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in cooperation with

**The John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin**

and

**Vasyl Stefanyk Precarpathian National University in Ivano-Frankivsk**

**ARE PLEASED TO INVITE**

to the International Scientific Conference

***SECURITY IN CRISIS SITUATIONS***

***IN THE BORDER REGIONS***

***OF POLAND AND UKRAINE***

which will be held on

**17-18th NOVEMBER 2022**

at

**The John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin**

and

**via on-line platform**



Security issues have been one of the pillars of the CBC Programme Poland-Belarus-Ukraine in the Polish-Ukrainian borderland for almost 18 years. International scientific and practical conferences devoted to the most urgent issues of the border area and the support of the European Union dedicated for these regions have been organized under the Programme since 2017. This year's conference is its fifth edition. This year, the subject of the meeting will revolve around security in crisis and emergency situations which we have encountered in a special way in recent years. The most important of these include the COVID-19 pandemic and the aggression by the Russian Federation against Ukraine.

By organizing the International Conference entitled "Security in Crisis Situations in the Border Regions of Poland and Ukraine" in 2022 we want to encourage scientists to carry out a broadly understood analysis of security issues in crisis and emergency situations on the Polish-Ukrainian borderland in the context of projects implemented under the Cross-Border Cooperation Programme Poland-Belarus-Ukraine so far. We would like the meeting to become a specific platform for the exchange of experiences and observations related to the following topics:

1. Increasing the effectiveness of crisis and emergency prevention.
2. Socio-economic impact of crisis and emergency situations.
3. Coordination of the activities of services and inspections in the face of threats in crisis and emergency situations.
4. Reliable information on threats related to crisis and emergency situations by various information centres (including government institutions or the media).
5. Diversity of positions and opinions of experts and scientists in countering crisis and emergency situations.
6. Humanitarian assistance in crisis and emergency situations.

We count on your presence and thank you in advance for your personal contribution devoted to common considerations on the subject of security in the border region of Poland and Ukraine.

Working languages of the conference: Polish, Ukrainian and English.



## **ORGANISATIONAL INFORMATION**

In order to apply for participation in the Conference:

1. Please register via the electronic [application form](#).
2. Please prepare a short abstract of the speech in the national language (Polish/Ukrainian) or English (up to 1000 characters) and include it in the content of the electronic [application form](#).

Application deadlines:

- **October 28, 2022** - for participants from Ukraine;
- **October 28, 2022** - for participants from Poland.

Applications sent after the above-mentioned deadlines will not be considered.

Considering applications to participate in the Conference, a priority will be given to applicants who will address the subject of projects implemented / under implementation by Polish and Ukrainian beneficiaries under the Cross-border Cooperation Programme Poland-Belarus-Ukraine in their abstracts. Due to the suspension of cooperation with Belarus, the projects with the participation of Belarusian beneficiaries will not be considered.

The conference committee will select the most interesting abstracts and invite their authors to write and present their papers during the plenary session of the Conference. After the Conference, the papers will be published in the form of a collective publication in English.

Other participants will have the opportunity to present their abstracts in organized thematic groups.

We encourage potential participants of the Conference to become acquainted with the descriptions of projects implemented under the Programme in the 2014-2020 perspective and to take into account their topics in the planned speeches at the following links:

- **English language**  
<https://www.pbu2020.eu/en/projects2020>
- **Polish language**  
<https://www.pbu2020.eu/pl/projects2020>
- **Ukrainian language**  
<https://www.pbu2020.eu/ua/projects2020>

In case of interest in projects implemented under the Program in the 2007-2013 perspective, please contact the Programme Secretariat directly to the following e-mail address: **pbu@pbu2020.eu**.

The abstracts which will not correspond to the subject of the Conference, will not be taken into account.

The authors do not receive a fee for submitted abstracts, papers and published texts.

Detailed information on organizational matters will be sent to the qualified participants of the Conference.

Participation in the conference is free of charge, including meals and accommodation on 16-18 November 2022.