MARIA CURIE-SKŁODOWSKA UNIVERSITY

CALL FOR PAPERS

CONRAD'S FOOTPRINTS.

SIXTH INTERNATIONAL JOSEPH CONRAD CONFERENCE AT MARIA CURIE-SKŁODOWSKA UNIVERSITY, LUBLIN, POLAND

Date of the conference: 20-24 July, 2016

Date of the study tour of Conrad's footprints: 24-30 July, 2016

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CIRCULAR I

The Centre for Conrad Studies, English Department, Maria Curie-Skłodowska University, Lublin, Poland, will have the honour and pleasure to host its Sixth International Joseph Conrad Conference between July 20 and 24, 2016. Conradians and students and lovers of Conrad are heartily invited to attend.

The scholarly proceedings (in English) will consist of papers on various aspects of Joseph Conrad's life and works, and related themes, including Conrad's Polish and East-Central European contexts. Selected papers from the conference will appear in two peer-reviewed volumes of the series *Conrad: Eastern and Western Perspectives*, published by Maria Curie-Skłodowska University Press Lublin and distributed internationally by Columbia University Press New York.

From 24 to 30 July, following the conference, we plan a study tour of Conrad's footprints in either Ukraine (taking in Lviv/Lvov, Berdychiv/Berdychev, Zhytomyr and Terechova) or Poland (taking in Lublin and environs, Cracow, Zakopane and Warsaw) – a final choice of one of these options will be made in January 2016 (depending on the political situation in Ukraine) and proposed to the conference participants in Circular III.

Please send a declaration of your intended participation in the conference (either with or without a contributed paper) to the conference e-mail address. If you know any academics who might have an interest in our conference, please encourage them to respond.

Circular II will be sent in September 2015 to those who declare their participation in the conference. It will inform mainly about financial principles of the conference and principles for abstracts submission.

Lublin, March 2015

Prof. Dr Hab. Wiesław Krajka Chairman of the Organizing Committee