg.

The cooperation between our two institutions has always been excellent and in order to convey the message of this historic event celebration, this year we decided to join the celebration of the manifestation Pan-National Year of Gjergj Kastrioti Skanderbeg that coincides with the 550th anniversary of his death and the 140th anniversary of the Albanian League of Prizren.

On this occasion, the Central Bank, in coordination with the Kosovo Museum, the Bank of Albania and the Albanian League of Prizren Museum as host, in this beautiful environment, is opening the exhibition 'Gjergj Kastrioti Skanderbeg', where Albanian coins and banknotes are presented, some of which used in Kosovo during World War II".

The exhibition contains a numismatic treasure from both countries, Kosovo and Albania, mainly coins used in the Albanian territories at different periods, from the 1st century BC to the present days.

Exhibited are the coins of the ancient times from the pre-Roman period (V-I BC), the Roman period (I-IV AD) and the medieval period (V-XII).

This shows us, that in our lands, since antiquity has been developed a functional financial system, which is evidenced by the coins minted and used during different periods of time in history.

In addition to the numismatic treasure, exhibited are various historical texts, historical images and financial education products of both central banks, showing thus a merger of numismatics, history and the education.

The exhibition is open from today until the 12 June 2018, so we invite the citizens to visit this excellent exhibition organized for the first time on such important anniversary.