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**Conference Announcement to the
Congress of Departments and Research Teams
of Environmental Law
entitled *Frontiers of Environmental Law*
which will be held on May 22 - 24, 2024
at DeSilva Premium Hotel in Opole**

The distinctiveness of the features of environmental law, the specific subject matter of regulation and the special conceptual terminology, the strong connotations with natural and technical sciences and the use of legal instruments belonging to other branches of law (civil and criminal), prompts reflection on the essence of environmental law and its inter- and intra-system connections.

Recognizing the importance of the challenges and threats facing contemporary environmental law, we would like to bring back the discussion on the place of environmental law in the legal system, taking into account the role played by EU law and international law. Undoubtedly, these orders set the direction of development of environmental law in the Member States

(including in Poland) and influence the shape of domestic norms. In the legal system there are also such regulations which, not always belonging to EU law or international law, affect environmental law. They are located both within the administrative law system and outside it, in the structure of criminal law or civil law.

Also in the system of administrative law (bringing back the question of the belonging of environmental law to administrative law), certain "subsystems" with increasing independence have developed, which show close ties with environmental law. These include planning and zoning law, construction law or the law on the protection of historical monuments and cultural heritage. There are also such regulations that have the environment in the orbit of interest, however, the legislator's motivation for their separation was quite different, for example, agricultural law or food law. In this context, but also bearing in mind the complexity of environmental law and its relatively short origin, the idea arose that the theme of this year's Congress of Departments and Research Teams of Environmental Law was precisely the borderlands of environmental law.

The intention of the Organizers is to combine the Congress with the remembrance of the scientific profiles of former employees of the Faculty of Law and Administration of the University of Opole: the late Prof. Jan Boć, the late Prof. Konrad Nowacki and the late Dr. Jan Jerzmański, who were unquestionable authorities in the field of environmental law. Their achievements will be addressed in the first session.

All information about the Congress will be available on the website:

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PAPERS AND SUBMISSIONS

The Congress is held in a stationary form, in the building of Hotel de Silva Premium in Opole. The organizers will not record the proceedings in any way. The sessions will be held in Polish, however, one panel is scheduled in English. Speeches delivered in English will not be translated. The time allocated for the delivery of one paper is 20 minutes. Please provide any

multimedia presentations before the session, on the day of the speech. Each registered Participant will receive a certificate confirming participation in the Convention.

Registration shall be made via the following online form by 15 April, 2024 :

POST-CONFERENCE PUBLICATION

The organizers do not plan to publish a post-conference monograph. Participants interested in publishing the theses of their speech in the form of a scientific article are encouraged to submit on a general basis to the following journals:

THE OPOLE STUDIES IN ADMINISTRATION AND LAW -

<https://czasopisma.uni.opole.pl/index.php/osap>

ADMINISTRATIVE STUDIES - <https://wnus.usz.edu.pl/sa/pl/>

LEGAL PROBLEMS OF MINING AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION-

<https://journals.us.edu.pl/index.php/ppgos>

LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE DISCOURSE

- <http://www.dyskurs.inp.uz.zgora.pl/index.php/DPiA> - for this journal, the editors plan to publish a thematic special issue; the deadline for submitting articles to the notebook is June 30, 2024.

In each case, the condition for publication is the submission of a text that meets the editorial requirements of the journal in question, taking into account the publication rules and volume requirements, and obtaining two positive reviews in a *double-blind review process*.

PROGRAMME

The preliminary schedule for the Convention is as follows:

- May 22 - arrival of Participants, accommodation;
- May 23
 - - from 9.30 - 11.30 a.m. - memorial session
 - - at 11.30 - 12.00 - coffee break
 - - at 12.00 - 14.00 - Participants' presentations
 - - at 14.00 - 15.00 - lunch
 - - at 15.00 - 16.30 - Participants' presentations in sections
 - - at 17.00 - 18.30 - a walk around Opole with Dr. Mateusz Pszczynski
 - - at 19.30 - 12.00 - gala dinner
- May 24
 - - at 10.00 - 12.30 - Participants' presentations in sections
 - - at 12.30 - 13.00 - coffee break
 - - at 13.00 - 14.00 - discussion and summary of the conference
 - - at 14.00 - 15.00 - lunch

The detailed programme will be published at a later date on the above mentioned website under the tab: Programme.

FEES

The conference fee is 830 PLN to be paid to the bank account of the Foundation for the Faculty of Law and Administration of the University of Opole (Fundacja dla Wydziału Prawa i Administracji Uniwersytetu Opolskiego) indicated below.

In the title of the transfer, please write: **„Zjazd Katedr POŚ – name and surname of the participant”**. Fees should be paid by April 15, 2024. Please mark the appropriate option in the registration form if you wish an invoice.

The participation fee includes food and use of the coffee buffet. Limited participation does not reduce the fee. The fee does not cover the cost of accommodation and transportation. The fees paid are non-refundable.

Recipient:

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ACCOMMODATION

Suggested accommodations are DeSilva and Mercure hotels in Opole. Reservations for both should be made on your own **no later than April 15, 2024**.

The following price conditions are valid with the password "Zjazd Katedr".

Price conditions applicable to the Mercure*** Hotel :

- 300 zł/day for a room with breakfast for 1 person
- 355 PLN/day for a room with breakfast for 2 people
- 40 PLN/day for a parking place within the availability of places (reservation is not possible)

Reservations can be made after direct contact with the hotel reception - email:

H3405@ACCOR.COM, tel: 0048 77 451 81 00. In order to guarantee the reservation, a prepayment must be made within 10 days of booking.

Price conditions applicable to DeSilva Hotel **** :

- 330 zł/day for a room with breakfast for 1 person
- 390 PLN/day for a room with breakfast for 2 people
- 50 PLN/day for a parking space subject to availability (reservation is not possible)

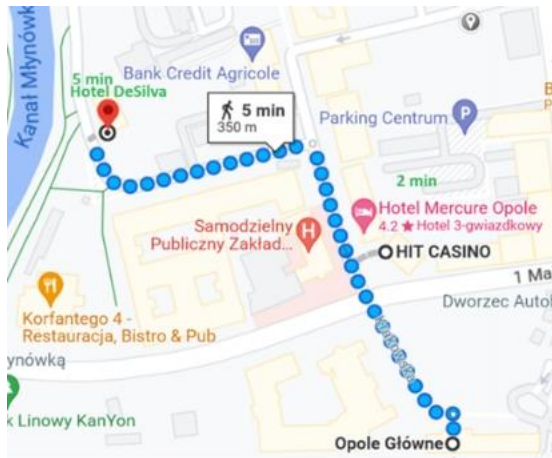
Reservations can be made after direct contact with the hotel reception - email:

opole@desilva.pl, tel : 0048 77 540 70 00. In order to guarantee the reservation, a prepayment must be made within 10 days of booking.

Links to the hotels' websites can be found below:

<https://www.desilva.pl/opole/>

<https://all.accor.com/hotel/3405/index.pl.shtml>



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The application form can be found in the "Papers and Applications" tab.

Yours sincerely,

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