

**Programme of  
XX Symposium of Baltic Mycologists and Lichenologists  
Gdańsk, September 25-29<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

**25<sup>th</sup> September 2017 (Monday)**

**15:00 - 18:00** Registration (Novotel Gdansk Marina Hotel)  
**19:00** Welcome reception

**26<sup>th</sup> September 2017 (Tuesday)**

**8:30 - 9:00** Registration

**9:00 - 9:30** Conference opening (Marina Conference Room)

**9:30 - 9:50** Presentation by employee of State Forests

**10:00 - 12.05** Oral session *Lichenized fungi* (Biruta Bankina, Ernestas Kutorga)

*10:00-10:25* – **Polina Degtjarenko et al.**: The genetic diversity of a widespread epiphytic lichen *Usnea subfloridana* (*Parmeliaceae, Ascomycota*) in hemiboreal forests

*10:25-10:50* – **Jurga Motiejūnaitė et al.**: Forest fungi and human culture in Europe

*10:50-11:15* – **Eugenia E. Muchnik**: Lichen richness of the “Kletnyansky” State Nature Reserve (Bryansk region, Central Russia)

*11:15-11:40* – **Mark R. D. Seaward**: Polish lichens as monitors of Chernobyl

*11:40-12:05* – **Anna-Liisa Ylisirniö & Ville Hallikainen**: Is the scale of retention forestry important for old-growth epiphytic and epixylic lichen species?

**12:15 - 13:30** Lunch break

**13:30 - 15:35** Oral session *Non-lichenized fungi* (Jurga Motiejūnaitė, Lucyna Śliwa)

*13:30-13:55* – **Biruta Bankina et al.**: Composition of fungi in a damaged wheat stem base

*13:55-14:20* – **Biruta Bankina et al.**: Less known species of *Botrytis* spp. – the causal agents of faba bean chocolate spot

*14:20-14:45* – **Ernestas Kutorga et al.**: Interannual variations in the fruiting of a protected fungus *Sarcosoma globosum* in Lithuania

*14:45-15:10* – **Svetlana Markovskaja & Audrius Kačergius**: Ecological plasticity of *Neocatenulostroma* species complex

*15:10-15:35* – **Julia Pawłowska et al.**: *Aureoboletus projectellus* – American boletes rapidly spreading in Europe as a new model species for studying invasions of macrofungi

<b>15:35 - 16:30</b>	Coffee break
<b>16:30 - 18:30</b>	Poster session ( <u>Ave Suija, Arne Thell</u> )
<b>19:00</b>	Meal
<b>20:00</b>	Laboratory work

**27<sup>th</sup> September 2017 (Wednesday)**

<b>8:00 - 17:00</b>	Field trip, packed lunch
<b>17:00</b>	Coffee break
<b>19:00</b>	Laboratory work/sightseeing

Note: This evening organizers do not provide meals as many people will go to visit Sopot or Old Town in Gdańsk, where plenty of good restaurants serve meals up to 22.00. Also the restaurant in the Novotel Gdansk Marina Hotel serves meals.

**28<sup>th</sup> September 2017 (Thursday)**

<b>8:00-18:00</b>	Field trip, packed lunch
<b>20:00</b>	Symposium dinner – closing the symposium

**29<sup>th</sup> September 2017 (Friday)**

Breakfast (for people having accommodation in Novotel Gdansk Marina Hotel)