

SCHOOL OF APPLIED ARTS IS A SECONDARY SCHOOL WITH A RICH TRADITION SITUATED IN THE METROPOLIS OF EASTERN SLOVAKIA – KOŠICE.

■ The school offers studies in ten departments: **Photographic Design, Promotional Art, Promotional Graphic, Preservation and Restoration – Painting Techniques, Design – Graphic and Spatial Design, Stage Design and Reproductive Painting, Interior Design, Garment Design, Animation Art.**

During their studies students develop their talent for fine arts. They design and create artworks and learn to use various artistic techniques such as drawing, painting, graphic techniques, restoration techniques, 3D modelling, pottery, computer art, classic and 3D animation, etc.



Our students participate in a number of local, national, international exhibitions and competitions, as well as in various creative and artistic projects.

Our graduates do well in creative industry such as designers in professional graphic, photographic, architectural designer studios, restorers, in theatre, television, in films or in advertising departments of firms and institutions.

In addition, our school also organises art and computer courses, lectures and workshops for the public where individuals can acquire or improve their creative skills.

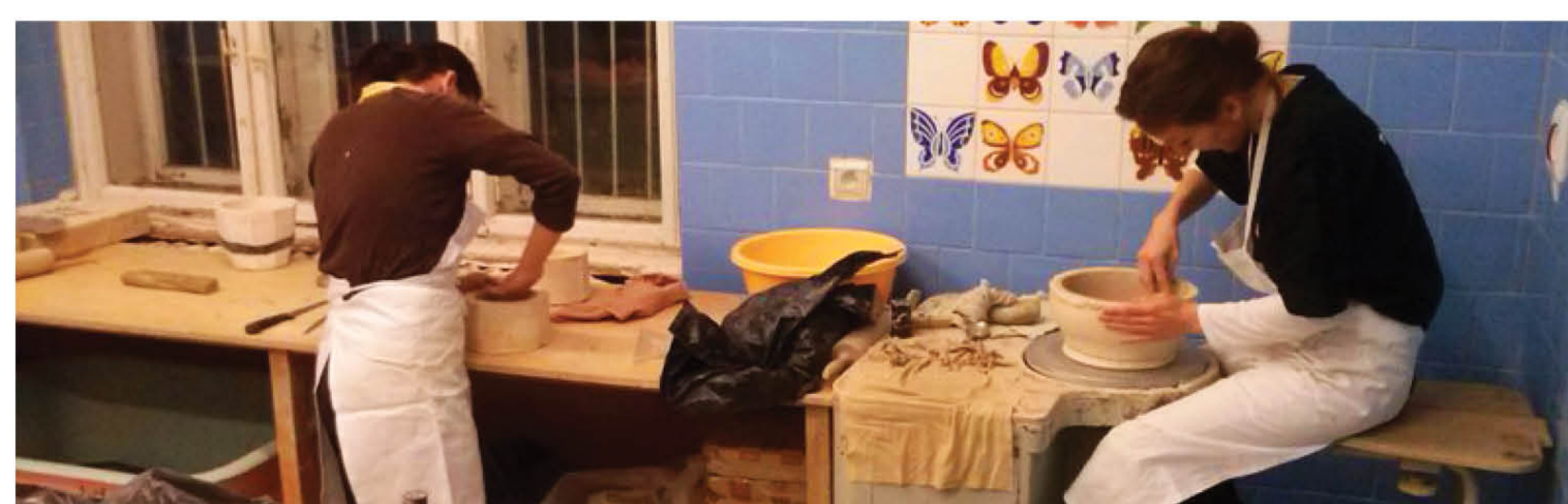
■ Our school also makes space for the realisation of joint projects with other schools or institutions. One of them was a joint project a theatre play called **Sarkányi** with Conservatory students at Exnárova street in Košice. Students of our school designed and made the scene and its art elements. Conservatory students acted out the roles of the characters.



■ **The evening course of drawing and painting** offers the possibility of acquiring the experience of drawing the still life, portrait or the figure, while those interested in painting will learn about the different painting techniques and working with colour.



■ **The course Ceramics as a Hobby** – makes it possible to learn about the working procedures of shaping the ceramic clay, decorating it and its finalisation into a commercial or decorative product.



■ **Graphic Duel** is an art contest for art students aged 15-19. This is an innovative extra-curricular contest in front of the public. The contest takes place every last Thursday of the month during the school year in Rotunda exhibition hall in Košice. It has a form of talent show, judged by 5 jurors. The jury consist of two art teachers, two earlier student contestants and a guest. During the show the artwork of the five jurors is also presented. The aim of the Graphic Duel is to motivate and support students in their creative work and also to teach them how to present themselves in public. At the same time it presents the school, its students, teachers and the East-Slovak region. The contest has also a great media impact.

