



**Festival of
European
Literature
in Tirana**



FETL Programme

Fighting Words
Maja Haderlap
Begoña Oro
Djamel White
Přemysl Vinš
Milena Selimi
Ena Katarina Haler
Christos Kythreotis
Dario Voltolini
Nadia Terranova
Philippe Collin
Michał Rusinek

**Architecture
of thought.**

**2—6 December
2025**



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2.12

10:00

Creative writing workshop by Fighting Words

12:00

Irish writers and educators on collaborative storytelling.

With support from the Embassy of Ireland

In collaboration with: ART Centre for Children and the Puppet Theatre

📍 National Puppet Theatre

18:15

**Opening of the Festival of European Literature in
Tirana**

18:30

📍 National Theatre of Opera, Ballet and Folk Ensemble, 2nd floor, blue hall

18:30

**Conversation on multilingual writing and belonging
with Maja Haderlap**

19:45

With Blerta Lazebeu

📍 National Theatre of Opera, Ballet and Folk Ensemble, 2nd floor, blue hall

20:00

Experimental dance performance by Edi Blloshmi

📍 National Theatre of Opera, Ballet and Folk Ensemble, 2nd floor, blue hall



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3.12

09:00

10:30

**Begoña Oro
Exchange with students**

📍 Foreign languages high school “Asim Vokshi”

16:00

18:00

**Creative writing workshop
by Fighting Words**

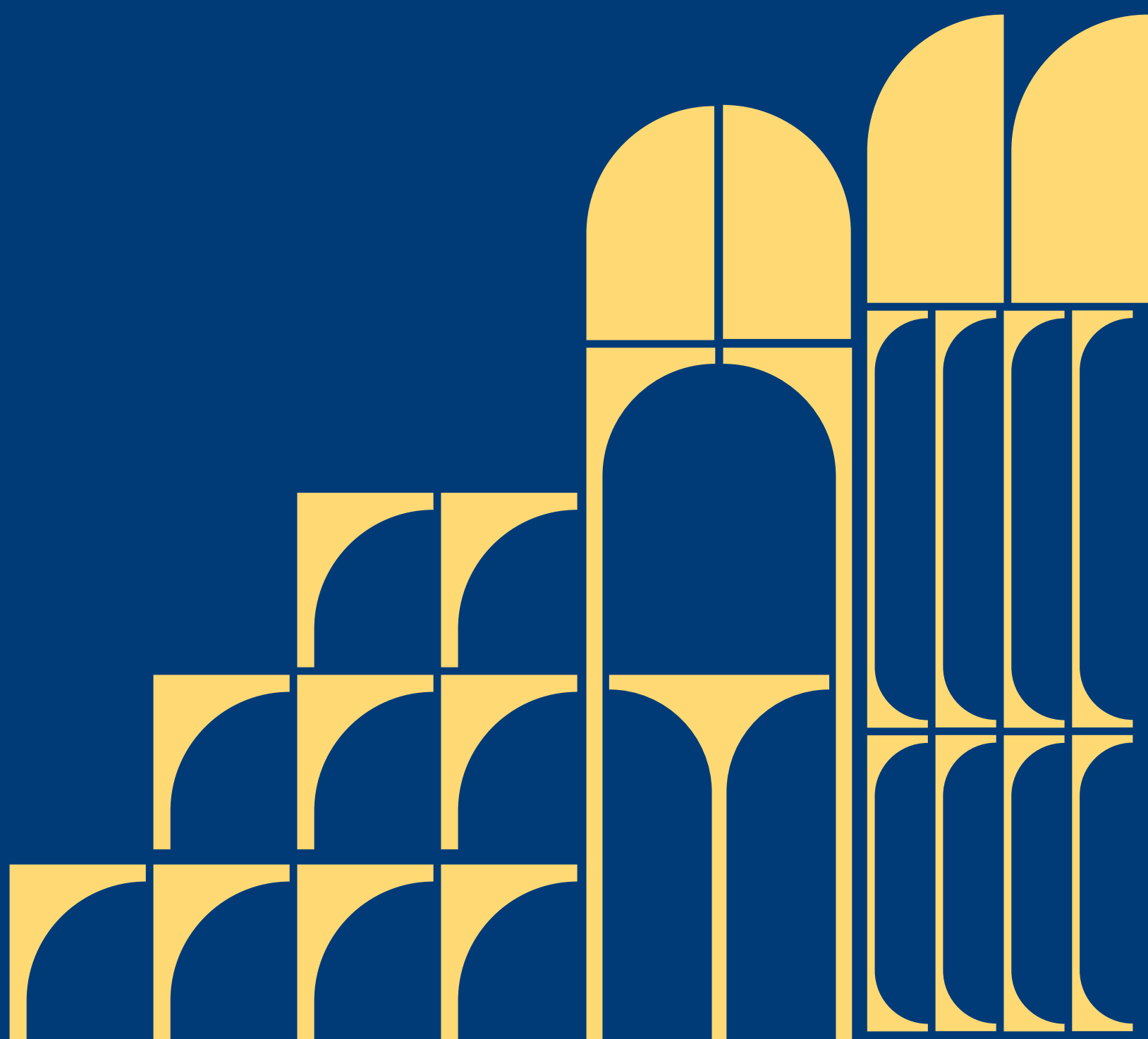
📍 National Puppet Theatre

18:15

19:30

**Conversation on challenges of a young writer
with Djamel White**

📍 National Puppet Theatre





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10:45

12:15

**Exchange with students on the comic edition of
Karel Čapek's *R.U.R***

with Přemysl Vinš and Erilda Selaj

📍 Europe House

12:00

13:00

**Exchange with students
on Barbara Stock's *Vincent* Graphic Novel**

with Arlinda Dudaj and Endri Beqo

📍 Babel library

17:30

18:30

**Conversation on Literature of Transition
with Milena Selimi**

📍 Vila 31 x Art Explora

18:45

20:00

Joint conversation with Ena Katarina Haler

📍 Vila 31 x Art Explora

20:00

**Artistic performance: *Music and poems*
by Mardit Lleshi and Loredana Gjeçi**

📍 Vila 31 x Art Explora



5.12

10:00 Maja Haderlap – exchange with students

11:30 📍 Foreign languages high school “Asim Vokshi”

10:00 Christos Kythreotis – exchange with students

11:30 📍 High school “Protagonistët”

14:00 Creative writing workshop by Dario Voltolini

16:00 📍 Europe House

16:30 Conversation with Nadia Terranova

17:30 📍 Europe House

16:00 Philippe Collin – exchange with students

17:00 *Discussion on writing, journalism, and history
with Prof. Dr. Akademik Artan Fuga*

📍 Department of Journalism and Communication, University of Tirana

17:00 Conversation with Mr. Michał Rusinek
on the work of Wisława Szymborska

18:00 📍 Tulla Culture Centre

18:30 Conversation with Christos Kythreotis
on youth, identity, and migration

19:30 📍 Tulla Culture Centre

6.12

17:00 Conversation with Philippe Collin
18:30 “Telling Europe’s history in the first person”

📍 National Library “Sotir Kolea” Centre, French Room

18:30 Closing cultural evening
20:30

*Final celebration of European diversity in literature and art.
Participants of “Fighting Words” workshops present their writings*

Artistic Performance by Vikena Kamenica

📍 National Library “Sotir Kolea” Centre, French Room





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WORDS**
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BIBLIOTEKA
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