

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

We are glad to invite you to the conference **Frontiers of Selection Principles**, celebrating the 60<sup>th</sup> birthday of Marion Scheepers. This festive conference will take place at the Dewajtis Campus, [Bielanski forest](#), Warsaw, 21.8-1.9, 2017: 21.8-25.8 tutorial, 26.8 excursion, 27.8-1.9 conference. (This is immediately after the Logic Colloquium and immediately before the Bedlewo meeting on set theoretic topology and analysis.)

[Selection principles](#) connect topology, set theory, and functional analysis and make it possible to transport and apply methods from each of these fields to the other ones. It is now one of the most active streams of research within set theory and general topology. This conference will be **fully dedicated** to selection principles and their applications. It will begin with a one week **tutorial**, aimed mainly at students and researchers with no prior knowledge of selection principles. This tutorial will provide an overview of the field, and a detailed introduction to its main methods. Participants with no prior knowledge attending the tutorial will thus fully benefit from the lectures of the second week, and will be able to consider possible directions for research in the field.

The second conference week will consist of **invited lectures**, by leading experts, on results in the frontiers of selection principles. We recommend that students and participants with expertise in other disciplines attend both weeks of the conference.

Initial details follow.

**(Important: This is the only message distributed widely. Please email Piotr Szewczak ([p.szewczak@wp.pl](mailto:p.szewczak@wp.pl)) to be included in the mailing list for details and updates.)**

The expected accommodation cost is approximately 20EUR per night (full board: 30EUR).

Registration fee: Early registration: 50EUR. Normal registration: 80EUR. Registration fees will help reducing the costs for some students or early career researchers that would otherwise not be able to attend this meeting. Discount possibilities will be provided in future emails.

**Tentative list of conference speakers:**

Leandro Aurichi	Liljana Babinkostova	Taras Banakh
Angello Bella*	Daniel Bernal Santos	Maddalena Bonanzinga*
Lev Bukovsky	Steven Clontz*	Samuel Da-Silva*
Rodrigo Dias	Rafał Filipow	David Gauld
Ondrej Kalenda	Ljubiša Kočinac*	Adam Krawczyk
Adam Kwela	Andrzej Nowik	Selma Özçağ*
Yinhe Peng	Szymon Plewik	Robert Rałowski
Masami Sakai	Marion Scheepers	Paul Szeptycki*
Piotr Szewczak	Franklin Tall	Seçil Tokgöz
Boaz Tsaban	Tomasz Weiss	Lyubomyr Zdomskyy
Shuguo Zhnag	Ondrej Zindulka	Szymon Żeberski

(\* to be confirmed)

Subject to time constraints, students and other participants may have an opportunity to contribute a short lecture on a topic of selection principles.

**Special request:** Since a part of this workshop is especially accessible to students, we would appreciate your forwarding this message to your students and to other students who may be interested in attending this conference.

The conference is organized by Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw.

On behalf of the organizing committee,

Piotr Szewczak (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University and Bar-Ilan University)  
Boaz Tsaban (Bar-Ilan University)  
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