Visit Warsaw for the Jubilee of Polish Polar Stations and international scientific conference!

Venue
The Staszic Palace, Polish Academy of Sciences
Nowy Świat 72, Warszawa
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Participation fee (coffee breaks and lunches included):
Early (by 15 September 2017)
   Senior scholars – 180 €  Early career scientists and students – 80 €
Regular
   Senior scholars – 200 €  Early career scientists and students – 100 €
Conference Dinner – 25 €

Accommodation on wide scale of prices will be recommended by the organizers. Social program including guided sightseeing of Warsaw will be offered.

Organizers:

Comité on Polar Research
Polish Academy of Sciences
Hornsund Station Operator:

Centre for Polar Studies
Arctowski Station Operator:

Institute of Geophysics
Polish Academy of Sciences

Institute of Biochemistry and Biophysics
Polish Academy of Sciences

We are pleased to announce and invite to the International Conference

INTERDISCIPLINARY POLAR STUDIES IN POLAND
to Honor
60th ANNIVERSARY OF THE POLISH POLAR STATION IN HORNSSUND, SVALBARD, ARCTIC and
40th ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARCTOWSKI POLISH ANTARCTIC STATION, SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS

Warsaw, Poland, 17 - 19 November 2017

ARCTOWSKI
Polish Antarctic Station
1977-2017
On 26th February 1977, the Henryk Arctowski Polish Antarctic Station officially began its activity and has been functioning unceasingly until now. The scope of scientific inquiries being conducted at the station include: ecology, microbiology, oceanography, geology, geomorphology, glaciology, hydrology, meteorology and seismology. Infrastructure of the station includes also refuges and field camp. The station was operated by the Department of Antarctic Biology of the Polish Academy of Sciences (PAS) which has been incorporated into the Institute of Biochemistry and Biophysics PAS in 2012.

We invite contributions to the IPSiP Conference on any aspects of studies in the polar regions, including focused on empirical, theoretical, and methodological topics for a better understanding of Arctic and Antarctic environment. Syntheses, reviews and case studies on feedbacks at the litho-, atmo-, hydo-, and biosystems interface are mostly welcome. Plenary and breakout sessions are planned.

Special invitation is directed to scholars and students who conducted their field research using the Hornsund and Arctowski stations.

Early career scientists and postgraduate students are warmly encouraged to participate.

The Polish Polar Station Hornsund was built in 1957 in South Spitsbergen, in the region often called “Gate to the Arctic”. The location is very favourable for multidisciplinary research and monitoring of geophysical fields and polar environment. Nearby glaciers are studied by manifold methods and comprise an international research site for better understanding of their state and interactions with climate. The Station has been named after Professor Stanisław Śledzicki. This modern scientific platform composed of a few buildings and other infrastructure operates year-round since 1978 being managed by the Institute of Geophysics PAS.

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General programme

17th November (Friday)
11.00 - 13.00 - Opening and Jubilee Session
Lunch
14.00 - 18.00 - Plenary lectures and breakout scientific sessions Icebreaker

18th November (Saturday)
9.00 - 18.00 - Plenary lectures and breakout scientific sessions Conference dinner

19th November (Sunday)
9.00 - 13.00 - Plenary lectures and breakout scientific sessions, Closing session

Important dates
The first circular will be launched in March 2017
Abstract submission by 31 May 2017
Notification on abstract acceptance by 30 June 2017
The second circular in September 2017
Final program of the conference in October 2017