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PROGRAM

The 6th General Convention of Polish Archivists
is organized by

**The Association of Polish Archivists
The Head Office of State Archives**

and

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Program

Wednesday, September 5th, 2012

Pre-convention events

1. Workshops on the international projects carried out by ICARUS (International Centre for Archival Research):

10:00 – 14:00

Location: Institute of History, University of Wrocław, Szewska Street 49, lecture hall

ICARUS@work #11. Meeting the digital challenge together – The ICARUS-Experience

Moderator: Przemysław Wiszewski (University of Wrocław)

- 10.00-10.05 Welcome
10.05-10.20 Władysław Stępnia (General Director of State Archives): Opening Remarks
10.20-10.50 Thomas Aigner (ICARUS): Complementarity, Synergy, Activity - ICARUS as a way of rising up to the challenges of the digital era
10.50-11.10 Karl Heinz (ICARUS): Monasterium, Matricula, Cadastral Maps & Co. – Fields of activity within ICARUS

Polish ICARUS-Experiences

- 11.10-11.30 Anna Sokół (State Archive in Kraków): Case Study #01: The cooperation of the State Archive in Krakow and ICARUS – perspectives and possibilities
11.30-11.45 Przemysław Wiszewski (University of Wrocław): Case Study #02: The Wrocław University: Didactics and research: using ICARUS-membership for development of higher education institutions
11.45-12.00 Discussion, Questions
12.00-12.30 Lunch

Czech ICARUS-Experiences

- 12.30-12.45 Jitka Křečková (The Czech National Archives): Case Study #03: The Czech National Archives
12.45-13.30 Best practice in the Czech National Archives:
1. Eva Gregorovičová (The Czech National Archives): The Tuscany Family Archive
2. Jan Kahuda (The Czech National Archives): The Metternich Family Archives
3. Lenka Matušíková (The Czech National Archives): The Jewish registers
13.30-13.45 Kerstin Muff (ICARUS): The future of archival content on the web: The Archives Portal Europe
13.45-14.00 Final discussion



2. Workshops:

12:00 – 15:00

Location: State Archive in Wrocław, Pomorska Street 2

Workshop topic: Secure Corporate Archive Documentation Storage

Moderator: Krystyna Wilczyńska (State Archive in Wrocław)

Co-presenter: Przemysław Wojciechowski (State Archive in Poznań)

12:00 – 15:00

Location: State Archive in Wrocław, Pomorska Street 2

Workshop topic: Digitalization in Practice

Moderators: Ryszard Bacmaga (State Archive in Wrocław),

Łukasz Skowron (Ministry of Interior, Department of State Registers and ICT)

12:00 – 15:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 4.01

Workshop topic: Archive Communication Quality vs. Image

Moderator: Marlena Jabłońska (Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń)

Co-presenter: Jacek Urbański

12:00 – 15:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 4.02

Workshop topic: File Registers

Moderator: Eugeniusz Borodij (State Archive in Bydgoszcz)

12:00 – 15:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 4.03

Workshop topic: Electronic Documents: Practical Use in Offices and Archives

Moderator: Kazimierz Schmidt (Head Office of State Archives)

Co-presenter: Ewa Pałka (Head Office of State Archives)

12:00 – 15:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 4.04

Workshop topic: Archival Law

Moderator: Marek Konstankiewicz (Maria Curie-Skłodowska University in Lublin)

Co-presenter: Jarosław Orszulak

12:00 – 15:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 4.05

Workshop topic: Education in Archives

Moderator: Agnieszka Rosa (Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń)

Co-presenter: Hubert Mazur (State Archive in Kielce), Marek Szczepaniak, Grażyna Tyrchan
(State Archive in Poznań, Gniezno Branch), Hadrian Ciechanowski (Nicolaus Copernicus
University in Toruń)



12:00 – 15:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.10 (computer lab)

Workshop topic: Integrated Archive Information System

Moderator: Maciej Zdunek (National Digital Archives in Warsaw)

3. Sightseeing schedule:

12:00 – 14:00

Visiting the archives of Wrocław:

- State Archive in Wrocław (Pomorska Street 2)
- Archive of the University of Wrocław (Szewska Street 50/51)
- Wrocław Construction Archive (Cieszyńskiego Street 9)
- The Institute of National Remembrance – Commission for the Prosecution of Crimes against the Polish Nation, Wrocław Branch (Sołtysowicka Street 21a)

12:00 – 15:00

A walk "In the Heart of the City" – Wrocław guided sightseeing tour

Start and finish: car park at the Panorama Raławicka museum (J.E. Purkini Street 11)

The opening of the 6th General Convention of Polish Archivists and a plenary session

16:00 – 19:00

Location: Wrocław University of Technology, the Main Building – lecture hall,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 27

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| 16:00 – 16:15 | Lucyna Harc, Jarosław Porazinski, Władysław Stępnik: Welcoming all the guests and participants |
| 16:15 – 17:00 | Official speeches |
| 17:00 – 17:30 | Władysław Stępnik (General Director of State Archives): National Archival Content in the Digital Era |
| 17:30 – 18:00 | Rościśław Żerelik (University of Wrocław): The Role of Archives in the History of Silesia. Issue Outline. |
| 18:00 – 18:30 | Thomas Aigner (ICARUS, Vienna): Complementarity and Synergy – Basic Principles of the Digital Era in Archives |

19:00 – 21:00

Location: Lobby in the main building of the Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 27

An informal meeting following the opening of the 6th General Convention of Polish Archivists

