

# The 5th International Conference Azerbaijan – Poland

on the occasion of the 30th anniversary of the establishment of  
diplomatic relations between Poland and Azerbaijan

## Conference Agenda

Hosted by: Centre for Azerbaijani Studies of the Faculty of Oriental Studies of UW  
Faculty of History of UW

Faculty of Political Science and International Studies of UW

In cooperation with the Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan in Warsaw and Institute of History of ANAS



Ambasada Republiki  
Azerbejdżanu w Polsce

**Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022** \* The Columned Hall of the University of Warsaw, 26/28 Krakowskie Przedmieście St.

**08.30 - 09.00**

### Registration

#### Opening

**09.00 - 09.30**

HE Ms. Nargiz Gurbanova, Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Ambassador of Azerbaijan to Poland  
Prof. Zygmunt Lalak, Vice-Rector for Research, University of Warsaw  
Prof. Sambor Gucza, Vice-Rector for Cooperation and Human Resources, University of Warsaw  
Prof. Piotr Taracha, Dean of the Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Warsaw  
Prof. Daniel Przystek, Dean of the Faculty of Political Science and International Studies, University of Warsaw  
Prof. Łukasz Niesiołowski-Spanò, Dean of the Faculty of History, University of Warsaw

**09.30 - 10.50**

### Panel I. Polish-Azerbaijani Ties in the 20th Century

Moderator: Natalia Królikowska-Jedlińska

*Azerbaijani civilization: on European sources and their importance*

Kerim Shukurov,  
Director of the Institute of  
History of Azerbaijan National  
Academy of Sciences  
(online)

9.30-9.50

*Mehmet Emin Resulzade and his Polish days*

Witold Olejnik  
Adam Mickiewicz University

9.50-10.10

*Activities of Polish people during Azerbaijani Democratic Republic (1918-1920)*

Nasiman Yagublu  
Baku State University

10.10-10.30

*Azerbaijan-Poland relations: historical and political point of view*

Leyla Mustafayeva  
Baku State University

(online)

10.30-10.50

**10.50 - 11.10**

### Discussion

**11.10 - 11.20**

### Coffee, Tea Break

**11.20 - 12.30**

### Panel II. Multiculturalism in Azerbaijan

Moderator: Shahla Kazimova

*Azerbejdżan, ludzie, przyroda - w świetle "Obrazów Kaukazu" Edwarda Strumpha*

Ewa Siemienieć-Golaś  
Department of Turkology,  
Jagiellonian University

11.20-11.40

*Azerbaijan - Poland. Culture as an important means of communication. Cultural relations of the artistic intelligentsia of Azerbaijan and Poland (XX-XXI centuries)*

Nigar Akhundova  
Institute of History of ANAS

(online)

11.40-12.00

*Albanian (Caucasian) Apostolic Church and Its Parish: History and Modernity*

Robert Mobili  
Baku State University

12.00-12.20

*Azerbaijan's Multicultural Policy of Ethnic Diversity*

Javid Asadov  
(Maria Curie-Skłodowska  
University, Lublin)

12.20-12.40

**12.40 - 13.00**

### Discussion

**13.00 - 14.00**

Lunch hosted by the Embassy of the Republic of Azerbaijan in Warsaw

**14.00 - 15.20**

### Panel III. Literature and Culture

Moderator: Ewa Siemienieć-Golaś

*My poetry is dust, but it is the dust of Karbala! The role of Karbala and her martyrs in shaping the poetic identity of Fizuli*

Jacek Jarmoszko,  
Adam Mickiewicz University

14.00-14.20

*Image of Azerbaijan in the Polish Literature of the Late 19th century*

Shahla Kazimova  
University of Warsaw

14.20-14.40

*Interpretation of Polish literary critics on the works of the poet Rafail Taghizade*

Danuta Chmielowska  
University of Warsaw

14.40-15.00

*Azerbaijani Meykhana: Cultural Policy and Local Actors' Agenda*

Aneta Strzemżalska  
University of Warsaw

15.00-15.20

15.20 -15.40 Discussion

15.40 -15.50 Coffee, Tea Break

**Panel IV. Azerbaijan and Poland Today**

15.50 -17.10 Moderator: Maciej Raś

<i>The legal regulation of bilateral relations between Azerbaijan and Poland</i>	<i>Azerbaijan as a factor of European energy security</i>	<i>Polska, Azerbejdżan, Ukraina. Wielcy przyjaciele! (Poland, Azerbaijan, Ukraine. Mutual great friends!)</i>	<i>Influence of the effects of the Second Karabakh War on the possibilities of even greater intensification of Polish-Azerbaijani relations</i>
Parvana Mustafazadeh, Institute of History of ANAS  (online)	Jeyhun Rzayev ADA University  (online)	Irina Pavlenko University of Warsaw	Paweł Stawarz University of Warsaw
15.50-16.10	16.10-16.30	16.30-16.50	16.50-17.10

17.10 -17.30 Discussion

17.30 -17.40 Coffee, Tea Break

**Panel V. Historical Background of Polish-Azerbaijani Relationship - 550 years of diplomatic relations**

17.40 -18.00 Moderator: Agata Bareja-Starzyńska

<i>Relation between Safavid State and Polish Kingdom in the first half of the 17th century</i>	<i>Haji Serai Shapsha's contribution to learning and promoting the languages and culture of the Turkish peoples on the example of a book. Attempts at the folk literature of the Turks from Persian Azerbaijan</i>	<i>Safavid shahs - language, ethnicity, traditions (based on archival materials of their diplomatic correspondence)</i>
Tofiq Najafi Institute of History of ANAS  (online)	Kamila Stanek, University of Warsaw	Nargiz Akhundova University of Warsaw
17.40-18.00	18.00-18.20	18.20-18.40

18.40 -19.00 Discussion

19.00 Conference closing

19.30 **Dinner, Klub at the Kazimierzowski Palace of the University of Warsaw, Krakowskie Przedmieście 26/28**

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