



# AGENDA

## Day 1 Program – June 1, 2026

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

### GUEST REGISTRATION

Guest registration and welcome coffee

9:30 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.

### OFFICIAL CONFERENCE OPENING

Official inauguration of the conference and speeches by honorary guests

- **Arkadiusz Marchewka**, Secretary of State at the Ministry of Infrastructure
- **Mateusz Balcerowicz**, President, State Water Holding Polish Waters
- **Rafał Bruski**, Mayor, City of Bydgoszcz
- **Michał Szybel**, Voivode of the Kuyavian-Pomeranian Region

9:50 a.m. - 10:05 a.m.

### SPECIAL GUEST

**Winston Yu** - Water Practice Manager for the Europe and Central Asia Region at the World Bank

10:05 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.

### SPECIAL GUEST

**Professor, Associate Paweł Rowiński, PhD** - Polish Academy of Sciences

10:20 a.m. - 10:25 a.m.

### Reading of the Letter from the Minister of Digital Affairs

Reading of the Letter from the Minister of Digital Affairs, **Krzysztof Gawkowski**

10:25 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

### BREAK

During the break, a press briefing will be held with the participation of:

- **Arkadiusz Marchewka**, Secretary of State at the Ministry of Infrastructure
- **Mateusz Balcerowicz**, President, State Water Holding Polish Waters
- **Rafał Bruski**, Mayor, City of Bydgoszcz
- **Michał Szybel**, Voivode of the Kuyavian-Pomeranian Region
- **Robert Czerniawski**, Director, Institute of Meteorology and Water Management

10:25 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

### BREAK

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

### 1st PANEL SESSION

**Title: Water management of tomorrow – available water resources, water for energy, water in agriculture.**

**Moderator: Professor Associate Eng. Zbigniew Kledyński, PhD, Warsaw University of Technology**

#### Panelists:

- **Mateusz Balcerowicz**, President, State Water Holding Polish Waters
- **Professor Associate Eng. Tomasz Okruszko**, Warsaw University of Life Sciences
- **Professor Associate Eng. Janusz Lewandowski**, Chairman of the Committee on Energy Problems of the Polish Academy of Sciences
- **Professor Associate Artur Magnuszewski, PhD, University of Warsaw**

**Q&A - 15 minutes**

1:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

### BREAK

1:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

### 2nd PANEL SESSION

**Title: From water deficit to water surplus – how to cope with climate change and anthropogenic pressure.**

**Moderator: Professor Associate Mateusz Grygoruk, PhD, Warsaw University of Life Sciences**

#### Panelists:

- **Professor Associate Eng. Tamara Tokarczyk, PhD**, Institute of Meteorology and Water Management – National Research Institute
- **Paweł Przygodzki, PhD**, Institute of Meteorology and Water Management – National Research Institute
- **Eng. Andrzej Kapusta, PhD**, Inland Fisheries Institute – National Research Institute
- **Eng. Ilona Biedroń, PhD**, Institute of Meteorology and Water Management – National Research Institute
- **Louis Courseau**, Ministry of Climate and Environment – Department of Climate Strategy and Resilience

**Q&A - 15 minutes**

2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

### BREAK

**3:15 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. 3rd PANEL SESSION**

**Title:** River – a safe space for people and business.

**Moderator:** Professor Associate Michał Habel, PhD, Casimir the Great University in Bydgoszcz

**Panelists:**

- Dawid Szatten, PhD, Casimir the Great University in Bydgoszcz
- Marcin Karasiński, Vistula Tourist Organization
- Łukasz Krupa, Vice-Mayor of the City of Bydgoszcz
- Witold Witkowski, President at La Mare Sp. z o.o.

**Q&A - 15 minutes**

**5:00 p.m. - 5:10 p.m. SUMMARY AND CLOSING OF THE FIRST DAY OF THE CONGRESS****5:10 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. GUIDED WALK AROUND THE CITY OF BYDGOSZCZ****Day 2 Program – June 2, 2026****9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. GUEST REGISTRATION**

Guest registration and welcome coffee

**9:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. 1st PANEL SESSION**

**Title:** A city in synergy with water.

**Moderator:** Professor Associate Michał Habel, PhD, Casimir the Great University in Bydgoszcz

**Panelists:**

- Professor Associate Krystian Obolewski, PhD, Casimir the Great University in Bydgoszcz
- Stanisław Drzewiecki, President of the Municipal Water and Sewerage Company in Bydgoszcz
- Patryk Mikołajewski, Mayor of Koronowo
- Roman Rogalski, President of the Vistula Employers' Association Lewiatan

**Q&A - 15 minutes**

**11:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. BREAK****11:30 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. 2nd PANEL SESSION**

**Title:** Localism and self-government in water management.

**Moderator:** Professor Associate, Eng. Zbigniew Kledyński, PhD, Warsaw University of Technology

**Panelists:**

- Marcin Jarzyński, Deputy President of Polish Waters for Flood and Drought Protection
- Marian Błachut, Head of Czechowice-Dziedzice
- Andrzej Siudy, Head of the Goczałkowice and Kozłowa Góra Water Reservoirs
- Stanisław Drzewiecki, President of the Municipal Water and Sewerage Company in Bydgoszcz
- Eng. Antoni Bojarski, PhD, Krakow University of Technology

**Q&A - 15 minutes**

**1:15 p.m. - 1:50 p.m. BREAK**

During the break, a contract for the renovation of the Nakło waterfront will be officially signed.

**1:50 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. 3rd PANEL SESSION**

**Title:** Water – between the needs of people and nature.

**Moderator:** Professor Associate Mateusz Grygoruk, PhD, Warsaw University of Life Sciences

**Panelists:**

- Eng. Marek Ksepko, PhD, Office of Forest Management and Forest Geodesy
- Eng. Adam Tański, PhD, West Pomeranian University of Technology in Szczecin
- MSc Eng. Maciej Humiczewski, Institute of Meteorology and Water Management – National Research Institute
- Jerzy Kozyra, PhD, Institute of Cultivation, Fertilization and Soil Science in Puławy
- Jerzy Niedbała, State Water Holding Polish Waters

**Q&A - 15 minutes**

**3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. OFFICIAL END OF THE CONGRESS**

- Mateusz Balcerowicz, President, State Water Holding Polish Waters
- Rafał Bruski, Mayor, City of Bydgoszcz
- Robert Czerniawski, Director, Institute of Meteorology and Water Management – National Research Institute