

Renovation of the Recording Studio at the House of Culture of the Armenian Association of the Blind

With preliminary approval from the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) for purchasing recording equipment and a computer for the recording studio at the House of Culture of the Association of the Blind in Armenia, the Internet Society Armenia Chapter undertook the necessary steps to complete the project.

Benefits of the Equipment for the Blind:

The introduction of new equipment provides significant advantages for the blind community:

1. Enhanced Participation in the Recording Process:

The computer and sound equipment enable blind individuals to participate more effectively in recording activities. They can contribute to the creation of musical and cultural programs, fostering their social involvement and self-expression.

2. Skills Development and Professional Opportunities:

The studio will offer training programs to develop recording and audio processing skills. This training empowers blind individuals to acquire professional competencies, apply their knowledge across various fields, and achieve greater independence.

3. Cultural and Social Integration:

The Association of the Blind plays a dual role as a cultural center and a platform for social inclusion. The recording studio will strengthen this mission by giving blind individuals a medium to amplify their voices, share their talents, and connect with broader audiences.

Purchased Recording Equipment:

The following equipment was procured:

- **Computer:** RTX-3050 CPU i7-12700, SSD 512GB, RAM 16GB
- **Sound Card:** Sandisk Ultra Micro SD Card 128GB
- **Video Recording Device:** Canon EOS R10 18-45mm
- **Microphones and Accessories:**
 - PreSonus Studio 68c Audio Interface
 - Shure SRH240A-BK-EFS Headphones
 - Shure SM4-K-KIT Microphone
 - PreSonus PD-70 Dynamic Broadcast Microphone
 - Shure SM57 LCE Instrument Microphone

Installation and Publicity:

The equipment was successfully delivered and installed at the House of Culture of the Association of the Blind in Armenia. The event received widespread coverage in the local press. Below are the links to the published articles:

<https://www.isocchapter.am/hy/%d5%be%d5%a5%d6%80%d5%a1%d5%a6%d5%ab%d5%b6%d5%be%d5%a5%d5%ac-%d5%a7-%d5%af%d5%b8%d6%82%d5%b5%d6%80%d5%a5%d6%80%d5%ab-%d5%b4%d5%ab%d5%a1%d5%be%d5%b8%d6%80%d5%b4%d5%a1%d5%b6-%d5%b4%d5%b7%d5%a1%d5%af/>

<https://www.isocchapter.am/en/the-recording-studio-at-the-armenian-association-of-the-blind-has-been-upgraded-with-new-equipment/>

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