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PACIM Scholarships and Awards for 2015

Thanks to generous bequests from the estate of Angelina Guminga and The Polanie Organization, as well as members of the Polish American Cultural Institute of Minnesota, PACIM is able to continue a tradition of supporting academic scholarship. The Scholarship Committee (Elizabeth Brodziak, Charlene Kaletka Delaney, Terry Kita, Renata Stachowicz, Marek Turowski) was pleased to receive and review applications from an outstanding group of applicants this year. We wish continued success to all in their academic pursuits and invite applicants to become members in PACIM. 2015 awards go to:

Monika Bueltel, an environmental engineering student at the University of Notre Dame.

Victoria Denn, attending Winona State University majoring in social work and minoring in psychology.

Michael Musielewicz, doctoral student at the John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin in Poland studying philosophy with interests in ethics, political philosophy, and philosophy of science.

Karina Rajtar pursuing a Master of Business Communication through the University of St. Thomas's Opus College of Business.

2015 PACIM, Polish American Cultural Institute of Minnesota Rog Endowment Awards support:

The Polish Arts and Cultural Student Association, PACSA, is a brand-new student group at the University of Minnesota. Founded in the spring of 2015, PACSA is looking forward to its inaugural season of bringing Polish culture to the U of M community. As the first and only registered student organization focusing on Poland, its history, arts, language, and traditions, we aim to provide a place for students of Polish descent or extraction a place to celebrate their heritage, and those of other backgrounds an opportunity to become educated about Polish contributions to the world.

Membership Form

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Member (includes newsletter)25	,
1st Class Postage (optional)6	
ACPC Membership (optional)5	
Total:	

Please add \$5 to the above membership levels if you wish to join the American Council for Polish Culture (ACPC) through PACIM (a 50% discount).

Subscription Note:

Due to postal rate increases and since non-profit mail is NOT forwarded but returned postage due please add \$6 to your membership if you travel south each winter. This ensures that you will receive the newsletter by first class mail all year long wherever you may be. Anyone else who wishes to receive the newsletter by first class mail all year long should add \$6 to their renewals.

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Make checks payable to PACIM and send this form with your check to: PACIM 43 Main St SE, Ste 228 Minneapolis, Mn 55414

Polish Classes

PACIM offers language instruction courses during the Fall and Spring semesters and some summers. From beginning through advanced levels, classes will teach grammar, vocabulary, and usage in weekly settings.

PACIM Fall 2015 Polish Language Classes

PACIM will present four Polish language classes for 2015 Fall. Information for each class is given below. Classes will begin October 5, 2015. All classes will be held at the PACIM Library, 43 Main. St. SE, Suite 228, Minneapolis 55414

The four classes will be based on each student's language ability.

New Beginners Class

Tuesdays 5:30-7:00 pm first class 10/06/2015 12 sessions Cost is \$80 for PACIM members; \$90 for non-PACIM members Instructor: Iwona Srienc Textbooks – 3 texts required; estimated cost is \$65

Continuing Beginners Class

Mondays 5:30-7:00pm first class 10/05/2015 12 sessions Cost is \$80 for PACIM members; \$90 for non-PACIM members Instructor: Iwona Srienc Textbooks – same as previously used. Estimated cost is \$65 for 3 texts

Intermediate Class

Mondays 7:15-8:45 pm first class 10/05/2015 12 sessions Cost is \$80 for PACIM Members; \$90 for non-PACIM members Instructor: Iwona Srienc Textbooks – same as previously used. Estimated cost is \$65 for 3 texts.

Advanced Class

Tuesdays 7:15-8:45 pm first class 10/06/2015 12 sessions Cost is \$80 for PACIM members; \$90 for non-PACIM members Instructor: Iwona Srienc A textbook will be required, selected by the instructor

If you have any questions, contact: terrykita@earthlink.

News & Events

Soup Fest

Sunday, Oct. 25th 3-7pm Kolbe Hall 1630 4th St NE Minneapolis

Poland is famous for soups and PACIM's SoupFest boasts having all of babcia's favorites. Sample favorites such as zupa grzybowa (mushroom soup) and zupa ogórkowa (dill pickle soup). This event will feature a variety of soups for everyone, including vegetarian soups. Soups will also be available to purchase in quart and pint sizes. Visitors may also see traditional Polish wycinanki and pisanki craft demonstrations, view historical displays of Poland and maps to trace Polish heritage, and visit vendors selling artisan gifts from Poland, including amber jewelry, famous Boleslawiec pottery, handmade crafts, and unique holiday gifts.

We look forward to seeing you at our classic Fall event! If you have any questions, please call 612-378-9291 or email office@pacim.org. All Ages Welcome!



Annual Meeting

Sunday, Oct. 11th 1pm 43 Main St SE, Suite 228, Minneapolis

Meet other members, vote for new directors, and learn about the organization's growth, events and plans for the coming year. Light refreshments will be served.

PACIM Officers and Board of Directors:

President: Paul Rog
Vice President: Terry Kita
Treasurer: Renata Stachowicz
Membership Director:
John Bieniek
Directors:
Ela Brodziak
Ola Grabeus-Schmelig
Phyllis Husted
Charlene Kaletka Delaney
Peter Pawlowski
Marek Turowski

News from the Library

DVDs:

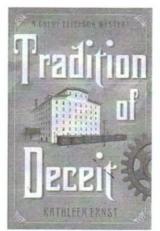
33 Sceny z zycia
Hardkor Disko
Pora umierac
Czas honoru
Bogowie
(all with English subtitles)

Books in Polish:

Hanna Bakula Nowe listy do Agnieszki Osieckiej, Hanna Kowalewska Inna wersja zycia, Malgorzata Kalicinska Powroty nad rozlewiskiem, Michal Olszewski Najlepsze buty na swiecie,

Books in English:

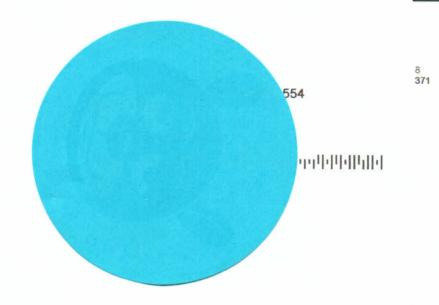
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Library Hours: Sun 1pm - 4pm or by appointment Zapraszamy!

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Polish Educational
Solutions of Minnesota,
POLESOM, exists to
provide and inspire
creative and outstanding
educational activities that
resonate with the PolishAmerican population. We
focus on teaching Polish

to children by weaving
Polish culture and
tradition into our monthly
kids clubs, classes, camps
and musical performance
groups. We promote
Polish language, art,
culture, and heritage by
creating engaging events
around all things Polish.

The value volunteers provide to the events cannot be overstated. Without your help at an event, it cannot succeed. We continue to look forward for your help. There is a lot of camaraderie at the booths and events.

We want to make it an enjoyable and enriching experience for all volunteers.

Volunteer opportunities: October - Polish Soup Festival, December - Wigilia, year round - PACIM Library.

For more information on current opportunities, contact PACIM at 612-378-9291.