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Comenius University  
in Bratislava (1919)

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"Our university was born out of  
love, not hunger."

Prof. Kristián Hynek (1879-1960), the  
first rector of the Comenius University in  
Bratislava

"I went to Prague for indices  
printed in the state printer and  
transported them to Bratislava by  
night express, where the next day  
the registration was to begin."



Kristián Hynek

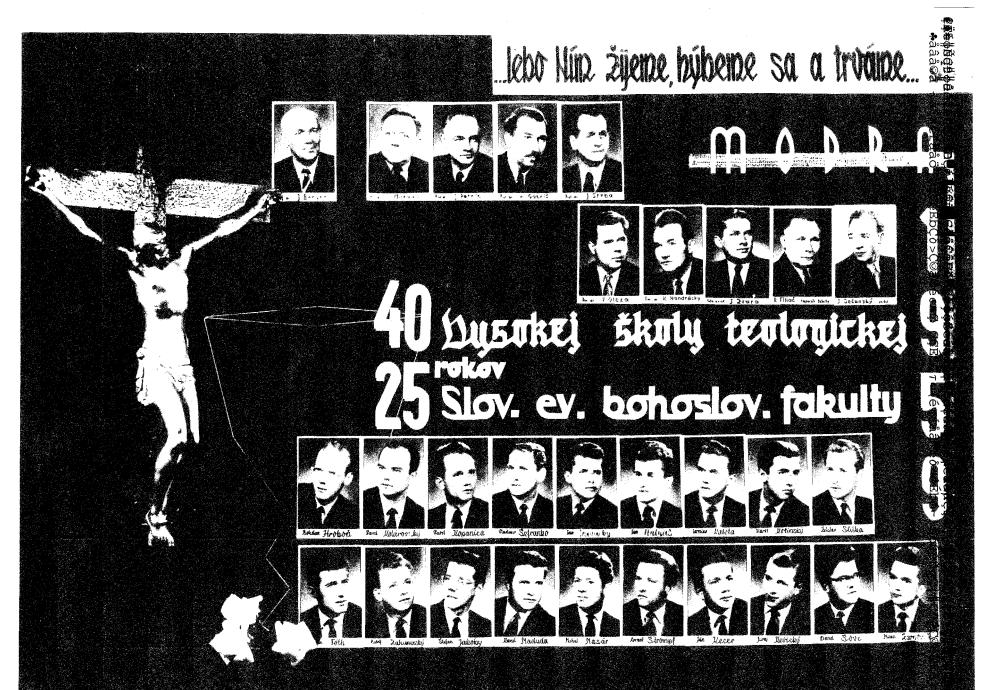


Ceremony in the Aula of the Comenius University (1956)

Academic ceremony of the Slovak Evangelical Lutheran Theological Faculty (1964)



Graduation photographs of students during the communist regime, Modra (1959)



*"We are drawn into the service of the spirit, and therefore we must go through the path of life of thorns."*



### **Ludovít Štúr (1815-1856)**

Politician, Poet, Philosopher, Linguist, Teacher, Publisher and Journalist with Lutheran background. Leader of the Slovak national revival and author of the Slovak language standard.

## Speakers

<b>Batka, Ľubomír</b>	Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia
<b>Barnbrock, Christoph</b>	Lutheran Theological Seminary Oberursel, Germany
<b>Benka, Dávid</b>	Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia
<b>Čapek, Filip</b>	Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic
<b>David, Philipp</b>	Justus Liebig University Gießen, Germany
<b>Dehn, Ulrich</b>	University of Hamburg, Germany
<b>Deibl, Jakob H.</b>	University of Vienna, Austria
<b>Filo, Július</b>	Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia
<b>Fitschen, Klaus</b>	Leipzig University, Germany
<b>Gažík, Peter</b>	Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia
<b>Hanes, Pavel</b>	Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica, Slovakia
<b>Heimgartner, Martin</b>	Martin Luther University of Halle-Wittenberg, Germany
<b>Janowski, Bernd</b>	Eberhard Karls University of Tübingen, Germany
<b>Jurík, Milan</b>	Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia
<b>Laine, Tuija</b>	University of Helsinki, Finland
<b>Leistner, Patrick</b>	University of Vienna, Austria
<b>Nonnenmacher, Burkhard</b>	Eberhard Karls University of Tübingen, Germany
<b>Pačmár, Radim</b>	Comenius University in Bratislava, Slovakia
<b>Pivková, Zuzana</b>	University of Prešov, Slovakia
<b>Rammelt, Claudia</b>	Ruhr-University Bochum, Germany
<b>Rothgangel, Martin</b>	University of Vienna, Austria
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<b>Schwarz, Hans</b>	University of Regensburg, Germany
<b>Schwarz, Karl</b>	University of Vienna, Austria
<b>Štefan, Jan</b>	Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic
<b>Tamcke, Martin</b>	Georg August University of Göttingen, Germany
<b>Vogel, Lothar</b>	Waldensian Faculty of Theology in Rome, Italy

