



Summer School "Difficult neighborhood Poles and Ukrainians in the 20th Century"



21 May 2023- 27 May 2023

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About the University

Adam Mickiewicz University is the major academic institution in Poznań and one of the top Polish universities. Its reputation is founded on tradition, the outstanding achievements of the faculty and the attractive curriculum. The mission of the University is to advance knowledge through high-quality research and teaching in partnership with business, professions, public services and other research and learning providers.

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Faculties

4

Branches

13567

Newly enrolled students

32100

Students in traditional and extramural programmes

1168

Doctoral students

764

Participants in postgraduate courses

125

Degree programmes

3006

Academic staff

2282

Administrative staff

242

Specialisations

36

Postgraduate courses

241

Science clubs

4624

Publications

860

Research projects worth over PLN 1.305 billion

772

International students



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Universities participating in the Summer School

- > National University of Ostroh Academy
- > Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University
- > Petro Mohyla Black Sea State University
- > Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute
- > Lesya Ukrainka Volyn National University
- > Hryhorii Skovoroda University in Pereiaslav
- > Vasyl Stefanyk Precarpathian National University
- > Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv
- > National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy
- > H.S. Skovoroda Kharkiv National Pedagogical University
- > Vasyl' Stus Donetsk National University
- > Lviv Polytechnic National University
- > Kherson State University
- > Pavlo Tychyna Uman State Pedagogical University
- > Sumy Makarenko State Pedagogical University
- > Donbass State Pedagogical University
- > Khmelnytskyi National University
- > Zhytomyr Polytechnic State University
- > Vinnytsia Mykhailo Kotsiubynskyi State Pedagogical University
- > National Academy of Internal Affairs
- > Sumy State University
- > Yuriy Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University



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AGENDA



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DIFFICULT NEIGHBORHOOD: POLES AND UKRAINIANS IN THE 20TH CENTURY

Dębina Palace, 21-27.05.2023

PROGRAM

Sunday, 21.05

19:00 Arriving, accommodation
20:00 Dinner

Monday, 22.05

10:00 Official opening / *dr Kostiantyn Mazur*
10:05-11:35 Presentation of Adam Mickiewicz University / *dr Kostiantyn Mazur*,
11:45-13:15 Presentation of EPICUR Consortium / *dr Kostiantyn Mazur*,
13:30-15:00 Interdisciplinary on the own example / *dr Kostiantyn Mazur*,

Tuesday, 23.05

10:00-11:30 Conflict or Dialogue of Memory? On contemporary ways of commemorating the anniversary celebrations of Operation Wisła / *dr Magdalena Lachowicz*
11:30-13:00 Between a national minority and a war migrant. Ukrainians in Poland in the light of contemporary legal acts in Poland / *dr Magdalena Lachowicz*
13:00-14:30 Systemic transformation in Poland - costs and successes / *Prof. Stanisław Jankowiak*
14:30-16:00 Nationality problems in Poland after World War II / *Prof. Stanisław Jankowiak*

Wednesday, 24.05

10:00-11:30 European integration after 1945 - between Europe of states and supranational Europe / *Prof. Marek Mikołajczyk*
11:30-13:00 Membership in the European Union - opportunities and threats from the perspective of Poland / *Prof. Marek Mikołajczyk*
13:00-14:30 The image of Polish-Ukrainian relations in the Poznań press / *Prof. Marek Figura*
14:30-16:00 Polish-Ukrainian relations after 1991 / *Prof. Marek Figura*
20:00 Camp fire

Thursday, 25.05

10:00-11:30 Hybrid warfare - a new type of warfare / *Prof. Agnieszka Sawicz*
11:30-13:00 Russian disinformation and its impact on Polish-Ukrainian relations / *Prof. Agnieszka Sawicz*
13:00-14:30 Difficult beginning in the 20th century. Ukraine in the concepts of Józef Piłsudski in the years 1918-1922 / *Prof. Piotr Okulewicz*
14:30-16:00 Difficult coexistence - Ukrainians and Poles in the Second Polish Republic 1919 - 1939 / *Prof. Piotr Okulewicz*

Friday, 26.05

10:00 Visit at the Faculty of History, meeting with the Dean
12:00 Poznań City Tour
15:00 Shopping
19:00 Dinner in the Palace

Saturday, 27.05

09:00 Departure

Breakfast time: 08:00-09:30;
Lunch time: 17:30



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Subject coordinators

PhD

Magdalena Lachowicz

Head of the Study Programme in Eastern Studies, Assistant Professor in the Department of Eastern Studies at the Faculty of History of the Adam Mickiewicz University. Member of the Research Group on Equality, Gender Equality and (Re)Integration at the Faculty of Journalism and Political Science of AMU and member of the Student Practice Team in the Team for Monitoring the Quality of Education at the Faculty of History of Adam Mickiewicz University. Her research interests focus on the sociology of the nation, ethnic relations and regional movements in Eurasia.



