

## **International Scientific Conference “*Values in public life*”**

### **First circular**

#### **Call for papers**

We request the pleasure of inviting you to take part in the International Scientific Conference “*Wartości w życiu publicznym – Values in public life,*” which will be held from the 27<sup>th</sup> to the 28<sup>th</sup> of September, 2018 in Limanowa (70 km from Cracow and 27 km from Nowy Sącz) – picturesque town of the Beskid Wyspowy. The conference is organised by the Department of Andragogy and Pedagogical Axiology of the Institute of Educational Sciences of the Ignatianum Academy in Cracow, the Institute of Mediterranean and Oriental Cultures, Polish Academy of Sciences, the Limanowa District Authority Office, Scientific Society EDUCARE and Józef Piłsudski Schools no 1 in Limanowa.

The aim of the Conference is to show cultural diversity of various regions of Poland and the world. Existing diversity shall enrich personal, social, cultural and religious identity. Consequently, our Conference’s message is to construct harmony and peace in the micro- and macro-scale what may be reached by affirmation of universal values. Their power determines the quality of individual and socio-cultural development, enabling establishment, conducting and maintenance of a constructive and creative dialogue – perceived in the context of a widely understood meeting.

The first day of the Conference will be devoted to patriotic values, the second day will cover the subject of values broadly understood in the socio-cultural aspect. Considering the fact that values through their functions give our lives, both at the personal and social level, appropriate dimension, the proposed issue of the Conference seems universal. Its theoretical-practical aspect is part of the ongoing discourses on socio-moral and cultural life in Poland and abroad. We count on your presence, which will honour our Conference and will also allow you to enjoy the beauty of the Limanowski region, rich in regional and national traditions.



Taking into consideration importance of the discussed subject we encourage you wholeheartedly to take part in our Conference.

**Participation in the Conference is free!** Participants cover travel and accommodation costs.

**You are kindly asked to send your applications with the abstract in Polish to dr Maria Szymańska to the following address: [mariaszymanska59@gmail.com](mailto:mariaszymanska59@gmail.com)**

**You are kindly asked to send your applications with the abstract in English to dr Joanna Popielska-Grzybowska to the following addresses: [joannapopielskag@gmail.com](mailto:joannapopielskag@gmail.com)**

**Deadline for the application and the submission of the abstract: 10<sup>th</sup> of August, 2018**

**The abstract shall contain:**

- a) **Name and surname of the participant, scholarly title, affiliation, email address and the phone number**

**b) Text of the abstract should be structured as follows: title of the lecture, one/two sentence introduction, the aim of the lecture and its justification; research method; short summary (max. 200 words); five keywords.**

We ask you to submit your abstract as a Word Programme document; Times New Roman font 12; 1,5 spacing

Come and enjoy the conference as well as splendid views and marvellous climate of the Polish mountains!

Yours faithfully,

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