# 100 YEARS OF EVANGELICAL THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION IN SLOVAKIA

## PROGRAM OF THE CONFERENCE

14:00-17:00	REGISTRATION AT THE ELTF CU
17:00	SOLEMN ACADEMY ON THE OCCASION OF THE 100 YEARS OF THE EVANGELICAL THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION IN SLOVAKIA
19:30	RECEPTION



Konventná 11, Bratislava



Bartókova 8, Bratislava

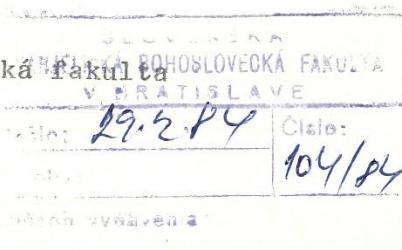
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# 23th

October 2019

Zvolen, n.SNP 17  
27. februára 1984.

Slovenská evanj. bohoslovecká fakulta  
Konventná 11  
Bratislava



Spektabilis pán dekan!

Vysokovážený profesorský zbor!

Vyslovujem Vám veľmi srdečnú a úctivú vdaku za Vaše udelenie mi hodnosti čestného doktora teólogie na našej fakulte. Vysoko si to vážim a hodnotím. Ďakujem Vám, že ste tak vysoko ocenili moju skromnú prácu, ktorá si nikdy nerobila nárok na také hodnotenie, akým ste láskave zvážili moju literárnu, redaktorskú a duchovnú činnosť. Opäť Vám za to úctive ďakujem. Vynasnažím sa, aby som nesklamal dôveru, ktorú ste mi prejavili a aby som ešte dôslednejšie a účinnejšie pracoval za mier a duchovné napredovanie nášho ľudu, ktorý milujeme a verne s ním stojíme.

Prajúc Vám prospech vo Vašej veľkej práci, znova ďakujem za veľkú poctu, ktorú si veľmi vážim.

S úctivým pozdravom

Rudolf Koštial

Dr. Rudolf Koštial

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Expression of gratitude of the evangelical bishop Dr. Rudolf Koštial (1913-1991) to professors of the Slovak Evangelical Lutheran Theological Faculty for awarding an honorary doctorate (1984)



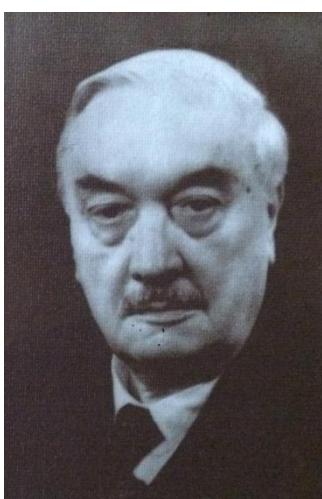
prof. Július Bodnár (1870-1935) – First  
Dean of the Slovak Evangelical Lutheran  
Theological Faculty (1919-1921)



