

ANNOUNCEMENT NO. 2

INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS
and
INSTITUTE OF LAW, ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATION
UNIVERSITY OF THE NATIONAL EDUCATION COMMISSION IN KRAKOW

cordially invite you to participate

in the 2nd International Conference
CONTEXTS OF SOCIAL POLICY AND SOCIAL WORK
POLICY – MANAGEMENT – EDUCATION



which will be held on June 10-11, 2025, in Krakow

HONORARY PATRONAGE

Łukasz Smółka, Marshal of the Małopolska Region
Prof. dr hab. Piotr Borek, Rector of the University of the National Education
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Polish Association of Schools of Social Work



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Given the complexity and unpredictability of reality, considering socio-cultural conditions, humans have always sought new challenges and contexts of existence. In the context of these pursuits, an interdisciplinary approach, scientific analyses, and practical actions are needed, fitting into the contemporary space of social services at the level of social policy, management, and education. Therefore, the aim of the conference is to exchange interdisciplinary knowledge and experiences regarding contemporary challenges in social policy, education and management. In the face of dynamic socio-political, technological and economic changes, it is necessary to deepen the discussion on effective strategies and solutions.

The issues addressed during the conference will focus on the broadly understood area of policy, management and education. Today, in the era of technological changes, addressing social aspects is extremely important and inspiring for science. Contemporary problems, social changes, development dynamics, globalization, crises, individual functioning, challenges in the area of social issues, growing inequalities, and development policy demand interdisciplinary knowledge in the field of social policy, management and education. The starting point in the undertaken scientific discourse is to develop innovative strategies, scientific discussions in the area of social services, management of organizations, institutions and human resources.

The proposed conference topics pose many questions to contemporary individuals and institutions: How to achieve the highest possible efficiency of undertaken actions today? Who and how should shape the intricacies of scientific development in the studied areas in a globalized world? How to conduct and solve the problems of contemporary humans innovatively and creatively? How to face the challenges of contemporary social services related to social policy, management and education? How to help individuals find themselves in the market of social impact? What competencies and skills will help utilize human resources and potential in professional temporality? What attitudes can respond to the challenges of the 21st century in the context of social policy, management and education?

These questions should become your answers as representatives of various scientific disciplines, within which scientific processes and practical approaches are analyzed, considering the appropriate, personal theoretical perspective and research instruments. In this context, the Conference should be an interdisciplinary and multidimensional reflection, as well as a scientific discourse around social policy, management and education. The gathering of theorists and practitioners will contribute to solutions and new perspectives in various spheres of social life, find social impact and influence the professionalization of social services. A unique dimension will be building scientific relationships in the context of social policy and social work in terms of policy, management and education.

The proposed international conference, to which we cordially invite you, is the second cyclical scientific event organized by the Institute of Management and Social Affairs and the Institute of Law, Economics and Administration of the University of the National Education Commission in Krakow. The previous international conference "Contexts of Social Work and Social Policy" (2023) focused on social work and social policy in urban and rural areas.





CONFERENCE THEMES

As part of the 2nd International Conference “Contexts of Social Policy and Social Work. Policy – Management – Education”, we would like to propose a scholarly meeting around the following topics:

- social policy and social work in relation to various areas of assistance and support
- contemporary crises as challenges for social policy, education and management
- social, economic and cultural conditions of education
- policy, education and management in environmental protection
- strategic management in social assistance
- social and educational changes – family, work, school
- manager in social services
- modern technologies in social policy, management and education
- international experiences in social policy, security and education
- management of social economy entities as learning organizations in a model approach
- the role of non-governmental organizations and social economy in supporting communities at risk of exclusion
- policy, management and education for national security, particularly societal and social security
- shaping professional careers in the field of education and social assistance
- social policy at global, regional, and local levels
- human resource management in social policy and education
- directions of development in social policy, social work and management – temporal dimension (present and future)
- family in social services: social policy, management, education
- aging society – challenges for social policy, social work, management and education
- Migration policy in social assistance services – integration, inclusion, environment
- centers for the integration of foreigners as elements of international policy
- time management – balancing professional activities with social and family roles
- quality management in social services
- leadership in local development and project management

We warmly encourage you to prepare presentations on the above topics or others related to the main theme of the conference. We believe that your participation will enrich the discussion and contribute to the development of valuable conclusions.





CONFERENCE VENUE

June 10, 2025

**COGITEON
MAŁOPOLSKA SCIENCE
CENTER**

STEFANA STECA STREET 1, 31-866 Krakow

The access map is available at the following link: <https://cogiteon.pl/kontakt>

June 11, 2025

**UNIVERSITY OF THE
NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL
COMMISSION, KRAKOW**

PODCHORAŻYCH STREET 2, 30-084 Krakow, [Access map](#)

REGISTRATION

Please submit your conference participation applications **by April 15, 2025**. Registration can be completed on the Conference website under the "Registration" tab: <https://konteksty.uken.krakow.pl/>. We also kindly ask you to fill out, sign and send a scanned copy of the GDPR consent form to the email address: konteksty2025@uken.krakow.pl. The form is available at the following link: <https://konteksty.uken.krakow.pl/dla-uczestnikow/rejestracja/>.

CONFERENCE FEE

The conference fee is **650.00 PLN**. It covers organizational costs, conference materials, meals, accompanying events and publication costs upon receiving positive reviews, but does not include accommodation and travel expenses. The fee should be paid by **May 7, 2025**, to the account number PEKAO S.A. 40 1240 6292 1111 0011 2338 2293. For international transactions: PKO S.A. IBAN PL 78 1240 4722 1978 0000 4851 6422, SWIFT Code: PKOPPLPW. Participants are responsible for booking and paying for their own accommodation and travel expenses.

Recipient of the transfer: University of the National Education Commission in Krakow, ul. Podchorążych 2, 30-084 Krakow. Transfer title: DK-531 first name and last name (e.g., DK-531 John Kowalski).





POST-CONFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

We have planned the publication of articles in peer-reviewed scientific journals (subject to positive review). Therefore, we kindly ask that articles for publication be submitted **by May 30, 2025**. Journal titles: "Studia ad Didacticam Scientiarum Socialium Pertinentia", "Annales Universitatis Paedagogicae Cracoviensis. Studia Politologica", "Przegląd Policyjny".

PROGRAM INFORMATION

The program of this conference, including all necessary information, will be sent by **May 30, 2025**, after the submitted presentation topics have been approved.

RECOMMENDED ACCOMMODATIONS

1. Hotel Swing****

Dobrego Pasterza Street 124, 31-416 Kraków

Phone number +48 12 311 11 11, +48 885 300 081

e-mail: hotelswing@hotelswing.pl

<https://www.hotelswing.pl/oferty>

A 10% discount is guaranteed for conference participants using the code **uken**. To take advantage of the discount, reservations must be made through the hotel's website or by phone. To benefit from the discount, do not make reservations on booking.com.

2. Academic Hotel Center – „Krakowiak”

Armii Krajowej Street 9-9a, 30-150 Kraków

Phone number: +48 12 662 64 55

e-mail: hotel@up.krakow.pl, krakowiak@up.krakow.pl

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