

# **Dear Colleagues**

We invite you to participate in the third "World of Gravettian Hunters" conference, which is planned from 20 to 25 May 2019 in Kraków, Poland. The theme of the conference is the Gravettian and derivate cultures such as Epigravettian. The conference will host talks and posters in archaeology, paleontology, and geology. Especially encouraged are presentations of new results or syntheses on the time period ~30,000 to 15,000 years ago.

# **OFFICIAL LANGUAGE**

The official language for the conference is English.

#### FORMAT OF THE SESSIONS

You may choose between two types of presentations:

(1) **Oral presentations (Talks)** of fifteen minutes, with an additional five minutes for questions; or (2) **Posters**, on view during all days of the conference and also presented as short communication of up to five minutes with a maximum of five slides, without time reserved for questions.

There will be no parallel sessions.

# PUBLICATION OF CONFERENCE PAPERS

A book of abstracts will be compiled before the conference and distributed to participants when they arrive. We intend to publish selected talks and the posters in a peer-reviewed journal. Presentations from the first conference in 2013 were published in *Quaternary International* 359-360 (2015), and those from the second conference in 2016 are now in press at *Quaternary Research*.

# REGISTRATION

Registration will be open from mid-January 2019.

#### **CONFERENCE FEE**

Payment of the conference fees will open in January 2019. All fees include current VAT. The conference fee can be paid with bank transfer or credit card only until 10 May 2019.

**Registration Fee** – payment not later than 10 May 2019:

- 100 EUR for participants from: Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Georgia, Hungary, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia and Ukraine
- 200 EUR for participants from all other countries

Student Fee – payment not later than 10 May 2019

– 100 EUR for participants from all countries

# <u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO PAY REGISTRATION FEES AFTER ARRIVAL

The conference fee covers:

- Admission to all sessions
- Coffee break refreshments between sessions
- Admission to the Banquet (Friday evening, 25 May 2019)
- Conference field session on 25 May 2019
- One copy of the Abstracts volume

Accommodation and meals are not included in the Conference Fee.

#### CANCELLATION POLICY AND DEADLINE FOR REFUND OF FEES

All cancellations must be made before 1 May 2019. In any case, a 10% cancellation fee will be charged. Reimbursements will be made by bank transfer after the conference closure. Cancellations made after the deadline date will not be eligible for refund of the Registration fee.

#### **ABSTRACT SUBMISSION**

All abstracts must be submitted by 31 March 2019. Notifications of acceptance will be sent to the corresponding author by 15 April 2019. The results and opinions presented, as well as the texts of the contributions, are the full responsibility of the authors.

Please note that at least one presenter for each accepted presentation must register for the conference and pay the registration fee by 30 April 2019. Abstracts without a registered presenter by this date will be removed from the conference programme and all materials.

Accepted abstracts will be included in the printed abstract book handed out to all participants.

Details about the abstract format will be sent later.

## OFFICIAL LETTER OF INVITATION

For attendees who need visas, please contact the organizers to receive the necessary documentation.

#### CONFERENCE FIELD SESSION

On 25 May 2019 there will be a field session at Piekary open-air site and Tyniec abbey.

# **DATES AND DEADLINES**

31.03.2019 – Deadline for Early Registration Payment by corresponding author

12.04.2019 – Deadline for Abstract Submission. After this deadline we cannot accept any more scientific contributions with abstracts, although general registration is possible.

30.04.2019 – Deadline for Late Registration Payment by author

10.05.2019 – Deadline for Late Registration payment

**Conference dates 20.05 – 25.05.2019** 

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