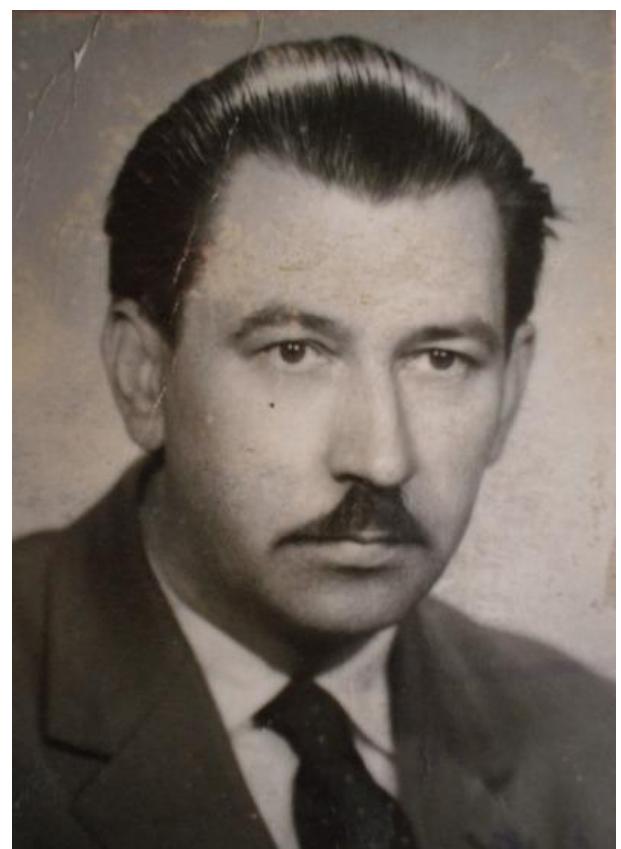
prof. Ján R. Kvačala (1862-1934) –  
Founder of Comeniology



prof. Samuel Š. Osuský  
(1888-1975) – Holder of the  
Order of Tomáš Garrigue  
Masaryk, 2nd Class



prof. Ján Bakoš (1890-  
1967) – Founder of  
modern Slovak Oriental  
Studies



*right* prof. Karol Gábriš (1919-1998) – re-  
discoverer of the Greek manuscript of the four  
Gospels (10th C.) – Codex Maurocordatianus  
(Bratislava)



## *Section I.*

*Room: Aula*

09:00	SCHWARZ, HANS ( <i>Regensburg</i> ) : Notwendigkeit und Grenzen einer slowakischen lutherischen Theologie
09:30	TAMCKE, MARTIN ( <i>Göttingen</i> ) : Dem Leben dienlich: Theologie als Dienst am Menschen: Ein Versuch zu einer allgemeinen Positionsbestimmung
10:00	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
10:30	NONNENMACHER, BURKHARD ( <i>Tübingen</i> ) : Systematic Theology after Kant
11:00	DAVID, PHILIPP ( <i>Gießen</i> ) : Pluralität und Ambiguität: Zum Projekt einer aufgeklärten Religionstheologie
11:30	HEIMGARTNER, MARTIN ( <i>Halle</i> ) : Gleichheit, Freiheit, Gerechtigkeit und Menschenwürde: Theologie im Angesicht des politisch-ökonomischen Neoliberalismus
12:00	<b>LUNCH</b>
13:30	RAMMELT, CLAUDIA ( <i>Bochum</i> ) : Begegnung in der Globalität: Migrationskirchen als Thema für die Theologie
14:00	VALČOVÁ, KATARÍNA ( <i>Bratislava</i> ) : Religious literature as a possible tool for keeping spirituality and faith (a case study of immigrants from Slovakia to Canada)
14:30	HANES, PAVEL ( <i>Banská Bystrica</i> ) : Social Compassion in the Theology of Igor Kišš
15:00	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
15:30	VOGEL, LOTHAR ( <i>Rome</i> ) : Amt und Ordination im Denken Martin Luthers
16:00	LAINE, TUIJA ( <i>Helsinki</i> ) : Bishop Johannes Gezelius the elder as an Educator and Publisher in the 17th Century Turku
16:30	LEISTNER, PATRICK ( <i>Vienna</i> ) : Der Diskurs über das Abendmahl um 1800

