



# 42<sup>nd</sup> CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF ONCOLOGY AND BIOMARKERS

3 -7 October 2015

Hotel Belvedere, Zakopane, Poland

## PRE CONGRESS TOURS FOR RESERVATION PLEASE [CLICK HERE](#)

### 02 Oct 2015 - Cracow Sightseeing

11:00 Meeting point at Wawel Parking (11 Powiśle Street)  
11:00 - 14:00 Old Cracow Sightseeing

#### Medieval Cracow

The historic centre of Cracow, the former capital of Poland, is situated at the foot of the Royal Wawel Castle. The 13th-century merchants' town has Europe's largest market square and numerous historical houses, palaces and churches with their magnificent interiors. Further evidence of the town's fascinating history is provided by the remnants of the 14th-century fortifications and the medieval site of Kazimierz with its ancient synagogues in the southern part of town, Jagellonian University and the Gothic cathedral where the kings of Poland were buried.

During the trip you will visit:

**The Wawel Royal Castle and the Wawel Hill** constitute the most historically and culturally important site in Poland. For centuries it was the residence of the kings of Poland and the symbol of Polish statehood, the Castle is now one of the country's premier art museums.

**The Bazylika Mariacka (Saint Mary's Basilica)** is undoubtedly one of Krakow's most famous and most spectacular landmarks. It towers over the northeast corner of the **Main Market Square**, its delicately sculpted turrets peeking over the roof of the **Sukiennice (Cloth Hall)**, visible from all over the city. Like so many places in this enchanting city of Krakow, the Mariacki church towers are swathed in legend. The Cloth Hall (In Polish Sukiennice) in Kraków dates to the Renaissance and is one of the city's most recognizable icons. It is the central feature of the main market square in the Kraków Old Town. It was once a major centre of international trade.

14:00 - 15:00 Dinner- for any special diet, please contact [katarzyna.polakowska@trip.pl](mailto:katarzyna.polakowska@trip.pl)  
15:00 - 18:00 Sightseeing

#### Kazimierz and Jewish Cracow

Kazimierz is a historical district of Kraków and Kraków Old Town. Since its inception in the fourteenth century to the early nineteenth century, Kazimierz was an independent town, a royal city of the Crown of the Polish Kingdom. For many centuries, Kazimierz was a place of coexistence and interpenetration of Christian and Jewish cultures, its north-eastern part of the district was historic Jewish. The route leads through the streets of the former Jewish town starting at the Jewish Cultural Centre on ul. Meiselsa 17 and leading to the New Jewish Cemetery on ul. Miodowa 55.

**Price:** 185 PLN / 46€

**A minimum number of participants:** 10 persons

**The price includes:** English speaking guide, dinner, tickets to the Bazylika Mariacka and the Synagogue.

**The price doesn't include:** transport to and from meeting point, accommodation in Cracow.

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## POST CONGRESS TOURS FOR RESERVATION [CLICK HERE](#)

### 08 Oct 2015- Cracow Sightseeing

11:00 Meeting point at Wawel Parking (11 Powiśle Street)  
11:00 - 14:00 Old Cracow Sightseeing

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## 08 Oct 2015 - Auschwitz-Birkenau Museum Sightseeing

08:00 - 10:30 Transfer from Belvedere Hotel to the Auschwitz-Birkenau Museum

10:30 - 14:00 Sightseeing at the Auschwitz-Birkenau Museum

The post-camp relics are protected by the Museum created in 1947. The Memorial today is i.a. the Archive and Collections as well as research, conservation and publishing center. KL Auschwitz was the largest of the German Nazi concentration camps and extermination centers. Over 1.1 million men, women and children lost their lives here. The authentic Memorial consists of two parts of the former camp: Auschwitz and Birkenau. A visit with an educator allows better understanding of this unique place. There is no way to understand the postwar Europe and the world without an in-depth confrontation between our idea of mankind and the remains of Auschwitz.

14:00 - 15:00 Dinner (for any special diet, please contact [katarzyna.polakowska@trip.pl](mailto:katarzyna.polakowska@trip.pl) )

15:00 - 16:00 - Transfer to Cracow Railway Station

**Price:** 195 PLN / 49€ A minimum number of participants: 15 persons

**The price includes:** entry to Auschwitz-Birkenau Museum, English speaking guide, dinner, transfer from Belvedere Hotel to Auschwitz, transfer from Auschwitz to Cracow.

**The price doesn't include:** accommodation in Cracow.

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## **FACULTATIVE TRIPS IN ZAKOPANE**

04.10.2015 or 06.10.2015 or 07.10.2015

(Prices for a minimum of 15 participants)

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**04 Oct 2015 or 06 Oct 2015**

**Kościeliska Valley - 4 hours**

Kościeliska Valley is the second longest Valley on the Polish side of the Tatra mountains with the length of 9km. It is one of the most beautiful and easiest Valleys which is easily accessible for everyone. It's characteristic is a big number of caves and other unique rock forms.

**Price:** 65 PLN / 17€

**The price includes:**

transport to/from Kościeliska Valley, English speaking guide, tickets to Tatrzański National Park.

**06 Oct 2015**

**Morskie Oko Lake - 6 hours**

Morskie Oko Lake is the largest and fourth deepest lake in the Tatra Mountains. It is located deep within the Tatra National Park, in the Rybi Potok Valley, at the base of the Mięguszowiecki Summits. The peaks that surround the lake rise about 1,000 meters above its surface; one of them is Rysy (2,499 meters), the highest peak in the Polish Tatras.

**Price:** 70 PLN / 18€

**The price includes:**

transport to/from Palenica Białczańska (picking point), English speaking guide, tickets to Tatrzański National Park.

**07 Oct 2015**

**Strążyska Valley - 3 hours**

The most beautiful, the most accessible and most frequently visited valley near Zakopane is famous Strążyska Valley. The trail runs through picturesque gorge with Dolomite's style sharp peaks and small waterfall to Strążyska Hall. The Strążyska Hall is located close to sharp cliffs of the north wall of Giewont Mountain - the most famous mountain in Poland called Sleeping Knight.

**Price:** 65 PLN / 17€

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**Rusinowa Polana - 4 hours**

The trail starts by driving through picturesque route Głodówka. Then you will be trekking to the Rusinowa Hall, which is famous of its breathtaking view of the High Tatras. On the Rusinowa Hall is pastoral center and only 5 minutes walk to Wiktorówki - the wooden Shrine of Matki Boskiej Jaworzyńskiej. The route back runs through Gold Valley. You can also visit the Jaszczurówka Chapel which was designed by Stanisław Witkiewicz.

**Price:** 65 PLN / 17€

**The price includes:**

transport to/from Rusinowa Polana, English speaking guide, tickets to Tatrzański National Park.

**06 Oct 2015**  
**Kasprowy Wierch Mountain - 4 hours**

The cable car trip to Mount Kasprowy (1987 m asl) takes approximately 10 minutes and takes place in two stages with a change in Myślenickie Turnie (1325 m asl). Once we reach the very peak of the mountain, we would climb to meteorological observatory, which is in fact the highest situated building in Poland. We can descent to Cicha Valley Pass to admire the breathtaking panorama of the High Tatras over the Slovakian side. We will complete the trip at the terrace by the restaurant overlooking the peaks of the Polish High Tatra mountains and the whole of Podhale region.

**Price:** 140 PLN / 35€

**The price includes:**

transport to/from Kuźnice (the cable car picking point), English speaking guide, tickets for the cable car and to the Tatrzański National Park.

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