

Transitions

30th Conference of the Polish Association for the Study of English

1–3 July 2022, Jagiellonian University in Kraków

Conference venues

All conference sessions will take place at the **Institute of English Studies**, while the plenary lectures will be held at the **Faculty of Law and Administration**.

Both venues are in close proximity and within easy walking distance of each other.



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Accessibility

Both buildings are wheelchair accessible and have accessible toilets.

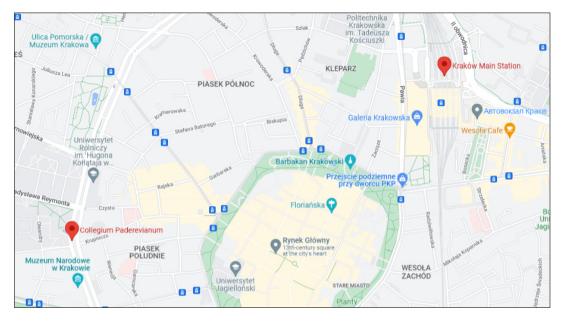
Travel

By rail and coach

Kraków Główny Train Station (Pawia 5A) and **MDA Bus Station in Kraków** (Bosacka 18) are located very close to the city centre. Adjacent to both buildings is a taxi rank and – within easy walking distance – tram and bus stops.

The journey to the main conference venue takes about 15 minutes:

- from Dworzec Główny Zachód (ul. Pawia): bus 179 to AGH/UR
- from **Dworzec Główny Wschód** (near the bus station): bus 792 to AGH/UR NB: by July the temporary bus 792 may have been replaced by the regular service no. 192
- from **Teatr Słowackiego** (ul. Lubicz, opposite Hotel Europejski): tram 4, 14, 20, or bus 124, 152, 424, 502 to Teatr Bagatela, then walk down ul. Krupnicza
- Link to the City Transport (MPK) website: www.mpk.krakow.pl/en





By air

John Paul II Kraków Balice International Airport is situated approximately 12 km east of the main conference venue. Adjacent to the Terminal 1 is a taxi rank and a bus stop: **Balice I 1**.

The journey to the main conference venue takes 25–40 minutes by taxi and 40 minutes by bus (no. 208 to Czarnowiejska + 650 m walk).

There is also a train connecting the airport with **Kraków Główny Train Station**. The journey takes about 20 minutes (recommended).

By car

The main conference venue does not offer parking spaces in the car park, and is located within the **A2 paid parking zone** (Mon.–Sat., 10:00–20:00; 6 PLN/hour).

Please note that the area is extremely busy and congested at all times. Additional parking is available in the **underground car park of the National Museum in Kraków** (accessible from Adam Mickiewicz Avenue) and on adjacent roads – all located within the A2 paid parking zone.

Parking in the zone must be paid by purchasing a ticket from a parking meter or using an application on your mobile phone (SkyCash, Pango, moBILET, mPay, City Park App).

Tickets

Tickets can be purchased aboard the bus or tram, or from the ticket machine located at many stops. Please note that some ticket machines do not accept cards. Alternatively, you can purchase the ticket using the **Jakdojade app** for your smartphone (available on the **App Store** and **Google Play**).

The app additionally offers a smart map-based itinerary planner with bus departure times updated in real time.

Train tickets are available on the train and from the ticket vending machine on the platform (payable by cash or card).

Lunch break

There is a great variety of restaurants, bistros, and cafés in very close proximity of the main conference venue, especially along **Krupnicza**, **Czysta**, and **Karmelicka streets**: Ramen People, Molam, Meho Café, Dynia Resto Bar, Meat & Go, Four Restaurant, Pod Norenami, Trattoria Mamma Mia.

Please consult tripadvisor.com for best recommendations!

Points of interest

The conference venues are situated near the centre of Kraków and many of its iconic attractions – the buzzing **Market Square** with the **Cloth Hall** and **St Mary's Basilica**, the green spaces of the **Planty Park** and the famous **Wawel Castle**. The **Vistulan Boulevards** will take you to **Kazimierz**, the former Jewish district, with its magical streets, while those fond of museums and galleries may wish to explore the recently reopened **Princes Czartoryski Museum** and the 19th-century Polish art collection in the Cloth Hall, or hide from the heat in the underground museum underneath the Main Market Square.

A special flavour of Kraków's *fin de siècle* can be found in the **Stanisław Wyspiański Museum** as well as the **Kraków Stained Glass Museum and Workshop**, operating since 1902 – both of these attractions are located within ten minutes' walking distance from the conference venues (though the latter only admits visitors at specific hours – if interested, please consult their website).

Allegedly, there are more than 300 cafés, pubs and restaurants around the Main Market Square and Kazimierz, providing an excellent opportunity for exploring Kraków's nightlife. The conference coincides with two major festivals: the **Jewish Culture Festival** and **Summer Jazz Festival Kraków**, with plenty of events and concerts to enjoy. Tickets can be booked online through festival websites.

Useful websites:

www.mnk.pl/branches

www.muzeumwitrazu.pl/en

www.jewishfestival.pl/en

www.cracjazz.com/pl/program

For last year's words belong to last year's language And next year's words await another voice.

-T.S. Eliot, Four Quartets

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