The conference will take place in the building of the **Faculty of Political Science and Journalism** which is part of the University's new campus in the northern district of **Morasko**.

The address is:

Faculty of Political Science and Journalism

(Polish: Wydział Nauk Politycznych i Dziennikarstwa)

ul. Uniwersytetu Poznańskiego 5

61-614 Poznań

<u>Link to Google Maps for navigation</u>. Note that **Google Maps Street View** is available throughout Poznań (and Poland), and you can use it for better orientation. It even includes views inside the Political Science building.

The Morasko campus is about 7 km north of central Poznań. The two best methods of getting there are (1) by taxi/ride share (**recommended**; journey time of about 25 minutes from the centre) and (2) by public transport (less convenient than usual due to **roadworks** at several locations; in particular, the Rapid Tram line is down for maintenance and the trams are probably not going to run at the time of the conference).

Please note that any pricing, exchange rates, etc. provided below are only approximate and should be checked firsthand in case that info is important.

By taxi/ride share

A taxi ride from the city centre to the venue should take about 25 minutes, depending on traffic, and cost approximately 30-35 PLN (7-8 EUR).

Recommended companies:

Radio Taxi, tel. (+48) 61 196 22 Hallo Taxi, tel. (+48) 61 196 23 M1 Taxi, tel. (+48) 61 196 69

Radio Lux Taxi, tel. (+48) 61 196 62

Ride share

Uber, **Bolt** and **FreeNow** are available in Poznań, and are somewhat cheaper than metered taxis.

By public transport

The rapid tram line is **down** for maintenance at the moment, it is not clear whether it will be up and running during the conference; even if you know the Poznań public transport system from previous visits, use caution and allow extra time.

- 1. From the Most Teatralny or Rondo Kaponiera interchanges, take trams 4 or 15 (towards Połabska), or 3 or 10 (towards Błażeja). (The destinations are displayed above the windshield at the front of the tram.)
- 2. Get off at the third/fourth stop (Armii Poznań). (Stop names are announced over loudspeakers and displayed on displays next to the driver's cab.)

- 3. Cross the street to the bus stop and change to bus **T12** and continue until the os. Sobieskiego terminus.
- 4. Upon arriving at os. Sobieskiego (see the final bus stop on Google Street View), continue along the street to cross the bus terminus under the roof, turn right, continue along the railway tracks, cross them, and walk along the pedestrian/bike path towards the Campus buildings. (See the walking route on Google Maps.) The Political Science building will be the second one you reach.

Public transport info for Poznań is available on Google Maps and generally reliable. You can also use local services such as <u>Jakdojade.pl</u>. **Live times** and mapped vehicle locations are available from the Kiedypojadę app (<u>Android</u>, <u>iOS</u>) based on your location. Please make sure you check data roaming charges with your mobile operator.

Internet access

The Political Science building, as well as all the other AMU buildings on the campus and in the centre, offer WiFi Internet access using the eduRoam scheme. If your home institution is a member of the system, you will be able to log on to the wireless network simply using your home login. We strongly recommend checking with your home institution to make sure you have your own eduRoam account and are able to log in wherever eduRoam is available.

For those of our guests who cannot take advantage of the above approach, we will offer a number of guest eduRoam accounts but these are limited in various ways due to the current cyber-security situation. We **strongly recommend using your own eduRoam account**.

Outside of AMU buildings, the centre of Poznań is covered by a free municipal network, wireless.poznan.pl. While limited in speed and requiring a log-on every hour, it is usable for emergency access.

The entire urban area has LTE mobile internet access. Note that **roaming charges** will apply to guests from outside the European Union; check these with your home operator. For EU guests, roaming should in general not incur additional charges.

Accommodation in Poznań

Top range:

Hotel Ilonn ****

One of the closest hotels to the conference venue. Address: ul. Szarych Szeregów 16, 60-462 Poznań Phone: +48 61 668 75 75 / +48 668 89 75 75

Email: rezerwacja@ilonnhotel.pl
Website: https://ilonnhotel.pl

Hotel Liberté 33 ****

Address: ul. Libelta 33, 61-707 Poznań

Phone: +48611020422 Email: recepcja@liberte33.pl

Website: www.liberte33.pl

Don Prestige ****

Address: ul. Święty Marcin 2 Phone: +48 61 8590 590

Email: reception@donprestige.com Website: http://www.donprestige.com/

Sheraton Hotel *****

Address: ul. Bukowska 3/9, 60-809 Poznań

Phone: +48 (61) 655 2000

Email: <u>reservations.poznan@sheraton.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.sheraton.pl/poznan/en</u>

