

XXII Balcanicum Conference, Poznań, Poland

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The Balkan Studies Commission at the Polish Academy of Sciences, Poznań Branch and the AMU Faculty of History kindly invite to participate in this year's scientific session of the annual "Balcanicum" series (**October 20th-21st, 2023**). This year the conference will be dedicated to the subject:

Memorial places and politics of memory in the South-East Europe

The aim of the conference is to reflect on various aspects of the phenomenon of commemoration of characters, processes, historical events defining real and symbolic spaces in the South-East Europe, in the past and today.

We encourage you to exchange opinions on the place and role of politics of memory in the functioning of societies, regional and local communities, families and individuals. Moreover, we invite you to discuss the use and perception of various instruments of the politics of memory (as for scientific research, institutional aspect, legislation, monumental or toponymic landscape, education, media e.t.c.) and their impact on public discourses about the past.

The languages of the conference are English and Polish. It will be also possible to prepare the presentation in any other language, if its English comprehensive summary will be sent to the organizers before the conference.

The place of the meeting will be the seat of the AMU Faculty of History in the Morasko campus (Poznań University street 7). The organizers provide accommodation reservations but do not reimburse travel costs. The conference fee is PLN 250. The conference will be held at the same time via the Internet platform (*MsTeams*). In this case no conference fee will be required.

All interested in participating in the conference are asked to submit the topics of papers and abstracts not exceeding half a page of the typescript by **September 30th, 2023** to the address of the organizers with the annotation *XXII Balcanicum* (see: the application form enclosed below). Applications and abstracts can be sent to e-mail address: wojciech.sajkowski@amu.edu.pl

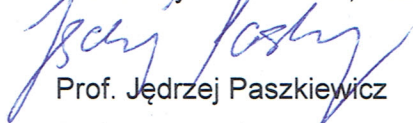
All the presentations can be published in the form of scientific articles in the journal „Balcanica Posnaniensia. Acta et studia” after receiving two positive reviews (double-blind peer reviews). The publication in this year's issue is possible, if the article will be submitted by **July 1st, 2023**.

Information for the authors is available on the BP's website:

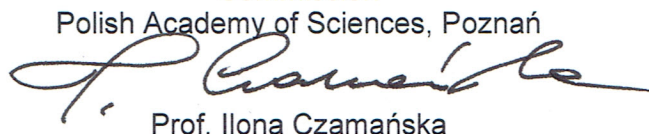
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With kind regards,

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