

Information Note

Web Intelligence Network Conference

4-5 February 2025

Gdańsk, Poland

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I. DATE AND VENUE OF THE MEETING

The Conference will be held on 4-5 February at **Arche Dwór Uphagena** hotel:

[Hotel in the Center of Gdansk - Dwor Uphagena](#)

Address: Prof. Kieturakisa 1 Str.

80-742 Gdańsk

[ARCHE Dwór Uphagena Gdańsk - Google Maps](#)

II. ACCOMMODATION AND TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS

Participants are requested to make their own hotel and travel arrangements.

Statistics Poland has negotiated special prices in Arche Dwór Uphagena hotel (conference venue)

Room type	Single (with breakfast)	Double/TWIN (with breakfast)
Standard	250 PLN (approx. 60 EURO)	320 PLN (approx. 75 EURO)

In order to make a reservation please visit the website:

<https://www.archedworuphagena.pl/konferencje> and use a promo code **STATPOLAND**

In case of any problems please feel free to contact Ms. Monika Kędzierska at mkedzierska@archedworuphagena.pl

Participants are requested to have a valid passport, and if required, a visa. Travelers will need a Visa to Poland if they are citizens of a non-Schengen country without a visa-free travel agreement with the area. Citizens from the UK, USA, Australia or Canada do not require an entry visa for Poland for short stays (for up to 90 days in any 180-day period in the whole Schengen Area) for tourist or business purposes. **If you need an invitation letter for visa purposes, please write to** Ewa Bandurska (e.bandurska@stat.gov.pl).

Helpful website:

[Visas - general information - Poland in US - Gov.pl website \(www.gov.pl\)](#)

<https://www.gov.pl/web/diplomacy/visas>

<https://visaguide.world/europe/poland-visa/tourist-visa/>

III. TRANSPORT

FROM THE AIRPORT

The Lech Walesa Airport www.airport.gdansk.pl is about 15 km from the city centre. The best transport to the city centre is taxi (cost - approx. 25-30 EURO) or Uber (should be cheaper but it depends on weather conditions, time of day etc.)

Public transportation from the airport:

<https://www.airport.gdansk.pl/passenger-area/transportation/train-p98.html>

Public transportation in the city

[ZTM in Gdańsk](#)

[Public transport in Gdansk - Explore Gdansk](#)

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<https://itaxi.pl/english/>

<https://airporttaxigdansk.com.pl/en/>

<https://www.taxigdanskairport.pl/english/transfer-to-from/>

<https://neptuntaxi.pl/en/>

FREENOW App <https://www.free-now.com/pl/office-information/gdansk/>

Uber App and Bolt App are also widely used.

IV. CONTACT INFORMATION

Conference programme, papers, abstracts: WIN_conference@stat.gov.pl

Conference venue, hotels, meeting organization: E.Bandurska@stat.gov.pl

V. GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT POLAND

Time zone: UTC +2 / Central European Summer Time (CEST)

Weather in Gdańsk:

<https://weather.com/weather/today/l/54.35205078125,18.64636993408203?par=bing&locale=en-US>

Language: Polish native, English widely spoken.

Currency: Polish Zloty (PLN) and the symbol zł. There are 6 different Polish bank notes: 10zł, 20 zł, 50 zł, 100 zł, 200 zł and 500 zł. Zloty coins are 1 zł, 2 zł and 5 zł. One zloty = 100 grosz. Grosz coins are 1gr, 2gr, 5gr, 10gr, 20gr and 50gr.

Currency exchanges are called 'Kantor' in Poland and there are plenty of them in city centre, larger hotels, train stations and shopping malls. Kantors tend to offer marginally better rates than banks.

Exchange rate as of 2 December 2024: 1 EUR = 4,27 PLN; 1 USD = 4,09 PLN.

Credit card payments are widely available in Gdańsk. Contactless payments (NFC card or mobile) are very popular and available in majority of the places.

ATMs (bankomat in Polish) are easily available all over Gdansk. Plus there are ATMs at the Lech Wałęsa airport, making things extra easy.

