



WARSAW UNIVERSITY OF LIFE SCIENCES

INSTITUTE OF ECONOMICS AND FINANCE

DEPARTMENT OF LOGISTICS

Invitation to
INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC
CONFERENCE

entitled
"Factors of economic development with particular
emphasis on rural areas"

on the occasion of his 70th birthday

Prof. dr. hab. Bogdan Klepacki, dr h.c.

THEME OF THE CONFERENCE

The aim of the conference is to present and discuss current scientific and practical achievements in the field of economic development factors, with particular emphasis on rural areas. The meeting will be an opportunity to exchange views of a group of scientists and practitioners on the changes taking place in the economy, including in rural areas. The issues of the conference will cover the following issues:

- conditions and prospects for the development of the Polish economy,
- economic development in the context of environmental challenges,
- multifunctional development of rural areas,
- human capital in economic development,
- importance of logistics and transport in economic development,
- socio-economic changes in the functioning of farms,
- the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic and the war in Ukraine on the Polish economy,
- functioning of supply chains,
- the importance of logistics solutions in agribusiness.

Warsaw, July 4, 2023



Prof. **dr hab. Bogdan Klepacki** was born on August 14, 1953 in Klepaczy near Drohiczyń in Podlasie. In 1977, he graduated from the Faculty of Economics and Agriculture of the Warsaw University of Life Sciences (SGGW). He started working as a trainee assistant at the Institute of Economics and Organization of Agricultural Farms. In 1983 he obtained a doctoral degree and, in 1983, a postdoctoral degree. In 1997 he received the title of professor of economic sciences. During his employment at the Warsaw University of Life Sciences, he completed internships in Indiana (USA) and Aberdeen (Scotland), completed a course in agricultural economics at the University of Pennsylvania, and taught at the Vilnius Agricultural University in Biała Waka (Lithuania). During his professional career, he held various positions at the university.

In 1992-1996 he was the Vice-Dean and in 1996-1999 and 2005-2007 the Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Agriculture. Then, from 2008 to 2012, he was the Dean of the Faculty of Economic Sciences; from 2012 to 2016, he was the Vice-Rector for Didactics at the Warsaw University of Life Sciences. Since 2017, he has been the head of the Department of Logistics. In addition, from 1997 to 2007, he was an employee of WSBiP in Ostrowiec Świętokrzyski, and from 1998 to 2001, the Rector of this University. Mr. Prof. Bogdan Klepacki also performed many functions outside the Warsaw University of Life Sciences, e.g. he was a member of the team of Consultants of the President of the Republic of Poland for Rural Development, a member of the Committee for Awards of the Prime Minister of the Republic of Poland, he was the President of the Management Board of SERiA, chairman of the Committee of Agricultural Economics of the Polish Academy of Sciences, a member of the Committee of Economic Sciences of the Polish Academy of Sciences, an expert of AWRSP, co-organizer of the 9th Congress of the European Association of Agricultural Economists, Editor-in-Chief of the Scientific Yearbooks SERiA, as well as the Yearbooks of Agricultural Sciences, Series G, Chairman of the Scientific Council of the IRWiR PAN, Vice-Chairman of the Scientific Committee for the Development Strategy of the Świętokrzyskie Voivodeship, member of the European and American Association of Agricultural Economists, organizer of the Intercollegiate Professors' Club at the Warsaw University of Life Sciences "For Agriculture and Rural Development", co-creator and organizer of Workshops for Young Agricultural Economists, Chairman of the Social Council of Agricultural Advisory Center CDR Brwinów and organizer of the Polish-Ukrainian Forum of Agricultural Economists.

In the research area of Mr. Prof. Bogdan Klepacki, it is possible to distinguish such issues as the assessment of the impact of expanding the area on the organization and economics of individual farms, the effects of agricultural accounting, organizational and economic conditions of technological progress, economic calculation in agricultural production, rationalization of fodder production on light soils, the adaptation of agribusiness enterprises to farming conditions, the importance of logistics in economic development and the role of agrologistics in the development of agribusiness enterprises.

The scientific achievements of the Professor include 637 co-authored and original publications, including 393 original creative works, 45 didactic works, and 199 other publications. The Professor was the author of over 100 expert opinions, business plans, TV scripts, assumptions for computer programs of plant production technology, cost analyses, and a co-author of assumptions for a management guide in determining the gross margin.

Mr. Prof. Bogdan Klepacki was a supervisor in 29 doctoral dissertations, supervisor of 684 master's theses, 218 bachelor's theses, reviewer of 38 doctoral theses, 39 habilitation theses (21 publishing and 18 in dissertations), 12 applications for the title of Professor, 12 for the position of associate Professor, 4 for full Professor and supervisor of 2 and reviewer of 3 honorary doctorate applications. The Professor cooperated extensively with universities in various countries. He participated in conferences and congresses in such countries as Lithuania, Ukraine, Slovakia, Great Britain, Germany, the USA, Canada, the Netherlands, Turkey, Greece, Canada, the Philippines, New Zealand, Denmark, and Brazil. Moreover, as a visiting professor or invited speaker, he was at universities in Lithuania, England, Scotland, Ukraine, China, and Portugal. He managed two research topics in cooperation with the EU and FAO. He was the manager of nine national grants and a member of the program boards of many economic journals.

Mr. Prof. Bogdan Klepacki is an honorary doctor of the University of Agriculture in Krakow and an honorary professor at 2 Universities: Lviv in Dublany (Ukraine) and Natural Sciences and Environmental in Kyiv (Ukraine). In recognition of his achievements in science, research, teaching, and organizational work, Mr. Prof. dr hab. Bogdan Klepacki has been distinguished and awarded many times, e.g., Knight's Cross of the Order of Polonia Restituta, Gold Cross of Merit, and Medal of the National Education Commission. In addition, he received numerous awards from the Ministry of National Education and His Excellency Rector of the Warsaw University of Life Sciences and honorary badges of the University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn (Golden Laurel), Poznań University of Life Sciences, University of Life Sciences in Kraków and foreign universities in Kyiv, Lviv, Żytomierz, Prague, Nitra, and Gödölo.

In addition to his scientific activity, the Professor is interested in family history. He revitalized the family home in Klepaczy and organized reunions of the Klepacki family. His hobbies are nature, traveling and diving, and sports.

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DATE AND PLACE OF THE CONFERENCE

The conference will take place on **July 4, 2023** (Tuesday) in Aula Kryształowa on the campus of the Warsaw University of Life Sciences, Nowoursynowska St.166.

PROGRAM

9:30 - 10:30 - registration of participants

10:30 - 12:30 - ceremonial opening of the conference, jubilee session

12:30 - 13:00 - coffee break

13:00 - 14:30 - plenary session, discussion

14:30 - 15:00 - summary of the conference

15:00 - jubilee meeting

PUBLICATION

Papers submitted to the conference after positive reviews may be published in:

- **jubilee scientific monograph**, please send applications to the e-mail address: KonferencjaCRG@sggw.edu.pl
- **Scientific Journals of the Warsaw University of Life Sciences, Economics and Organization of Logistics (MEiN: 40 points** in the discipline of economics and finance), please send applications via the journal's website: <https://eiol.sggw.edu.pl>

REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPATION IN THE CONFERENCE

Participation in the conference and publication are free of charge.

Participation in the conference requires notification by **June 11, 2023**.

As part of the application, you must complete the Conference Registration Form.

We cordially invite you to participate in this momentous event, which will be an opportunity to express gratitude and appreciation for the Honorable Jubilarian!