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International Interdisciplinary Scientific Conference

Folkhighschools of XXI Europe
Tradition – Present Days – Challenges of Future

May 23rd 2017, Tuesday

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Program for the conference

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9.00 Registration of Participants

9.30 **Prof. Dr. Wiesław Bielawski**, Rector of the Warsaw University of Life Sciences –
Official Welcome and Opening of the Conference

9.40 **Prof. Dr Piotr Gliński**, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Culture and National Heritage
Welcome Speech

10.00 **Wojciech Kaczmarczyk**, Director of the Polish Office for Civil Society
Folk High Schools in the Government Planning

Session I: "Tradition"

Chair:

Dr Iwona Błaszczak, Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences, Warsaw University of Life Sciences

10.15 **Ewa Smuk-Stratenwerth**, Head of ZIARNO Ecological and Cultural Association
Pedagogy of Folk High Schools and the Building of Key Competences in Europe of the 21st Century – the Experience of the Erasmus+ Project and the Ecological Folk High School

10.40 **Tomasz Maliszewski**, Pomeranian Academy in Slupsk
The Creation, Development and Characteristics of Folk High Schools in Scandinavia

11.10 **Martin Nobelmann**, Hochschule für Nachhaltige Entwicklung Eberswalde, Germany
The History of Folk High Schools in Germany

11.40 **Dr Iwona Błaszczak**, Warsaw Agricultural University
Development of Folk High Schools – Polish Experience

12.00 Refreshment break

Session II: "Contemporaneity"

Chair:

Ewa Smuk Stratenwerth, ZIARNO Ecological and Cultural Association

12.30 **Peter Mogensen**, Brenderup Højskole, Denmark
Education for Peace in the Danish Hojskole in Brenderup

13.00 **Suliśława Borowska**, Head of Kashubian Folk High School, Wieżycza
The Itinerant Folk High School: the Experience of Kashubian Folk High School

13.20 **Barbara Mincewicz**, Head of Folk High School in Radawnica

The Society of Polish Folk High Schools in Radawnica – How Did We Manage to Get By Over 70 Years
13.35 **Monika Wolańska**, Head of the Arts and Crafts Folk High School in Wola Sękowa; performance of the ethnic choir **Widymo**
Education in the Arts and Crafts Folk High School in Wola Sękowa

14.25 Students of the Ecological Folk High School in Grzybów
Personal experience of the folk high school

14.40 **Angelika Felska**, University of Szczecin
Folk High School Under Construction – the Experience of Dobra Commune in West Pomeranian Voivodeship

14.50 **E. Smuk Stratenwerth, I. Błaszczak, T. Maliszewski** (scient. ed.)
Presentation of the publication : "Folk High Schools in Europe of the 21st Century. Tradition – Present Days – Challenges for Future",

15.00 Lunch break

Session III: „The Biggest Challenges for the Future - Tasks for Folk High Schools”

16. 00 Chaired panel discussion

Chair: Prof. Rev. Dr Ewa Przybylska, Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń

Panelists:

Karl Kristian Aegidius, the Association of Folk Universities in Denmark,
rev. Dr Stanislaw Jaromi, St Francis of Assisi Environmental Movement,
Dr Reto Ingold, School of Biodynamic Farming Switzerland,
Prof. Dr Alicja Jurgiel-Aleksander, University of Gdańsk,
Prof. Dr Tadeusz Gadacz, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Pedagogical University of Cracow

17.30 Workshops on the Folk Dance and Dancing Party!
Rodzina Kapela Niwińskich: Traditional Music From Central Poland

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