Electricity: For Poland there are two associated plug types, types C and E. Plug type C is the plug which has two round pins and plug type E is the plug which has two round pins and a hole for the socket's male earthing pin. Poland operates on a 230V supply voltage and 50Hz.

International Telephone Dialing: + 48 or 00 48

Important phone numbers: 112 direct safety number; 997 - Police, 998 – Fire Brigade, 999 – Medical Emergency

VI. TOURIST INFORMATION ON GDAŃSK AND TRI-CITY

<https://visitgdansk.com/home.qbpage?setLanguage=en#>
<https://www.poland.travel/en/gdansk-and-tricity/>

Information on so called Tricity (Gdańsk, Sopot, Gdynia) [Your Tricity, Poland](#)
[Tourist guide of the Tri-City - accommodation, transport, monuments, tourist attractions - Gdańsk, Gdynia, Sopot - Tri-City](#)
[What is the Tri-city / Trojmiasto? Explaining the Tri-city of Gdańsk, Sopot & Gdynia](#)

VII. GASTRONOMY

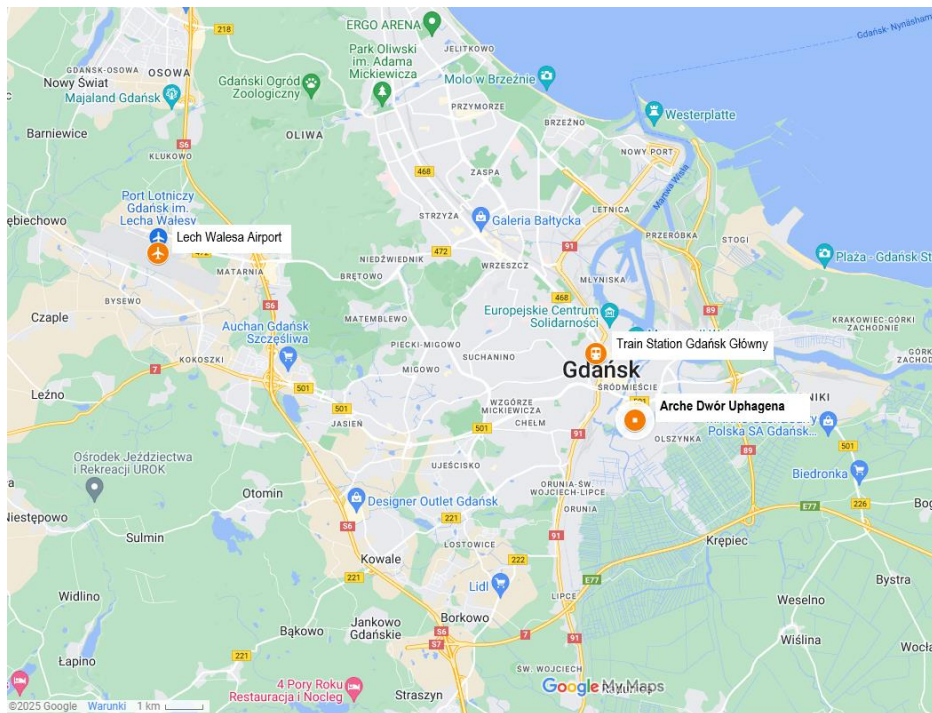
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https://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurants-g274725-0a0-Gdansk_Pomerania_Province_Northern_Poland.html

VIII. SHOPPING

[Shopping in Gdansk | Malls, shopping streets and department stores in Gdansk](#)
[THE 5 BEST Gdansk Shopping Malls \(2024\) - Tripadvisor](#)

Map



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https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=1_X5OX0NehFn2q0P8votRRvOLxxAY9Wk&usp=sharing

The Lech Walesa Airport (Port Lotniczy Gdańsk im. Lecha Wałęsy)

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/AeaV6zpp2ZMudUQ96>

Central Train Station Gdańsk Główny (Dworzec PKP Gdańsk Główny)

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/Bg1A1U34DwyyFtdq5>