

INVITATION

International Scientific Conference

„SUSTAINABLE USE OF PLANT BIOMASS. TECHNICAL, TECHNOLOGICAL, ENVIRONMENTAL, AND LEGAL PROBLEMS”



The Conference aims to organize a meeting of scientists and practitioners from various countries, mainly V4, so that they can present their scientific achievements and discuss problems of production, quality, and use of solid fuels derived from plant biomass.

MAIN TOPICS

- Technologies, techniques, and problems of obtaining plant biomass for energy purposes
- Pellet and briquette production technologies and techniques
- Physical, chemical, and mechanical properties of biomass and solid fuels
- Processes and products of biomass combustion, torrefaction, and pyrolysis
- Legal conditions, barriers, and limitations in the production and use of solid fuels from biomass in the V4 countries

CONFERENCE DATE: January 14-16, 2026

CONFERENCE VENUE: Ośrodek Szkoleniowo Wypoczynkowy w Krynicy-Zdroju, Leśny Zakład Doświadczalny, ul. Ludowa 12-14, 33-380 Krynica-Zdrój, Poland, <https://krynica.urk.edu.pl>

PAYMENTS INFORMATION: Participation in the conference is free of charge. The Visegrad Fund finances the conference. We provide participants with accommodation, meals, and conference materials. Conference participants cover their own travel costs.

REGISTRATION: Please fill out the registration form (file "registration-form.docx") and send it to arkadiusz_gendek@sggw.edu.pl by **30 November 2025**.

LANGUAGE: The official language of the International Conference is English

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Wednesday, January 14, 2026

15.00 – 18.00	Registration of the participants
18.00 – 18.30	Opening of the conference
18.30 – 22.00	Welcome dinner

Thursday, January 15, 2026

7.00 – 8.30	Breakfast
9.00 – 13.30	Plenary session, discussion in sessions and coffee break
13.30 – 14.30	Lunch
14.30 – 18.00	Plenary session, discussion in sessions and coffee break / Field session
19.00 – 24.00	Gala dinner

Friday, January 16, 2026

7.00 – 8.30	Breakfast
9.00 – 12.30	Discussion in sessions and coffee break
12.30 – 13.00	End of the conference
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch and departure

The conference program is subject to change. A detailed program will be sent at a later date.