

**The State School of Higher Education in Chełm – Department of International Relations  
Chełm Scientific Association  
Self-government of Chełm municipality  
Vytautas Magnus University (Lithuania)\*  
Vasyl Stefanyk Subcarpathian National University(Ukraine)\***

**invite to participate in the international scientific conference  
'The Studies on Local Governments in Central and Eastern Europe'**

**THE CHALLENGES FOR THE SELF-GOVERNMENT OF EASTERN  
POLAND CONCERNING THE REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

*Chełm, 24 -25<sup>th</sup> October, 2016*

**AIMS OF THE CONFERENCE:**

The main aim of the conference is the exchange of opinions, scientific concepts and experiences forming the bases of the development of self-government of Eastern Poland and other Eastern and Central European countries in accordance with sustainable development objectives. During the conference we will analyze the changes affecting the local government with regard to economic, legal, environmental, social and political aspects taking into account different scientific approaches- local, regional, national and international. A significant aim of the conference is to define the role, tasks and status of a local government in Eastern Poland and Eastern and Central Europe with respect to the new challenges of regional development as well as identify the improvements in this respect.

**SUBJECT:**

- 1. The role of local government in the formation of sustainable development;*
- 2. Regional development in the context of the possibilities of investment and business operation;*
- 3. Local government instruments to promote the development of business, export, transport and freight forwarding;*
- 4. The role of local government in the creation of the appropriate economic, financial and legal conditions for the economic development of Eastern Poland in the co-operation with the countries of Eastern and Central Europe;*
- 5. Development strategies in the local government in comparison with the real needs of regional development;*
- 6. Social, economic and political potential of local government in Eastern Poland as compared to development possibilities.*

**ACCOMPANYING EVENTS:**

The Second City Contest in the Knowledge about Local Government; During the conference the winners of the contest will receive their prizes.

The results of the conference will be published by means of: reviewed publications, press, radio, tv, website

Conference languages: Polish, Ukrainian, English, Russian

**HONORARY PATRONAGE:**

Agata Fisz – The Mayor of Chełm,

Józef Zając – Senator of the Republic of Poland, the Rector of PWSZ in Chełm

## **SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE**

*Józef Zając*  
*Beata Fałda*  
*Waldemar Bednaruk*  
*Iwona Koza*

## **ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION: The Conference Organizational Committee:**

*Zygmunt Gardziński*  
*Iwona Lasek-Surowiec*  
*Marcin Oskierko*

The conference fee is **120 PLN**.

There is the possibility to book the accommodation in the Academic Centre of Cross-Border Cooperation in Depułtycze Nowe at the cost of **54 PLN/night**. The food is included in the price.

The application form (see below) should be sent before the **5<sup>th</sup> September 2016** on the e-mail address: **isurowiec@pwsz.chelm.pl**

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**The rest of organizational details will be given by the organizers in the next message sent by the organizers of the conference.**

**APPLICATION FORM  
TO THE INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE**

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<b>Name and surname:</b>	
<b>Degree, position:</b>	
<b>Institution:</b>	
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<b>The title of the paper:</b>	
<b>Summary (about 100-150 words):</b>	
<b>Important information for the organizers:</b>	

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*(date and signature)*