### Lecture Series

This Series is an initiative of Bulgarian Cultural and Heritage Center of Seattle (BCHCS), intended to extend its Bulgarian cultural activities into the greater Seattle area. The Series will be hosted by the University of Washington Slavic Department.

**FIRST LECTURE:** *Men's Winter Dance Practices*
Friday, January 30, 5:00 – 6:00 pm.

Simpson Center for the Humanities, Seminar Room, Communications 202, **Communications Building** on the UW campus, second floor

4101 Stevens Way NE, Seattle, WA
https://simpsoncenter.org/about/facilities/202
(The closest parking lot is Padelford - across the street from the Simpson Center)

**Lecturer:** Dr. Daniela Ivanova-Nyberg, director of BCHCS Folklore and Literature programs

**Topics:**
- January 30: Men's Winter Dance Practices
- February (date to be announced): Carnival Practices
- April (date to be announced): Women's Spring Dance Practices
- June 5: Nestinari Dance (Dance on the glowing embers)

### Bulgarian Language Course

A year-long program of BCHCS

**Every Friday, starting February 6**

The course is primarily designed to serve Americans that have some preliminary experience in Bulgarian or other Slavic languages and are eager to dive deeper into Bulgarian language and culture. The curriculum will include grammar, learning everyday verbal expressions and common idioms, discussion of cultural contexts and translations of beloved traditional folk songs, and even group singing.

**In classroom-learning:** Weekly 75 minute classes without break.

**Duration:** February 6 - June 26, 2015, with suggested restart on September 18, 2015.

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