Thursday  
**24th**  
**October 2019**

## Section II.

Room: P1

09:00		- aula -
09:30		- aula -
<b>10:00</b>		<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
10:30		<b>PAČMÁR, RADIM (Bratislava)</b> : Ján Kvačala v kontexte dobového evanjelického teologického vzdelávania na Slovensku
11:00		<b>GAŽÍK, PETER (Bratislava)</b> : Spoločensko-politicke a ekonomicke pozadie zápasu o teologickú fakultu v Bratislave v 20.-30. rokoch 20. stor.
11:30		<b>PIVKOVÁ, ZUZANA (Prešov)</b> : Stav evanjelického a. v. ľudového školstva na Slovensku v medzivojnovom období a vyučovanie evanjelického náboženstva
<b>12:00</b>		<b>LUNCH</b>
13:30		<b>Jurík, Milan (Bratislava)</b> : Rozvoj teologického vzdelávania a vedeckej práce v rokoch 1934 - 1945 na Slovenskej evanjelickej bohosloveckej fakulte v Bratislave
14:00		<b>ŠTEFAN, JAN (Praha)</b> : Non scholae sed vitae discimus. Theologické vzdělání pro 21. století
14:30	DE	<b>FILO, JÚLIUS (Bratislava)</b> : Die theologische Ausbildung als eine Reaktion auf die wechselnde missionarische Herausforderungen und Möglichkeiten
<b>15:00</b>		<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
15:30		<b>SABOL, SAMUEL (Bratislava)</b> : Spoved' v spiritualite slovenských evanjelikov a jej aktuálnosť v súčasnom teologickom diskurze ev. cirkvi
17:15-17:45	DE	<b>Präsentation des Sammelbandes - Zwischen Dorpat, Pressburg und Wien: Ján Kvačala und die Anfänge der Jablonski-Forschung in Ostmitteleuropa um 1900</b> (Hrsg. Joachim Bahlcke und Karl W. Schwarz, Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz Verlag, 2018).

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24th  
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Award of honorary doctorate  
(1964)

Zoltán Káldy (1919-1987) –  
Bishop of the Evangelical  
Lutheran Church in Hungary;

Juraj Struhárik (1908-1993) –  
Bishop of the Slovak Lutheran  
Church in Yugoslavia

Award of honorary  
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*left* prof. Ján Michalko  
(1912-1990) – Dean and  
Bishop of the Evangelical  
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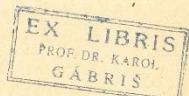
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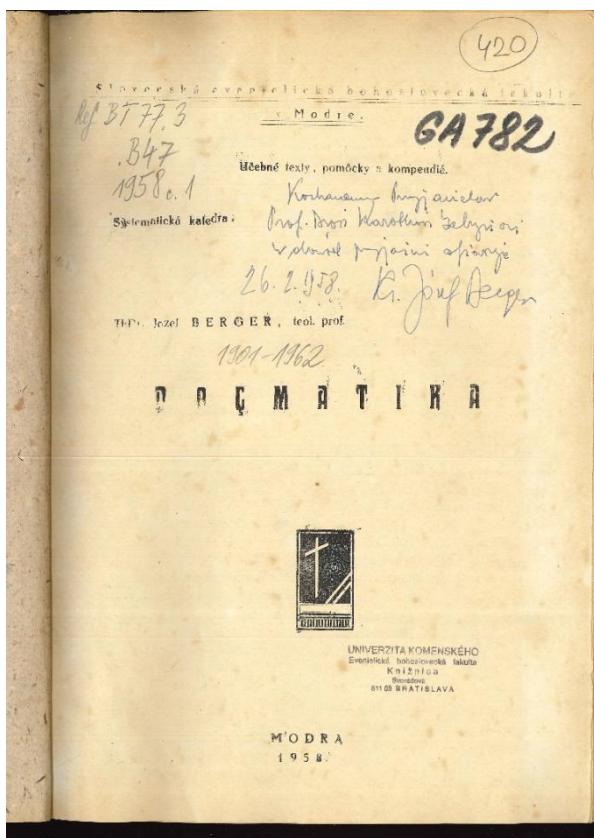
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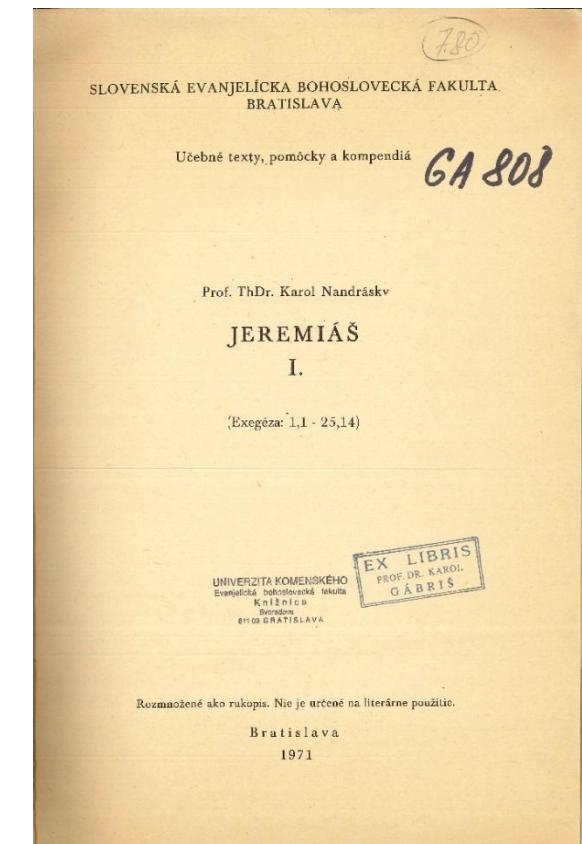
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Prof. Ján Petrík's Worship Book (1954)

