

# Visit the Pomeranian Congress of National Remembrance

On November 20–21, 2024, the Pomeranian Congress of National Remembrance, organized by the Gdańsk branch of the Institute of National Remembrance, will take place at AmberExpo in Gdańsk. The event aims to present Poland's modern history in a way that resonates with every generation.

## “History speaks through generations” – the congress theme for this year

The team led by Dr. habil. Krzysztof Malicki has presented the report *Education for Remembrance*, which reveals that students prefer active and dynamic methods of learning history. Under the theme *History speaks through generations*, the congress will present the past in a modern and engaging way to reach both older audiences, who vividly remember the challenging 20th century, and younger generations, who learn through new technologies, multimedia, and interactive activities.

Learn more about the Pomeranian Congress of National Remembrance

The Pomeranian Congress of National Remembrance is the first event of its kind in the region. The story of modern history will be told with a particular focus on its local dimension. Topics will include post-war communist oppression, the heroism of workers during the December 1970 protests, and the struggles of the Pomeranian people leading to 1989. These discussions will culminate in reflections on and tributes to the *Solidarity* movement and the individuals associated with it.

## Two days of debates, conferences, concerts, exhibitions, and performances

The congress will feature a variety of academic conferences and panel discussions, offering an excellent opportunity to deepen your knowledge of Poland's modern history and actively participate in historical discourse.

Curious about how to teach history in a way that engages younger generations? Interested in how IPN comics are created? Or maybe you'd like to join the discussion *Volhynia: Eighty Years Later* or participate in the panel *Gdańsk, the Cradle of Polish Freedom*? The choice is yours.

Check out the full event schedule on the congress website and explore the attractions awaiting you.

**Visit the New Technology Zone and enjoy the IPN Gaming Music Concert at the Congress of National Remembrance**

On the first day at 7:00 PM, the Gaming Music Concert will begin. The program features pieces composed for the New Technology Division's projects: *Cipher Game*, *The Aviators*, and *Testimonies of Support*. The concert will be performed by the Chronos Orchestra under the baton of Michał Krężlewski, with compositions by Przemysław Treszczotka.

During the congress, the New Technology Zone will also be open, where you can explore all the projects by the New Technology Division of the IPN and experience immersive historical education. Discover how effective learning can be through educational games, films, and apps. The zone is open to all congress attendees.

## **Admission to the event is free – register now**

The congress runs from November 20 to 21, 2024, at the AmberExpo Exhibition and Convention Center, Żaglowa Street 11, Gdańsk. The event is held under the Honorary Patronage of the President of the Republic of Poland, Andrzej Duda. This is a unique opportunity to hear stories about Poland's modern history and learn about innovative methods of history education.