21:00 – 24:00

Location: Barka Tumska, Blue Marine restaurant, Wyspa Słodowa 10

Dinner reception for the guests of honor and the international guests of the 6th General Convention of Polish Archivists



Thursday, September 6th, 2012

Schedule for international guests

10:00	Meeting at the Hotel Tumski reception
10:00 – 13:00	Visiting the State Archive in Wrocław, Construction Archive of the city of Wrocław and the Archive of the University of Wrocław
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch break
15:00 – 17:30	Meeting at the Hotel Tumski reception and Wrocław guided sightseeing tour (in English)

Tour schedule:

Sightseeing Ostrów Tumski – starting from pl. Katedralny – presentation of the earliest history of the city; visiting the courtyard of the Archdiocesan Museum, the Crooked Tower (Krzywa Wieża), the Kluskowa Gate (Brama Kluskowa), the Roman church of St. Idzi and the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist (Katedra p.w. Jana Chrzciciela). Walking along the Sand Island (Wyspa Piasek) to the Ossoliński National Institute. Visiting the Baroque Church of the Holy Name of Jesus and the building complex of the University of Wrocław, including Aula Leopoldina, music hall and the Mathematical Tower. A walk through the heart of the city, including Stare Jatki (the hub of Wrocław artists) and the Wrocław Town Hall (Ratusz) – one of the most unique historical sites of Wrocław; tour of the most valuable tenement houses.

Theme panels

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology, Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.31

Appraisal of Documentation

Moderator: Ewa Perłakowska (Head Office of State Archives)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology, Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 0.38

Modern Community Archive as Means of Preserving the National and Social History

Moderator: Maciej Urbański (Poznań City Archives)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology, Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.30

Around the Future of Archives and Archival Science

Moderator: Robert Degen (Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń)



9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 2.17/3.11

Archives Free of the Authority of the Director General of State Archives – Present and Future

Moderator: Radosław Peterman (Institute of National Remembrance)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 0.31

From the Guardian of Remembrance to the Archivist of the 21st Century: Past and Present Methods of Educating Archivists

Moderator: Alicja Kulecka (Warsaw University)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 0.32

Oral History Archives in Poland

Moderator: Wojciech Kucharski (Memory and Future Institute)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.27

Condition and Perspectives of Polish Archival Law

Moderator: Marek Konstankiewicz (Maria Curie-Skłodowska University in Lublin)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology, Wybrzeże
S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.28

Digital Archival Science – Challenges of the 21st Century

Moderator: Rafał Magryś (Information Processing Centre; Ministry of Administration and
Digitalization)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: Ossolineum, Szewska Street 37

International Archival Contacts

Moderator: Julia Dziwoki (Jan Długosz University in Częstochowa)

9:00 – 12:30

Location: State Archive in Wrocław, Pomorska Street 2

Storage and Security of Archival Materials – Standards and Reality

Moderators: Anna Czajka (Central Laboratory for Conservation of Archival Records),
Przemysław Wojciechowski (State Archive in Poznań)

12:30 – 14:30

Lunch break



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Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 0.32

Tradition vs. Future Challenges

Moderator: Hanna Krajewska (Archives of Polish Academy of Sciences)

14:30 – 18:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 0.38

Documentation of Political Parties of the III Rzeczpospolita

Moderator: Tadeusz Krawczak (Central Archives of Modern Records in Warsaw)

14:30 – 18:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.30

Church Archives as Means of Scientific Social Service. The Issue of Sharing the Archives of the Roman Catholic Church

Moderator: Julia Dziwoki (Jan Długosz University in Częstochowa)

14:30 – 18:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.27

Old Archives – New Challenges

Moderator: Władysław Stępnik (General Director of State Archives)

14:30 – 18:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 0.31

Military Archival Science: Between Past and the 21st Century

Moderator: Bogusław Stachula (Central Military Archive)

14:30 – 18:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.28

Protection of Personal Data – Present vs. Future

Moderator: Mieczysław Tadeusz Koczkowski (National Association for Classified Information Security)

14:30 – 18:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 2.17/3.11

Archives in Times of Pop Culture (panel discussion in archivosophy)

Moderator: Dariusz Magier (State Archive in Lublin)

14:30 – 18:00

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23, room no. 1.31

Managing Documentation vs. Managing Knowledge and Information – Merging Perspectives

Moderator: Małgorzata Wnuk (Maria Curie-Skłodowska University in Lublin)



14:30 – 18:00

Location: State Archive in Wrocław, Pomorska Street 2

Standardisation in Archival Science at a Global and National Scale. Theory and Practice

Moderator: Janusz Gołaszewski (State Archive in Wrocław)

20:00 – 24:00

Location: Wrocław Congress Center at the Centennial Hall Complex, Wystawowa Street 1

Official dinner for the participants and guests of the 6th General Convention of Polish Archivists (entrance with invitations)

Friday, September 7th, 2012

8:30 – 9:30

Location: Department of Fundamental Studies, Wrocław University of Technology,
Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 23

Session of the members of the Association of Polish Archivists and other related organizations

Plenary session and the closing of the 6th General Convention of Polish Archivists

10:30 – 13:30

Location: Wrocław University of Technology, the Main Building – lecture hall, Wybrzeże S. Wyspiańskiego Street 27

10:30 – 13:00

Speeches of the theme panel moderators

13:00 – 13:30

Summing up of the session, credits and acknowledgements, and the official closing of the 6th General Convention of Polish Archivists



Notes



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