

MULTIDISCIPLINARY DEVELOPMENT OF BELEROFONT OBSERVATORY

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Belerofont Astronomical Observatory in Kragujevac, inaugurated on the occasion of the appearance of Halley's comet on February 26, 1986, develops astronomical activities among pupils, university youth and people interested in cosmic phenomena. Inspired by the idea that an university can not exist without the science of universe, the Society is eagerly trying to become a formal unit of the high school system in central part of our republic. In preparing a course of astronomy and astrophysics in the physics study curriculum, the society tends toward a multidisciplinary way of work. With a scientific help from Belgrade astronomers, Belerofont staff believes astronomy might effectively be incorporated in the educational process at the Kragujevac university.