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Cultural Heritage Biodeterioration

Preservation of cultural heritage is crucial worldwide, since microbial colonization may lead to irretrievable loss and severe deterioration. Therefore, it is our aim to preserve cultural heritage for the present and future generations and to create the possibility of a personal contact with history.

Beata Gutarowska
Head of Organizing Committee
The Director of Institute of Fermentation
Technology and Microbiology
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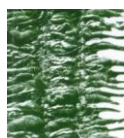
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Sessions

- ✓ Biodeterioration of historical buildings, monuments, frescos, wall paintings
- ✓ Biodeterioration of archival documents, paper, photos
- ✓ Biodeterioration of historical textiles
- ✓ Biodeterioration of historical wood
- ✓ Biodeterioration of historical objects stored under water
- ✓ Methods of investigation
- ✓ Protection, disinfection, conservation methods

Scientific Committee

John Gillatt, Christine Gaylarde, Flavia Pinzari, Beata Gutarowska, Geoffrey Daniel, Brenda Little, Katja Sterflinger, Thomas Warscheid

Poster Committee

John Gillatt, Christine Gaylarde, Domenico Pangallo, Guadalupe Piñar, Asunción de los Ríos, Brenda Little, Alina Kunicka-Styczyńska



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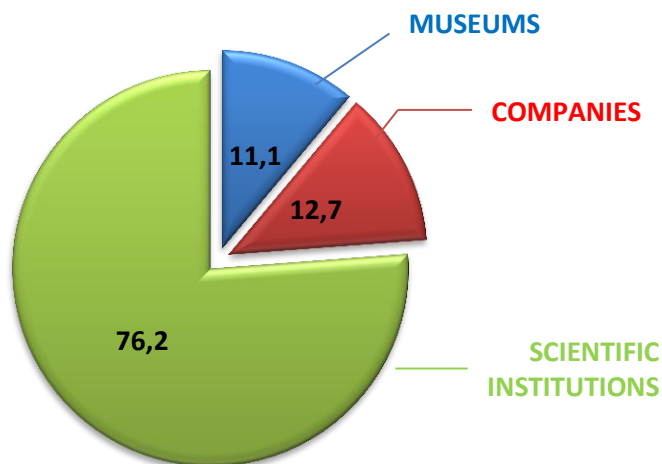
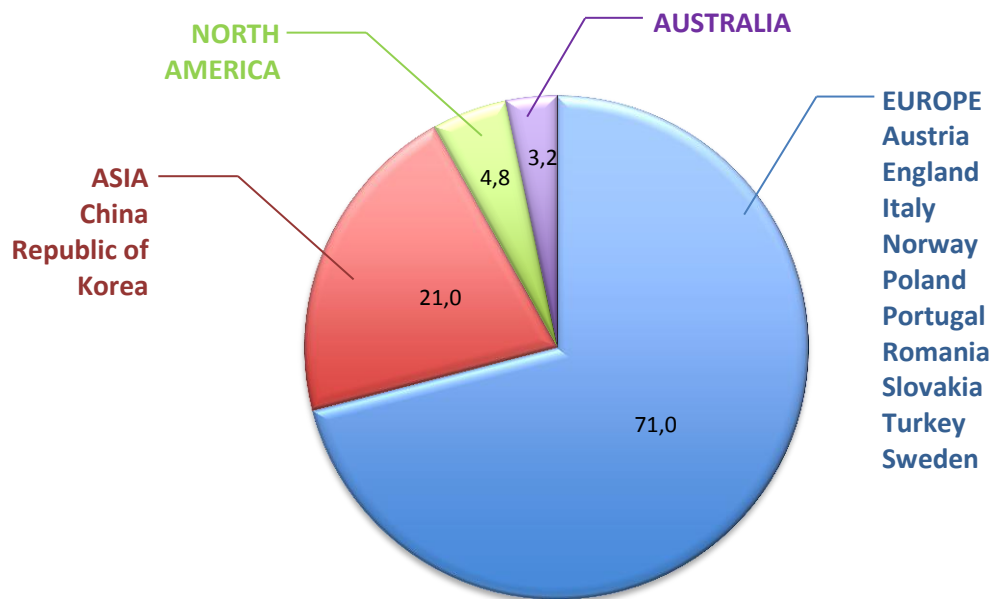
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Museum of King Jan III's Palace at Wilanów