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ET RENOVABIS FACIEM  
TERRAE  
AMEN



Textbook of Dogmatics,  
Prof. Jozef Berger (1958)



Textbook of Exegesis - Jeremiah,  
Prof. Karol Nandrášky (1971)



## Room: Aula

09:00	ČAPEK, FILIP ( <i>Prague</i> ) : Veritas Hebraica versus Sola Scriptura
09:30	SCHORCH, STEFAN ( <i>Halle</i> ) : Sola scriptura? Die Diskussionen homosexueller Partnerschaften in evangelischen Kirchen Deutschlands aus alttestamentlicher Sicht
10:00	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
10:30	JANOWSKI, BERND ( <i>Tübingen</i> ) : Was ist der Mensch, dass du seiner gedenkst? Psalm 8 als Grundtext alttestamentlicher Anthropologie
11:00	BENKA, DÁVID ( <i>Bratislava</i> ) : Ján Lajčiak and His Slovak Translation of the Book of Psalms (1904)
11:30	SCHWARZ, KARL ( <i>Vienna</i> ) : Ján Kvačala und sein Beitrag zur europäischen Geistes- und Kulturgeschichte
12:00	<b>LUNCH</b>
13:30	ROTHGANGEL, MARTIN ( <i>Vienna</i> ) : Religionsunterricht in den Visegrad-Staaten
14:00	DEHN, ULRICH ( <i>Hamburg</i> ) : Theologie und theologische Ausbildung im Kontext von europäischer Ökumene und religiöser Pluralität aus Hamburger Sicht
14:30	FITSCHEN, KLAUS ( <i>Leipzig</i> ) : The importance of the academic discipline Contemporary Church History for the Church today
15:00	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
15:30	DEIBL, JAKOB ( <i>Vienna</i> ) : 1919-1920: What the Catholic Church has learned from Protestant Churches in terms of Sacred Architecture
16:00	CHRISTOPH BARNBROCK ( <i>Oberursel</i> ) : Der Beitrag lutherischer Theologie für europäische Gesellschaften im 21. Jahrhundert
16:30 SK	BATKA, ĽUBOMÍR ( <i>Bratislava</i> ) : O vedeckosti teológie, teologickosti viery a vierochnosti vedy

Friday

# 25th

October 2019

## INFO AND CONTACTS

### CASH

UniCredit Bank (Hurbanovo nám. 1)

VÚB (Poštová 1)

Tatra Banka (Hodžovo nám. 3)

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(Direction City Centre)



