# **CALL FOR PAPERS**

# Polonia Journal no 19

Editor invites you to submit a paper to Polonia Journal no 19 issued by the

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General Theme:

# The Good, The Bad And Chaos. Culture, Politics, Economy And Contemporaneity

#### **TOPICS:**

- 1. Europe as culture and civilization formation. Greece, Rome and Christianity.
- 2. Modern day turning point. The Enlightenment and Democracy Spirit.
- 3. Justice and the Financial Sphere.
- 4. An individual in contemporary times. Between communal life and isolation.
- 5. Religion vs. Autonomy and individual freedom.
- 6. Education, upbringing, youth at the time of chaos and uncertainty.
- 7. European Integration. For and against.
- 8. Polish culture and "The West." Tradition vs. contemporary controversies.
- 9. Totalitarianism in the XX century. Its sources and continuations.

### **DESCRIPTION:**

in Polonia Journal no 19, we want to devote attention to the topics of uncertainty and anxiety in the political, cultural and social areas in the contemporary times. Since the time of ancient Greece up to our turbulent present, the world has been involved in ideological and religious disputes ending in military conflicts with annoying frequency and regularity. Let us reconsider the history of Europe, the continent full of racial, religious and social prejudices, which has been slow to emerge from the state of political and cultural chaos ever since.

To this end, the philosophical thought of ancient Greece and Enlightenment, for instance, could help in tracing the culture-formative logical discourse which led us to the creation of evocative account of democracy and law. Unfortunately, the latter have not been able to provide a clear-cut mark to the Good and the Bad. These ideas have been frequently reinterpreted depending on the intentions of the

interpreters. Nevertheless, they still serve as indicators of the imaginary ideals human beings want to live by.

All the proposed topics mentioned above are interconnected and form an interlaced network requiring in-depth debate. We can only hope that the submitted essays will dispel some of our doubts and provide good arguments for harmony and peace in these difficult times.

# Important dates:

- article title/ 30.01.2024
- abstract in English plus key words/ 30.01.2024
- essay submission in English/15.03.2024

#### Author data:

the first and last name of the author, the place of work and ORCID number should be placed before the title of the essay.

The essays should not exceed 45 000 signs including spaces. In exceptional cases, the Editor may accept articles of greater number of signs.

Please submit your abstract in English plus keywords and the text of the essay to

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