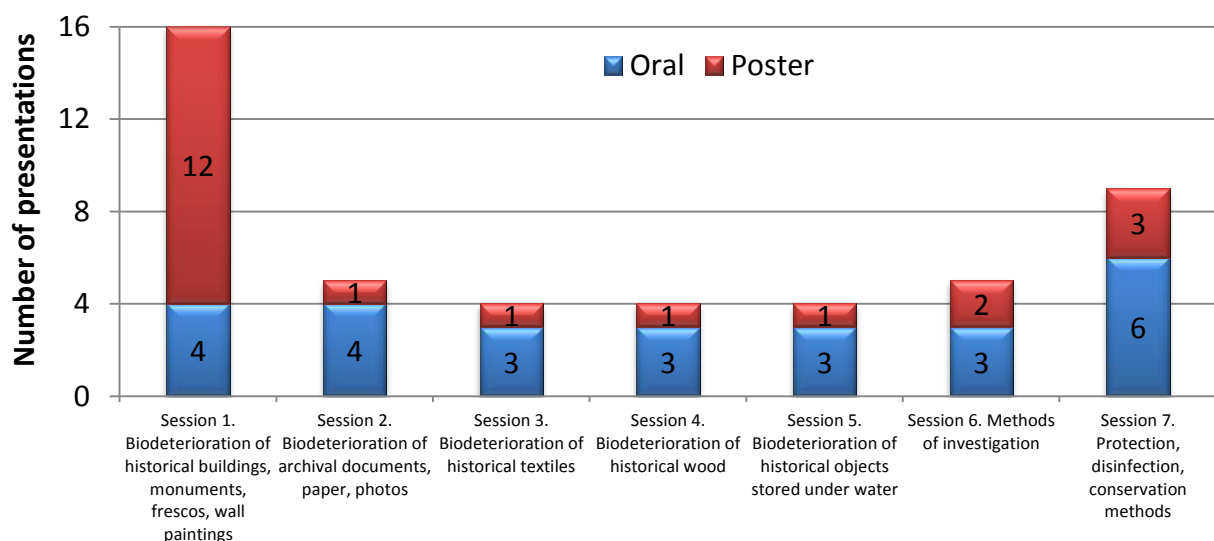
Agnieszka Laudy

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Conference participants profile



63 participants from 15 countries took part in the *International Conference of Biodeterioration & Protection of Cultural Heritage*. There were presented 26 lectures and 21 posters



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Thank you for great evening!

Apart from the excellent technical quality of the presentations, delegates were privileged to attend the Conference Dinner, which, in usual IBBS and Łódź form, included much social interaction and even lessons in Polish folk dancing!



Folk Dance Group *Harnam*

See you
next time
in Łódź!



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Testimonials

This is just a short note to say once again great thanks for a very nice time in Lodz. As usual the conference was very well organized and the hospitality excellent. And the weather – I don't think this could have been better. Lodz seems to have changed very much already in the last two years. It is amazing what is happening.

Geoffrey Daniel
Swedish University of
Agricultural Sciences, Sweden



Thank you again for the great hospitality and organization. It is nice to see a research team so functional and cohesive. The guys who worked with you were really good. I make you my sincere congratulations for the work done and hope in future collaborations.

Flavia Pinzari
CREA, Italy
Natural History Museum of London,
UK

I would like to thank of all organizing committee. Please give my thank to all. I have passed very reminiscent time not only during the congress but also in Lodz and Warsaw.

Parisa Mohammadi
Alzahra University, Iran

Thanks a million for the conference in Lodz, it was really wonderful! Both the meeting and people there impressed me a lot. Now I like Poland so much that hope to travel there again with my family and friends.

Qinya Ge
Chinese Academy of Cultural
Heritage, China

Please check

Film and photographs from the conference: www.biodeterioration2016;
<https://youtu.be/54EP979jR1g>

Film *Biodeterioration and Culture Heritage Protection*: www.biodeterioration2016;
<https://youtu.be/meU8X2WQeAc>

Suggestions for future conference ideas or themes may be sent to:
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