Prof.

Stanisław Jankowiak

Head of the Department of Contemporary History, Honorary Rector of the University of the Third Age in Opalenica and President of the Management Board of Societas Archivi Posnaniensis. His research interests focus on the recent history of Poland, with particular emphasis on the "Polish months"; Poznań June; March 68; Stalinism; and Polish-German and state-church relations in the People's Republic of Poland.

PhD

Kostiantyn Mazur

A Specialist at the International Relations Centre, associated with AMU since 2017. Privately passionate in organising trips to Iceland, Ukraine, Kazakhstan and the Balkans. Enthusiast of landscape and travel photography.



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Prof.

Marek Figura

Professor in the Department of Eastern Studies and member of the Scientific Council of the History Discipline. His research interests include the history of Eastern Europe in the 20th and 21st centuries, especially the history of Ukraine and Belarus in their relations with Poland and the history of the Second Polish Republic.



Prof.

Agnieszka Sawicz

Professor at the university's Department of Contemporary History and member of the Scientific Council of the History discipline. Her research interests focus on Polish-Ukrainian relations in the 20th and 21st centuries, with particular emphasis on the period after 1989; the history of post-Soviet states and the fate of the Polish minority in the East. She is also keenly interested in Polish foreign policy in the 20th and 21st centuries and the history of diplomacy.



Subject coordinators

Prof.

Marek Mikołajczyk

Professor at the university's Department of Contemporary History and member of the Scientific Council of the discipline of History. His research interests include recent history, international relations and European integration.



Prof.

Piotr Okulewicz

Professor at the University's Department of Contemporary History and member of the Scientific Council of the History discipline. His scientific interests include the history of Greater Poland in the inter-war period, with particular emphasis on the fate of the local sympathisers of Józef Piłsudski; the history of the Second Republic of Poland, especially the history of the Piłsudski camp, problems related to Polish Eastern policy in the 20th and 21st centuries, and the history of Polish and world music.



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"The trip was great! Thank you for such an incredible opportunity

The week in Poland was extremely intense and emotional! The summer school included lectures with the best teachers of Adam Mickiewicz University, who tried to present information to Ukrainian students in the most accessible way possible. The communication between students and teachers was excellent, as Polish and Ukrainian are very similar languages, and the teachers understood most of what the students said because of their own experience. An excursion was also organised to the university in Poznan, where we visited the campus of the Faculty of History and the library contained therein. There was also a city tour and a look at historical monuments.

On one of the lecture days, we organised a Ukrainian evening, where we sang Ukrainian songs and treated the guests to Ukrainian food, after which we lit a bonfire in the complex where we lived, which brought everyone together.


In general, the atmosphere was friendly, even though the students had met each other for the first time on the way to Poznan. The students came from different cities in Ukraine, from Kharkiv to Lutsk, from different educational institutions, from the Horlivka Institute of Foreign Languages to the Lesya Ukrainka Volyn National University.

Their impressions of the trip were all positive and the memory will stay with them for a long time!

I have attached some photos, both from lectures and official events, as well as personal photos taken in my free time with students I became friends with during the trip.

~ **Mariia Slonska, Vasyl' Stus Donetsk National University**





“My name is Alina Levchenko. I would like to write about our week at the summer school in Poznań. First of all, I want to say that we are very grateful for the opportunity to attend such an event. We learned a lot of new things. We liked the professional teachers who gave us lectures. It was very interesting and informative. I want to express my big gratitude also for some small events in our week, such as a bonfire, walking”

~ Alina LEVCHENKO, Sumy Makarenko State Pedagogical University



I” participated in the Spring School "Difficult Neighborhood: Poles and Ukrainians in the 20th century", 21-27.05.2023.

The experience I had there is difficult to describe in words. Every day was full of emotions from meeting new people, interesting lectures and discussions with Polish professors. Dębina Palace is a wonderful place where cosiness, friendly atmosphere, the kindest people, peace, delicious food, education and entertainment are combined. This period was like that for me. It was nice to return to Poznań, where I was last time about 12 years ago. No matter how much I love my home, saying goodbye to this palace, people, and emotions was very hard.

I want to express my sincere gratitude for such an opportunity and the wonderful friends with whom we communicate to this day.“

~ Svitlana ZABOLOTNA, Pavlo Tychyna Uman State Pedagogical University





The summer school "Difficult Neighbourhood Poles and Ukrainians in the 20th Century" was an unforgettable educational and intercultural experience, which will result in close cooperation between Ukrainian universities and Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań.

