

# THE CENTRE FOR AZERBAIJANI STUDIES Celebration Event

THE CENTRE FOR AZERBAIJANI STUDIES UNDER THE FACULTY OF ORIENTAL STUDIES UW



## Ceremony in Commemoration of the 5th Anniversary of the Establishment of the Centre for Azerbaijani Studies

*The Centre for Azerbaijani Studies came into force in November 2018. The Founding Parties, Partners and the representatives of the student community will celebrate the progress made in the past five years and recognize the contributions of the Centre in promoting Azerbaijani history and culture in Poland*

### Time and Venue Information

**Date of event:**  
27th November 2023

**Time of event:**  
14:00 - 16:30

**Venue of event:**  
The Old Library Building,  
Hall 308

### Academic Session Agenda

**2:00 pm – 2:10 pm**

Welcoming guests

**2:10 am – 2:30 am**  
**Opening ceremonies**

1. Rector or Vice-Rector of UW

2. Prof. Piotr Taracha  
*Dean of the Faculty of Oriental Studies*

3. HE Ms. Nargiz Gurbanova  
*Ambassador of Azerbaijan to Poland*

4. Mr. Yusif Vazirov  
*Head of the section of AIDA of MFA of Azerbaijan*

5. Prof. Agata Bareja-Starzyńska  
*Head of the Department of Turkic Studies and Inner Asian Peoples*

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Documentary film presented by Embassy of Azerbaijan (5-6 min)

**2:40 am – 4:00 pm**  
**Invited speakers:**

1. Dr hab. Grażyna Zajac  
*(Jagiellonian University)*

“Moje spotkania z Azerbejdżanem i literaturą Azerbejdżanu.  
(My encounters with Azerbaijan and Azerbaijani literature)”

2. Dr. Dariusz Popek  
*(University of Rzeszów)*

Dr. Mariusz Marszewski  
*(University of Communication and Management in Poznań)*

“The beginnings of modern Polish research on Azerbaijan”

3. Dr. Paweł Stawarz  
*(Military University of Technology)*

“Energy policy of Azerbaijan as one of the main elements of building its strong position in international relations”

4. Dr. Kamila Stanek  
*(University of Warsaw)*

“Azərbaycan tapmacaları. Azərbaycani riddələr. Azerbejdżanские загадки”

5. Dr. Aneta Strzemżalska  
*(University of Warsaw)*

“Shusha is the cradle of the musical culture of Azerbaijan”

**4:00 pm – 4:10 pm**

Greetings from students

**Closing remarks**

Coffee with snacks

*This event is free and open to public. This event is hosted by the Centre for Azerbaijani Studies of the Faculty of Oriental Studies of UW.*