Hampton By Hilton Poznań

Address: ul. Święty Marcin 6, 61-803 Poznań

Email: rezerwacja@hbhpoznan.pl

Website: www.poznanoldtown.hamptonbyhilton.com

Hotel Brovaria ***

Address: Stary Rynek 73, 74, 61-772 Poznań

Phone: +48 61 858 68 68 Email: recepcja@brovaria.pl Website: http://brovaria.pl/hotel

NH ****

Address: ul. Święty Marcin Phone: +48 61 624 88 00

Email: nhpoznan@nh-hotels.com Website: http://www.nhpoznan.pl/

Mercure Hotel ****

Address: ul. Roosevelta 20, 60-829 Poznań

Phone: +48 61 855 80 00 Email: <u>H3393@accor.com</u> Website: <u>http://mercure.com</u>

Hotel Novotel ****

Address: pl. Andersa 1, 61-898 Poznań

Phone: +48 61 858 70 00 Email: <u>H3376@accor.com</u>

Website: http://www.novotel.com/

Hotel Włoski ***

Address: Dolna Wilda 8, 61-552 Poznań

Phone: +48 61 833 52 62 Email: <u>info@hotelwloski.pl</u> Website: <u>http://hotelwloski.pl/en/</u>

Budget:

PocoLoco Hostel

Address: ul. Taczaka 23, 61-689 Poznań

Phone: +48 61 88 33 470, Mobile: +48 796 230 555

Email: mailto:hostel@poco-loco.pl
Website: http://hostel.poco-loco.pl/en

Cinnamon Hostel

Address: ul. Gwarna 10/2, 61-703 Poznań

Phone: +48 61 85 15 757

Email: poznan@cinnamonhostel.com

Website: http://www.hostelteam.pl/poznan-en/

VeryBerry Hostel

Address: Al. Marcinkowskiego 11, 61-827 Poznań Phone: +48 61 855 17 63, Mobile: +48 536 961 480

Email: hostel@very-berry.pl

Website: http://www.very-berry.pl/

Hostel Stonewall

ul. Klasztorna 2 61-772 Poznań

Phone: +48 786 958 660

Email: hostel@grupa-stonewall.pl
Website: https://hostel-stonewall.pl/

Moon Hostel Poznań

ul. Dominikańska 9A (entrance: ul. Szewska)

61-762 Poznań

Phone: 48 503-503-216

Email: poznan@moonhostel.eu

Website: https://moonhostel.pl/pl/poznan

Dom Akademicki (Hall of residence)

Address: ul. Nieszawska 3, 61-021 Poznań

Phone: +48 61 879 43 63 Email: nieszaw@amu.edu.pl

Practical information

Travel

By train/road:

<u>Poznań</u> is located about half way between Warsaw (280 km) and Berlin (240 km), and there are good, frequent rail connections between those two cities and Poznań.

Check your connections using the timetables of the <u>Polish Railways</u> (for connections from Poznań, please select the main station, Poznań Główny, if requested; the station to select in Warsaw is Warszawa Centralna; in Berlin, Hauptbahnhof or Ostbahnhof). You can also consult the <u>German Railways route planner</u>.

By Air:

Poznań's <u>Lawica airport</u> has frequent daily connections with Warsaw (<u>LOT Polish Airlines</u>), as well as Copenhagen (<u>SAS</u>), Frankfurt and Munich (LOT and <u>Lufthansa</u>).

Poznań is also served by low-cost carrirers. <u>Wizzair</u> serve London <u>Luton</u>, Burgas, Eindhoven, Oslo <u>Torp</u>, Paris <u>Beauvais</u> and Split. <u>Ryanair</u> provide numerous connections, including London <u>Stansted</u>, Alicante, Athens, Barcelona Girona, Bristol, Budapest, Dublin, Edinburgh, Liverpool, Malta, Milan Bergamo, Rome Ciampino, Stockholm Arlanda, and Tel Aviv.

The airport's timetable is available <u>here</u>. However, please verify with the respective airlines whether the flights are available.

Money

<u>The złoty</u> (abbreviated PLN or zł) is the official currency in Poland. The approximate average exchange rate (15 Nov 2022) is 4.69 złoties to a Euro (or 4.55 złoties to a US Dollar). The latest exchange rates for all major currencies are available <u>here</u>.

Electricity

Polish sockets are <u>standard European sockets</u>, with a voltage of 230 V/50Hz. All visitors coming from countries using appliances/plugs that do not work with such sockets/voltages (especially American and British guests) are advised to bring adapters.

Telephones

All European mobiles will work without problems. High speed internet is available throughout the urban area but charges may apply for visitors from outside the European Union; please check with your operator to avoid unexpected costs.

The international code for Poland is +48; the area code for Poznań is 61.

Weather

Polish weather is usually quite cold in February, with average temperatures of around 0 Centigrade during the day, freezing temperatures below 0 being quite common. Current forecast available here.

More information

More tourist information may be obtained from the city portal:

