



30th Meeting of the Petrology Group of the Mineralogical Society of Poland

How Mineralogical Sciences can support Mineral Resources Industry?

Lubliniec, 16-19 October 2025

Conference

We invite you to participate in the Annual Conference of the Mineralogical Society of Poland entitled "How Can Mineralogical Sciences Support the Mineral Resources Industry?", which will be held from October 16th to 19th, 2025, in Lubliniec (Silesian Voivodeship). The conference will be focused on broad range of topics in mineralogical and petrological research. We also anticipate special sessions related to the application of mineralogical sciences in the study of primary (exploration of mineral deposits) and secondary sources of mineral raw materials (recycling).

Venue

The venue for the Conference will be the city of Lubliniec in Upper Silesia. Lubliniec, situated at the junction of the Upper Silesian and Małopolska blocks, within the Kraków-Lubliniec fault zone, is located in the vicinity of significant Polish areas of mineral deposit occurrence: the Mississippi Valley Type Pb-Zn-Ag deposits in the Tarnowskie Góry region, sedimentary iron deposits of the Częstochowa region, and porphyry Cu-Mo-W deposits of the Myszków region.

Registration

The Conference website is available at: <https://ptmin2025.uwr.edu.pl>

Conference Registration:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=DHtSWH-lqUaybhKjFRujhfZl4-zQAMtOi-kVWToq3LpUNDhTS01QSFI3S0pMS0lxWVWk4ME1VWEpaUS4u>

Keynote speakers

The Conference will be attended by distinguished scientists, authors of studies related to the application of mineralogical sciences in the research of primary and secondary sources of mineral raw materials. Our Speakers who have confirmed their participation are Prof. Krzysztof Galos, Chief National Geologist of Poland, Prof. Krzysztof Szamątek, Director of the Polish Geological Institute – National Research Institute, Prof. Jens

Gutzmer, Director of the Helmholtz Institute Freiberg for Resources Technology (Germany), Prof. Frank Melcher, Head of the Chair of Economic Geology at Montanuniversität Leoben (Austria), Prof. Eric van Hullebusch, Head of the Biogeochemistry and Engineered Ecosystems research group at Université Paris Cité (France), Dr. Alicja Łacińska, Senior Geologist at the British Geological Survey (United Kingdom), and Dr. Katrin Pollmann, Head of the Microbiology Group at Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf (Germany).

Programme

The Conference includes scientific sessions and two field trips, one before and one after the sessions. The preliminary program of the conference includes:

Day I (Thursday, October 16, 2025): Field trip "The ore-bearing area of Częstochowa: Jurassic sedimentary iron deposits," ice-breaker

Day II (Friday, October 17, 2025): Plenary session "How can mineralogical sciences support the mineral resources industry?", general sessions, poster session, dinner

Day III (Saturday, October 18, 2025): Plenary session dedicated to the role of mineralogical sciences in the development of CCS (carbon capture and storage) technology, general sessions, gala dinner

Day IV (Sunday, October 19, 2025): Field trip "MVT Pb-Zn-Ag deposits of Upper Silesia and Małopolska in the Tarnowskie Góry region"

Conference fees:

Early fees (until June 15, 2025)

- Regular fee: PLN 1500
- Fee for PTMin members: PLN 1400
- Fee for students/PhD candidates: PLN 1100
- Fee for students/PhD candidates (PTMin members): PLN 1000

Late fees (after June 15, 2025)

- Regular fee: PLN 1750
- Fee for PTMin members: PLN 1650
- Fee for students/PhD candidates: PLN 1300
- Fee for students/PhD candidates (PTMin members): PLN 1200

Field trips:

- Fee for participation in the field trip "The ore-bearing area of Częstochowa: Jurassic sedimentary iron deposits": PLN 60

- Fee for participation in the field trip "MVT Pb-Zn-Ag deposits of Upper Silesia and Małopolska in the Tarnowskie Góry region": PLN 60

Important deadlines

April 15, 2025 – Opening of early registration

June 15, 2025 – Deadline for early registration (abstract submission not required)

August 15, 2025 – Deadline for late registration and abstract submission

October 16, 2025 – Start of the conference

Organizers

University of Wrocław

Polish Geological Institute – National Research Institute, Polish Geological Survey

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