



**Tarnowskie Góry, 5 – 7 June 2019**

## **THIRD CIRCULAR**

### **Conference programme**

The Conference programme is available as downloadable pdf file at the web page:  
<http://conference.carbon14.pl/13thMAC/>

The printed version of programme and "Book of abstracts" will be included in conference kits.

### **Oral presentations**

The time for oral presentation is 15 minutes and 5 minutes for discussion (20 minutes in total). The conference room will be equipped with the computer (MS Windows) and the projector. Please prepare your presentation compatible with Power Point. We recommend also to have an emergency pdf version.

We kindly ask the speakers to copy the files to the computer before the session. The files will be secured and deleted after the conference.

The conference will be accompanied by a mini-workshop, open to all conference participants. Two morning lectures covering the basics of radiocarbon and luminescence dating methods will be delivered on 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> June.

### **Poster presentations**

All the posters will be displayed during the conference time. The stands will be numbered consecutively according to the order listed in the programme. The area for one poster can accommodate printouts of max. 65 cm width and max. 135 cm length (in portrait orientation). The pins and adhesives necessary to mount the posters will be available on site.

### **Venue**

Tarnowskie Góry is a town in Upper Silesia (southern Poland), located in the Silesian Highlands near Katowice (25 km) and Gliwice (20 km), and ca. 20 km from the Katowice-Pyrzowice airport.

The conference will be held at the Opera Hotel (<http://operahotel.pl>; ul. Zamkowa 1, 42-600 Tarnowskie Góry, Poland), a minute walk from the Town Square, adorned by old romantic Renaissance buildings, the 17<sup>th</sup>-century Protestant church, the impressive town-hall. The area is spotted with bars and restaurants. On the outskirts of the town a swim can be taken at the Water Park.

### **Accommodation**

The accommodation will be managed by hotel reception. Please contact the hotel via e-mail ([hotelopera@wp.pl](mailto:hotelopera@wp.pl)) and include "MACh 2019" in a subject to make your reservation.

# Travel

**Plane:** The nearest airport is Katowice-Pyrzowice (KTW), ca. 20 km from Tarnowskie Góry (ca. 30 min drive).

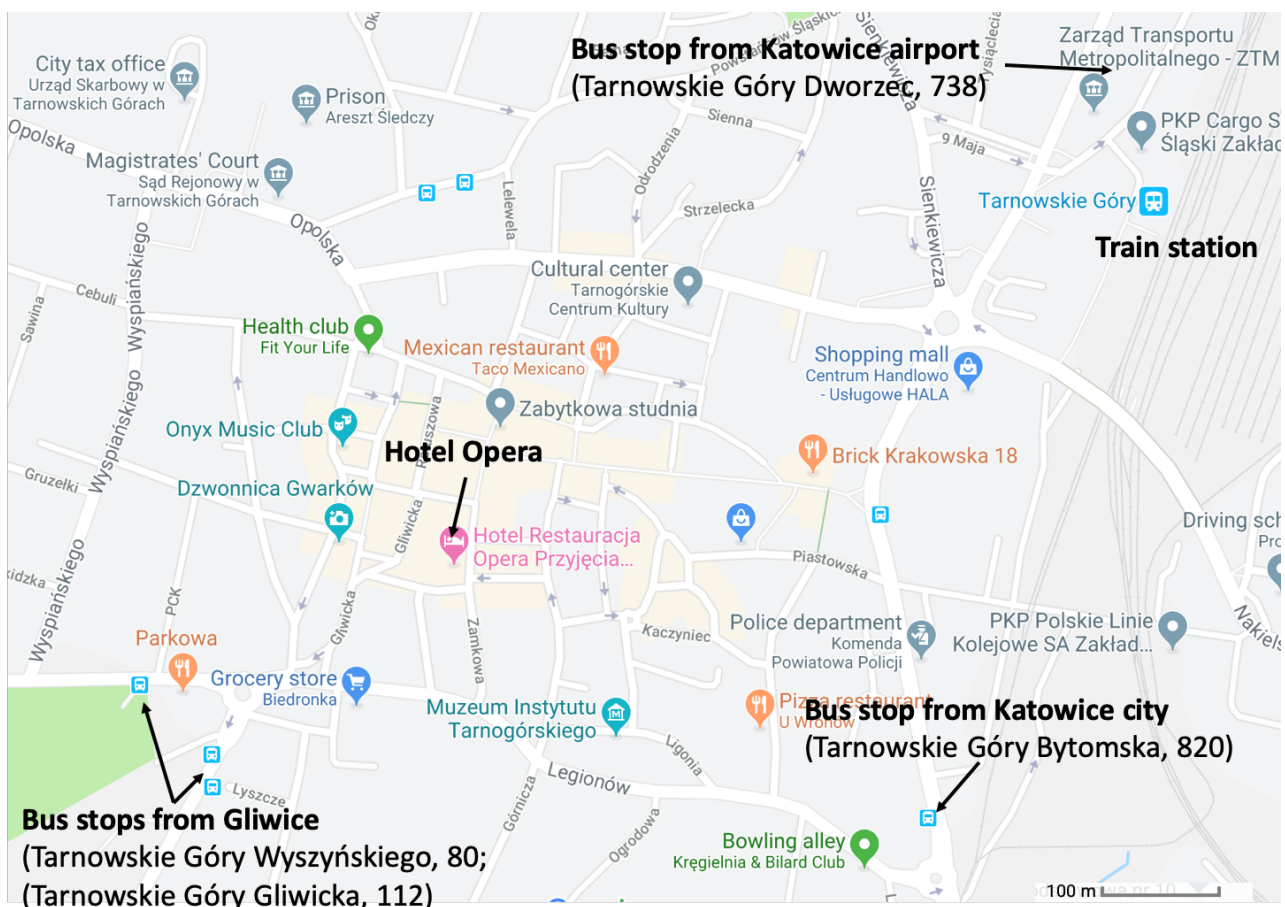
**Taxi:** The approximate cost of taxi to Hotel Opera in Tarnowskie Góry from Airport Katowice-Pyrzowice is ca. 100 PLN (24 EUR). We recommend using the official carrier Airport called "TAXI Service Association" (<http://taxipyrzowice.pl/en>).

