Against ethnic and nationalistic classifications

The Web portal tacno.net from Mostar

Web portal tacno.net has existed since 2010. With its actions, the portal tries to contribute to change the paradigm of conscience in its environment. The portal promotes democratic values, freedom of speech, the concept of justice, the protection of human rights and fights against ethnic and nationalistic classifications. The newsroom has four permanent members and more than twenty cooperate from Bosnia and Herzegovina (BiH), Croatia (CRO), Serbia (SERB), Montenegro, Slovenia, Sweden, Netherlands, etc. Štefica Galić is the web portal's editor in chief. The web portal's publisher is the nonprofit organization "Center for Critical Thinking" (CKM) in Mostar.

The portal has a newsroom in Mostar and plans to expand its activities in Sarajevo by opening one more editorial office, while its actions are spread across BiH, Croatia, Serbia and other countries in post-Yugoslav territory. For the moment, the main occupation is to publish stories in English as well.

The portal produces around 200 articles monthly. Together with the CKM, tacno.net has organized more than 300 public forums with more than 1500 relevant contributors — writers, philosophers, journalists, politicians from the region and from Europe. Tacno.net is one of the most important small publishers for writers, journalists and theologians in BiH as well.

The main occupation of tacno.net is based on the critical analysis of content. Besides tracking daily world and domestic news, tacno.net approaches in detail all relevant actualities, political or social events in a critical way. In its work, the portal chooses the side of the weak, of the oppressed, of minorities as such. The portal has agreed cooperation with Radio Free Europe, the web portal Novosti from Zagreb (CRO), the web portal Pescanik from Belgrade (SERB), Analiziraj.ba (BiH) and Zurnal.info (BiH). Some of the most relevant journalists write for the portal, such are Vitkor Ivancic, Boris Dezulovic, Marijan Vogrinec, Esad Bajtal, Dragan Markovina, Drago Bojic...

Tacno.net exists only thanks to the support of our friends and projects we apply to. If we do not get a project, our work is based on volunteering. Most of the work so far has been volunteer.

Due to the growing exodus of young people, the center and portal founded the School for Critical Thinking, which is attended by 13 students. The program is conceived as workshops where students with their lectures and professors critically observe the situation in society and learn how to gain courage to make change in their environment. The students are truly great, smart and courageous. We have also achieved cooperation with youth from Banja Luka and Tuzla.