XXXVII Polish Malacological Seminar

Katowice, May 25-27; 2023

Announcement 2



Ladies and Gentlemen, Dear Malacologists,

We would like to invite you to participate in the **XXXVII Polish Malacological Seminar,** which will be held on May **25-27, 2023 in Katowice.** The organizer of the conference is the Faculty of Natural Sciences, the University of Silesia (Hydrobiology Team) and the Association of Polish Malacologists.

The place of the meeting will be the **Skaut** hotel (https://hotel-chorzow.pl/), located in the area of Śląski Park in Chorzów (Adres: al. Harcerska 3, 41-500 Chorzów).

The program includes the following forms of presentation:

- a paper (15 minutes + 5 minutes of discussion)
- poster

Seminar costs Conference fee

- 1. **Conference fee** (including: conference materials, conference room, coffee breaks, banquet, a trip to the Silesian Planetarium):
 - honorary members of the Association of Polish Malacologists: 0 PLN,
 - students and postgraduates: 280 PLN,

- members of the Association of Polish Malacologists with no outstanding dues: 320 PLN,
- accompanying persons: 170 PLN (without conference material),
- other participants: 370 PLN

Conference fee should be pay by **31 March 2023** to the account of the **University of Silesia**: 74 1050 1214 1000 0007 0000 7909 with the note KSM 2023 + name and surname.

Please pay **only the conference fee.** The costs of your stay will be billed on the spot, directly with the hotel.

2. Costs of accommodation and meals (to be paid on the spot upon arrival):

- Accommodation (one night): 95 zł/per person
- Meals:
 - o breakfast: 40 zł;
 - o dinner: 40 zł;
 - o supper: 30 zł

Parking located in the area of hotel: free of charge

Important dates:

- Application for participation in the Polish Malacological Seminar March 12,
 2023.
- Sending abstracts and paying fees (conference fee), and the declaration of the accommodation and meals - March 31, 2023.

Abstract format:

- Everything aligned to the left, 12 pt Times New Roman font, single space between lines, no bolds or italics (except for genre names).
- The title, without a dot at the end, separated by a free line (enter) from the author / authors, and this / those- with a slow line (enter) from affiliation, and this also separated by a free line (enter) from the content of the abstract.

- The names of the authors in the format First name (s) Last name, subsequent authors separated by commas.
- In the case of authors from different institutions, the numbers should be inserted after the surnames without using a superscript, while in the case of affiliation numbers before the name of the unit also without using the index .
- Content of the abstract: single paragraph, maximum 300 words.
- Please do not attach any references, drawings, diagrams, etc.

APPLICATION FORM 1:

•	Name and surname of the participant:
•	Scientific degree / title:
•	Affiliation:
•	Title of the speech (presenting authors only):
•	Preferred form of presentation: lecture / poster
•	Required invoice for the institution for the registration fee: Yes / No
•	Invoice address:

APPLICATION FORM 2:

Until March 31, 2023 r. please provide the following information to the e-mail address semmalakologiczne.katowice@gmail.com:

Selected accommodation:

- May 24/25: Yes/No
- May 25/26: Yes/No
- May 26/27: **Yes/No**
- Preferred single / double room (we reserve the right to change depending on the available rooms)
- Preferred roommate /roommates:

Meals:

- May 24 (Wednesday):
 - o Supper (30 PLN): Yes/No
- May 25 (Thursday):
 - o Breakfast (40 PLN): Yes/No
 - o Dinner (40 PLN): Yes/No
 - o Supper (30 PLN): Yes/No
- May 26 (Friday):
 - o Breakfast (40 PLN): Yes/No
 - o Dinner (40 PLN): Yes/No
 - o Banquet included in the conference fee
- May 27 (Saturday):
 - o Breakfast (40 PLN): Yes/No
- Preferences for the type of meals (vegetarian diet, food allergies, etc.):