

SIXTH GLOBAL PARTNERS IN EDUCATION CONFERENCE
KROSNO 5-8 MAY 2013

MONDAY 6th MAY,

9.00-9.30 **Auditorium, Kazimierza Wielkiego 4**

Opening Ceremony

9.30-10.00 Time for pictures

10.00-10.30 Coffee break

10:30 – 11:00, **Auditorium, Kazimierza Wielkiego 4**

General discussion of training needs for GPE teachers and technicians & a certification process

Chairs: Jami Leibowitz and Biwu Yang

11:00-12.30 Concurrent sessions in groups (choose one):

Auditorium, Kazimierza Wielkiego 4

Discussion of training needs of GU teachers and development of teacher certification

Chair: Jami Leibowitz

Room B202, Rynek 1

Discussion of training needs of GU technical support personnel and development of GU Technical Support Certification.

Chair: Biwu Yang

12.30-14.00 Lunch

14.00-15.00 **Senate Room, Rynek 1**

The Spirit of the Core and the Collaborative Project.

Chair: Jami Leibowitz, Heidi Luchsinger

15.00-15.30 Coffee break

15.30-17.00 **Senate Room, Rynek 1**

Presentations by GPE partners. What works? What challenges we face?

Chair: Władysław Witalisz

- Nilüfer Pembecioğlu, Istanbul University, Turkey, “Istanbul University Global Understanding Project”
- Kathrin Ullrich, Universidad Regiomontana, Mexico, "Using already existing GU-Technologies for college internationalization and teacher training"
- Mariko Eguchi, University of Shimane, Japan, “Effects of Video-conferencing on Non-native Speakers’ English Proficiency”
- Mariella Olivos, Escuela de Administracion de Negocios, Peru, “Virtual teams experience”
- Nadezhda Rudenko, Ural State Pedagogical University, Russian Federation, Marion Eppler, East Carolina University, USA, “Time Survey: ECU-USPU Collaborative Project”
- Sean White, Ryukoku University, Japan, “Global Understanding at Ryukoku University, Japan: A Progress Report”

17.30-19.30 Visit to the Glass Heritage Centre

20.00 Dinner

TUESDAY 7th MAY, All day at the Auditorium, Kazimierza Wielkiego 4

9.00 - 9.15 GPE.org report. Elmer Poe

9:15 – 10:00 Global Leadership. Chairs: Austin Bunch and Leslie Pagliari

10.00-10.30 GPE journal. Chairs: Biwu Yang and Marion Eppler

10.00-10.30 Coffee break

11.00-12.00 Discussion of alternative formats for GU. Chairs: Jami Leibowitz and Mariella Olivos

12.00-12.30 The GU Wiki and its use in the classroom. Chairs: Jami Leibowitz and Chris Brighton

12.30-14.00 Lunch

14.00-14.30 Presentations by GPE partners. What works? What challenges we face?

Chair: Władysław Chłopicki

- Charles Iruonagbe, Covenant University, Nigeria, “GPE Initiative: The Covenant University Experience”
- Władysław Witalisz, Chris Brighton, Krosno State College, Poland, “From the peripheries to the global world: Krosno College experience with GPE and internationalization”

14.30-15.30 The GU Wiki tutorial. Chair: Jami Leibowitz

15.30-16.00 Coffee break

16.00-17.00 GPE beyond GU - possibilities of other courses and collaborations.

Chairs: Leslie Pagliari and Kathrin Ulrich

18.00 Departure from the hotel for the conference banquet in a mansion outside Krosno
Annual GPE award ceremony. Austin Bunch and Rosina Chia

WEDNESDAY 8th MAY, All day in the Senate Room, Rynek 1

9.00-9.30 The GU Wiki tutorial continued. Chair: Jami Leibowitz

9.30-11.00 Brainstorm session. The Secretariat

11.00-11.30 Conclusions and closing ceremony

11:30 – 12:00 Announcement of GPE VII and VIII, Nilüfer Pembecioğlu and Lynn Bu

12.00-13.00 Lunch

13.00 Departure for Kraków airport, train station (or city centre) – beginning of Educational Cultural Field Seminar