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Activities 2012

- World Theatre Day Celebration, 3 April, Theatre Institute Bratislava Studio 12: 6th Theatrological Dionysia on the occasion of the World Theatre Day Celebration. Festive evening connected to the prize giving and honorary doctorates ceremony, awarding personalities of the Slovak theatre life in various activities and fields of performing arts. For the first time the Slovak ITI Centre Prize was awarded to prof. Soňa Šimková, one of the leading persons in the history of Slovak Centre ITI, for her work in national and also international structures of the ITI
- Project Istropolitana 22 to 27. June Bratislava (various venues): Festival Istropolitana Project is absolutely unique among all festivals in Central Europe and provides a special opportunity for young theatre artists to be involved in an international confrontation of their work, opinion and production. It creates space for future theatre professionals to meet with eminent theatre scholars, their audience and their colleagues.

Project takes place every second year and provides continuous mutual confrontation between young artists and broad audience. The festival with its competition part is a significant event in the context of Slovak culture and theatre education system in the Middle-European region and is the only one of its kind within Slovakia.

The project's target is to hold a creative meeting of the youngest generation of theatre artists from national and international schools and to present various approaches and poetics towards theater staging and interpretation.

Activities 2013

 Mrs. Ann-Marie Arioli, the dramaturge and former artistic director of the international festival New Plays from Europe – Wiesbaden (BRD) was a guest of the Divadelná Nitra International Festival at the date of 27. 9 - 2. 10. on the invitation of Slovak ITI Centre and its president Mr. Martin Porubjak.

Activities 2014

- Project Istropolitana 19 25 June (various venues)
 History: Every second year since 1977 Theater
 Faculty of The Academy of Performing Arts has
 organized an international festival of theatre
 schools called Istropolitana Project. This time it is
 the 20th year of the festival. During its history there
 have been about 100 schools presented from all
 around the world, such as Israel, USA, Germany,
 Poland, Czech Republic, Switzerland, Hungary,
 Italy, China, India, Russia, Spain, Indonesia, Iran
 and many others. Over 200 great performances
 have taken place in the festival. Festival helped to
 start a career of some famous artists, such as Baz
 Luhrmann (director of the movie Romeo and Juliet,
 Moulin Rouge)...
- The Slovak ITI Centre is also responsible for translation and promotion of the ITI message of the World Theatre Day, International World Day of Theatre for Children and Young People and the International Dance Day (2012 - 2014). The Centre is also responsible for providing the contribution to the World of Theatre series of publication (2013).

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