



# BULGARIAN NATIONAL BANK



The new Bulgarian commemorative coin

**The golden commemorative coin**

**‘100 Years of the Faculty of Theology’**

**is in circulation from 25<sup>th</sup> of September 2023**

## Specifications of the coin

- Year of issue – 2023
- Nominal value – 100 levs
- Metal – Au 999/1000
- Quality – proof, mint state
  - Weight – 8.64 g
  - Diameter – 24 mm
    - Edge – flat
  - Mintage – 4000
- Upon release the price of the coin will be BGN 1470

Put into circulation by a decision of the Governing Council of the Bulgarian National Bank No. 250 of 1 June 2023 (published in the Darjaven Vestnik, issue 74 of 2023).

## Obverse of the coin



The obverse of the coin features: on the top: the BNB logo with the year '1879' on the strip, in a matt sector below: the nominal value '100 ЛЕВА' (100 levs) and the year of issue '2023', 'БЪЛГАРСКА НАРОДНА БАНКА' (Bulgarian National Bank) inscribed in circumference on the top.

## Reverse of the coin



The reverse of the coin features: the building of the Faculty of Theology of the Sofia University 'St. Kliment Ochriski' and the year '1923' underneath. In circumference are the inscriptions: 'FACULTY OF THEOLOGY' on the top and '100 YEARS' on the strip below.

# Design



Author of the artistic design is:

**Svetlin Balezdrov**

# Distribution

The new commemorative coin will be distributed by the BNB cash desks, the BNB Cash Centre in Sofia as well as by the branches of the following banks:

- First Investment Bank AD – [www.fibank.bg](http://www.fibank.bg)
- Texim Bank AD – [www.teximbank.bg](http://www.teximbank.bg)
- Central Cooperative Bank AD – [www.ccbank.bg](http://www.ccbank.bg)



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