**Train:** The nearest railway station is Tarnowskie Góry (ca. 1 km from Hotel Opera). For schedule please check: <https://rozkład-pkp.pl/en>.

**Local Bus Transport:** The transport is carried out by ZTM, Metropolitan Transport Authority (<https://www.metropoliaztm.pl/en/>). Single ticket for travel in 2 or more cities is price at 4.80 PLN (ca. 1.2 EUR). The main bus stop in Tarnowskie Góry is "Tarnowskie Góry Dworzec" and all the buses end their journeys there. It's located ca. 1 km from Hotel Opera.

Following lines can be recommended:

- From Katowice-Pyrzowice airport:
  - "Pyrzowice Port Lotniczy" to "Tarnowskie Góry Dworzec", line 738 option Z, Direction: Świerklaniec Park, travel time ca. 1 hour  
<https://rj.metropoliaztm.pl/rozkłady/1-738/42772/0/179316/>
- From Katowice city:
  - "Katowice Piotra Skargi" to "Tarnowskie Góry Bytomska", line 820, Direction: Tarnowskie Góry Dworzec, travel time ca.1 hour  
<https://rj.metropoliaztm.pl/rozkłady/1-820/43634/0/178862/>
- From Gliwice:
  - "Gliwice Plac Piastów" to "Tarnowskie Góry Gliwicka", line 112, Direction: Tarnowskie Góry Dworzec, travel time ca. 50 min  
<https://rj.metropoliaztm.pl/rozkłady/1-112/43466/0/158737/97727585/#97727585>
  - "Gliwice Plac Piastów" to "Tarnowskie Góry Wyszyńskiego", line 80, Direction: Tarnowskie Góry Dworzec, travel time ca. 1 hour  
<https://rj.metropoliaztm.pl/rozkłady/1-80/43465/1/158737/97727095/#97727095>



## Conference trip

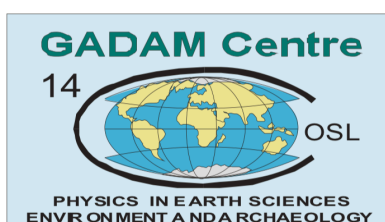
The trip to the [Historic Silver Mine \(https://kopalnia srebra.pl/en/homepage/\)](https://kopalnia srebra.pl/en/homepage/) in Tarnowskie Góry (UNESCO World Heritage List) will be organised on the Thursday afternoon. Please note that the temperature underground (40.5 m) is constant the whole year through and is about 10 Celsius degrees.

We recommend taking warm clothes and comfortable flat-soled shoes. We will need to walk ca. 1.8 km route underground. There are no age limits for children and seniors, although people suffering from spine ailments, claustrophobia and cardiology problems should consult their physician first.

## Conference publications

There is a possibility to publish presentation (oral or poster) in the open-access journal "Geochronometria" (<https://content.sciendo.com/view/journals/geochr/geochr-overview.xml>), following the regular reviewing procedure. We have a pleasure to inform you that selected manuscripts will be published without a fee. We encourage the authors to submit the manuscripts before 30<sup>th</sup> July 2019.

## Conference organisers



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