

6th International 'City Green Areas' Conference, Katowice, Poland 2016
Bogucice-Zawodzie – Municipal Community Centre, address: ul. Markiefki 44a, Katowice
Day One - June 9, 2016

Chair person: **Magdalena Biela** – Deputy Director, Municipal Greenery Unit in Katowice

- 10.00-10.10 Hrs Welcome speech and opening address – **Marcin Krupa, PhD**, Mayor of Katowice and Mieczysław Wołosz, Director, Municipal Greenery Unit in Katowice
- 10.15-10.25 Hrs **Presentation of selected recent investments in Katowice** – Mieczysław Wołosz, Magdalena Biela – Municipal Greenery Unit in Katowice
- 10.30-10.45 Hrs **Does road salt in winter harm trees?** – Professor Jacek Borowski, Warsaw University of Life Sciences, Chairman of Polish Dendrology Society
- 10.50-11.05 Hrs **Botanical Garden in Kielce, its present state and future plans** – Elżbieta Czajkowska and Katarzyna Socha, Geopark Kielce
- 11.10-11.35 Hrs **Creative space** – a lecture by Robert Konieczny, an architect from Katowice
- 11.40-12.20 Hrs **Managing the green areas in the City of Cologne** – Rita Höppner, civil engineer, Landscape and Greenery Maintenance Unit, Cologne, Germany
- 12.25-12.40 Hrs **BREAK**
- 12.45-13.00 Hrs **A medical presentation** – Professor Violetta Skrzypulec-Plinta, Dean of the School of Health Sciences, Medical University of Silesia in Katowice
- 13.05-13.20 Hrs **Impact of plants on the health and feelings of city residents** – Monika Latkowska, PhD, Warsaw University of Life Sciences
- 13.25-14.25 Hrs **DISCUSSION PANEL organised by the *Zieleń miejska (Municipal Greenery)* magazine:** Budget in the hands of the citizens – advantages and disadvantages of participatory budgeting – Judyta Więclawska, Chief Editor, *Zieleń Miejska* monthly, Poznań
- 14.30-14.35 Hrs Briefing by Association of Polish Arborists (Tree Surgeons) – Witosław Grygierczyk
- 14.40-14.50 Hrs Exhibition of equipment for the maintenance of greenery, HAKO Company
- 14.50-15.30 Hrs **LUNCH**
- 15.40-16.50 Hrs **Field Presentations: Inspection of the greenery near the MCK (International Conference Centre) followed by a demonstration of tree maintenance in Bogucice Park** by Association of Polish Arborists
- 16.55 Hrs Bus transfer to the Quality Silesian (three-star) Hotel and Economy Silesian (two-star) Hotel
- 18.10 Hrs Bus transfer from the hotel to the 'Hamerla' campsite. On the way: visit to the revitalised park in Wiosny Ludów Street, including a playground and an educational path
- 19.10-23.30 Hrs Lecture: discussing the latest amendments to the environmental law – practical issues
- 24.00 Hrs Bus transfer to the Quality Silesian (three-star) Hotel and Economy Silesian (two-star) Hotel

Day Two - June 10, 2016

- 09.30-09.35 Hrs Welcome and opening of the second day of deliberations – **Mieczysław Wołosz**,
Director, Municipal Greenery Unit in Katowice, **Tomasz Norman**, Katowice Forest Management, State Forests
- 09.40-09.55 Hrs **Presentation of the Katowice Forest Management** – Bolesław Bobrzyk, Grzegorz Skurczak, Katowice Forest Management, State Forests
- 10.00-11.00 Hrs **Arboeko Company’s Stanislav Flek’s special guest: Pavel Šimek, PhD**, Mendel University in Brno, Czech Republic
- 11.05-11.20 Hrs **Concept of standards in designing street greenery on the example of Wrocław**, Justyna Rubaszek, PhD, architect, Elżbieta Szopińska, PhD and Daniel Skarżyński, PhD, Wrocław University of Environmental and Life Sciences
- 11.25-11.40 Hrs **The use of downgraded or post-industrial areas to revitalise nature in cities**, Małgorzata Wołodźko, PhD, University of Science and Technology in Bydgoszcz
- 11.45-12.00 Hrs **Therapeutic meaning of municipal greenery: solution proposals** – Kamila Adamczyk-Mucha, PhD, Wrocław University of Environmental and Life Sciences
- 12.05-12.20 Hrs **Community garden: space for innovating landscape architecture** – Agnieszka Malinowska, Poznań University of Life Sciences
- 12.25-12.40 Hrs **BREAK**
- 12.45-13.00 Hrs **Floral and landscape differentiation of Katowice roundabouts** - Agnieszka Hutniczak, Professor Alina Urbisz, University of Silesia in Katowice
- 13.05- 13.20 Hrs **Vertical gardens – projects and challenges in the Polish climate** – Daniel Skarżyński, Greenarte Sp. Z o.o., Wrocław
- 13.25-14.15 Hrs **Discussion panel on theses and dissertations by academics and university students**
1 Selected wild bulb plants and possibility of using them in municipal green areas – Agnieszka Kidawska, University of Agriculture in Krakow
2 Forms of protecting nature as an element of city space - on the example Katowice – Małgorzata Felich, University of Silesia in Katowice
3 Plants in tramway tracks in the metropolitan area of Upper Silesia – Paulina Woźnica, University of Silesia in Katowice
4 Blue and green infrastructure of our streets – Maciej Zacher, architect, Katowice School of Technology
5 Trees and plants of the Kościuszko Park in Katowice, a poster by Tomasz Pryzwan, University of Silesia in Katowice
- 14.20- 14.35 Hrs Exhibition of equipment for the maintenance of greenery – ISEKI Company
- 14.40 Hrs Summary and conclusion of the conference.
- 14.45 Hrs **LUNCH**

The organizers would like to grant themselves the right to modify the agenda

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The planned route of the conference bus

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- 09.00 Hrs Meeting place: the Quality Silesian (three-star) Hotel and Economy Silesian (two-star) Hotel, 1A Szybowcowa Str. in Katowice, 40 Górnośląska Ave. (Polish Addresses: ul. Szybowcowa 1A, al. Górnośląska 40) – access via the BP petrol station
- 09.10-09.40 Hrs Transfer to **Bogucice-Zawodzie** Municipal Community Centre, **44a Markiefki Str. in Katowice**
- 15.40-16.55 Hrs Field inspection: surroundings of the International Conference Centre
Approx at 16.40 Hrs – transfer from Olimpijska Street to the Quality Silesian and Economy Silesia Hotels
- 18.10 Hrs Leaving the Quality Silesian and Economy Silesian Hotels for the park in Wiosny Ludów Street and then for the 'Hamerla' campsite: **Coordinates:** 50°9'17"N 19°3'35"E
- 23.30 Hrs Transfer from the 'Hamerla' campsite to the Quality Silesian and Economy Silesian Hotels.

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- 08.40 Hrs Meeting place: the Quality Silesian and Economy Silesian Hotels, 1A Szybowcowa Str., 40 Górnośląska Ave. (Polish addresses: ul. Szybowcowa 1A, Al. Górnośląska 40) - access via the BP petrol station
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- Approx. at 15.30 Hrs Transfer from **Bogucice-Zawodzie** Municipal Community Centre to the train station.