

**Forms of Identification among Bulgarian-Armenians
(according to Examples from the Town of Haskovo)**

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(Summary)

As a result of the increasing number of Bulgarian-Armenian marriages in Bulgaria since the 1950s more and more people are born and grown up in such interethnic and intercultural settings. The main focus of this study is on respondents who are descendants of Bulgarian-Armenian marriages and the different identifications they construct in their mundane lives. The text will also pay attention to the interlocutors' notions of homeland and their feeling of territorial identification from national and European perspectives.

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