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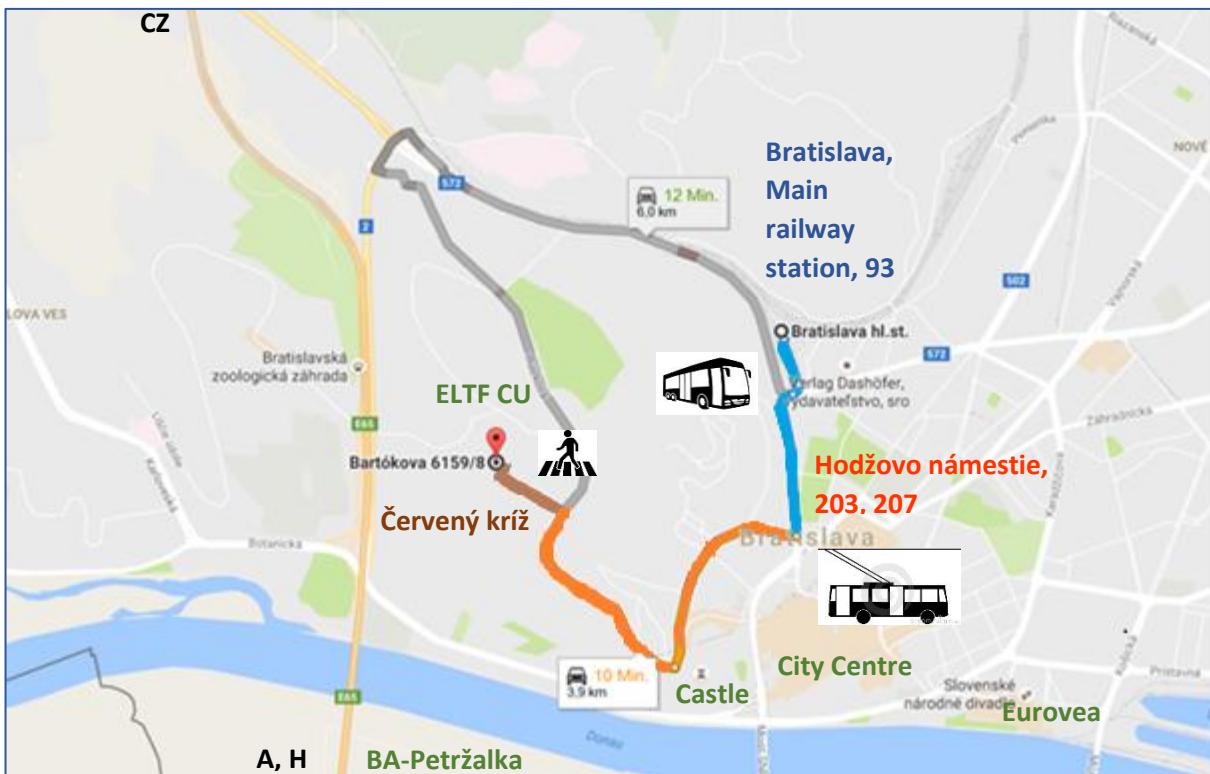
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## ARRIVAL: CITY MAP



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- from the city center: At the “Hodžovo námestie” [Hodžovo Square], take **trolleybus No. 207 or 203** and get off at the trolleybus stop “**Červený kríž**” [Red Cross] (hotel Albrecht, request stop).

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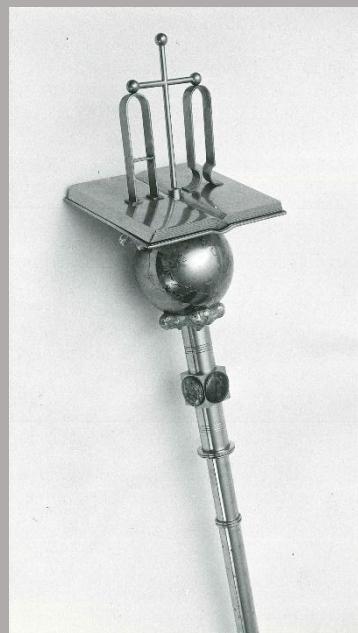












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