



BSEC MONTH OF CULTURE 2019

PRESS RELEASE

Friday 15 November 2019

UKRAINE

Hutsul Banush is ideal to protect yourself from the cold days in Ukraine. It is made of corn grits, fried pork fat and cheese, and is traditionally cooked over fire in order to get well smoked. Mushrooms are also often added to the porridge, to make the taste even richer.

#MoC2019 #ICBSS #BlackSea #Ukraine #Gastronomy



Info at: <https://theculturetrip.com/europe/ukraine/articles/12-traditional-ukrainian-dishes-you-must-try/>

ARMENIA

Nobody can think of Black Sea gastronomy without the traditional dish of #dolma, leaves of grapes stuffed with rice and herbs. The annual Armenian Dolma Festival gives the opportunity to taste the different options of dolma cooking. Enjoy the dolma-trip!

#MoC2019 #ICBSS #BlackSea #Armenia #Gastronomy



**PRESENTS 6TH ANNUAL
ARMENIAN
DOLMA FESTIVAL**

**MUSICAL DIRECTOR
ARMINE VARDANYAN**

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27, 2019 AT 4PM
ST. SARKIS ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH
38-65 234TH ST, DOUGLASTON NY, 11363

Come and enjoy a variety of delicious homemade dolmas accompanied by Armenian song and dance. All complemented by mezzes, desserts, cash bar, and a DJ for your pleasure!

For Ticket Reservations, you may Contact Us at arenichoir1@gmail.com
Germaine (917) 288-2747 • Lilly (516) 445-7749
ARENI Direct Line (732) 98ARENI

ADULTS: \$50, AT THE DOOR: \$55 • CHILDREN 12 & UNDER: \$20, UNDER AGE 5: FREE

ARENI Choir is a non-profit organization 501(c)(3) dedicated to present and promote Armenian culture

International Centre for Black Sea Studies (ICBSS), 4 Xenophontos Str., 10557 Athens, Greece
Tel.: +30 210 324 2321, Fax: +30 210 324 2244, Email: icbss@icbss.org, Website: www.icbss.org

**Join the BSEC Month of Culture, organised by the ICBSS from 1-30 November 2019
and learn about the remarkable and rich cultural heritage of the BSEC region.**

Follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) and visit our [Website](#)!

About the BSEC Month of Culture:

Being aware of the rich, diverse cultural heritage of the BSEC region, the **International Centre for Black Sea Studies (ICBSS)** launched the **BSEC Month of Culture (MoC)**, in 2017, with the aim to promote the cultural identity of the Black Sea region and enhance its visibility to the wider public.

The MoC is a month long programme of diverse cultural activities related to the rich cultural heritage of the 12 BSEC Member States. Our aspiration is to establish the 'BSEC Month of Culture' as an annual event that will include more cultural activities each year.

The 1st edition of the BSEC Month of Culture was held successfully on 1-30 June 2017, on the occasion of the 25th Anniversary of the BSEC Organisation. The 2nd edition of the BSEC Month of Culture was launched from 1 to 30 November 2018, on the occasion of the 20th Anniversary of ICBSS.

The 3rd Edition of the BSEC Month of Culture will be launched from 1 to 30 November 2019.

###

About the ICBSS: The International Centre for Black Sea Studies (ICBSS) was founded in 1998 as a non-profit organisation. It has since fulfilled a dual function. On the one hand, it is an independent research and training institution focusing on the wider Black Sea region. On the other hand, it is a related body of the Organisation of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation (BSEC) and serves as its acknowledged think-tank. Thus, the ICBSS pursues applied, policy-oriented research, promotes knowledge on the Black Sea region both within and outside its boundaries, and offers policy advice with the aim to foster multilateral cooperation among the BSEC member states as well as with their international partners.

For further information please contact us at email icbss@icbss.org or tel.: 210 3242321

International Centre for Black Sea Studies (ICBSS), 4 Xenophontos Str., 10557 Athens, Greece
Tel.: +30 210 324 2321, Fax: +30 210 324 2244, Email: icbss@icbss.org, Website: www.icbss.org