



Final programme



**World Breeding Federation for Sport Horses  
General Assembly and Seminar 2013, October 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>  
Warsaw, Poland**

*hosted by*

*Polski Związek Hodowców Koni, Polish Horse Breeders Association*

**Sunday October 6<sup>th</sup> 2013 (arrival)**

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- 13.00–17.00: WHIRDEC meeting (arranged by Xavier Guibert)  
18.00–20.00: WBFSH joint meeting of Board and Executive Committee

**Monday October 7<sup>th</sup> 2013 (seminar)**

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- 7.30–9.00 Registration desk open in JM Apart Hotel
- 9.00–9.15 Welcome *by Jan Pedersen, President of WBFSH, and Prof. Zbigniew Jaworski, President of Polish Horse Breeders Association*
- 9.15–10.00 What is linear scoring and how is it used? A comparison between different implementations of linear scoring  
*by Kathrin Stock* *Chaired by Karina Christiansen*
- 10.00–10.45 How to use veterinarian information from Swedish quality tests to improve health and durability  
*by Lina Jönsson* *Chaired by Karina Christiansen*
- 10.45–11.15 Coffee break
- 11.15–12.00 Genomic selection for performance and health,  
*by Thomas Mark* *Chaired by Karina Christiansen*
- 12.00–12.45 \*Workshop: Will the existing horse studbook structure be still relevant in 10 years' time?  
*(for further details on this, please see below)* *Chaired by Jim Flanagan*
- 12.45–13.45 Lunch
- 13.45–14.15 Conclusion and discussion on workshop,  
*Chaired by Jim Flanagan*
- 14.00–14.45 Changes in horse breeding structure in Poland (state/private ownership)  
*by Jacek Łojek* *Chaired by Anna Stojanowska*
- 15.15–15.45 Coffee break
- 15.45–16.30 Kinematic parameters of free jumping, environmental and genetic effects  
*by Dorota Lewczuk* *Chaired by Jacek Łojek*
- 19.00 Gala dinner (at the hotel)



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## Tuesday October 8<sup>th</sup> 2013 (excursion)

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All-day trip to Janów Podlaski State Stud established in 1817.

Trip starts at about 9 am and ends about 7-8 pm. Lunch in Janów Podlaski included.

- Trip round the stud
- Few words about state studs in Poland (Agricultural Property Agency, ANR)
- Presentation of nine breeds which PZHK runs studbooks for (ANR, PZHK)
- Presentation of Polish Young Horse Champions (PZHK, ANR)
- Famous Polish horses in driving sport (ANR, PZHK)
- etc.

## Wednesday October 9<sup>th</sup> 2013 (General Assembly)

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09.15–09.40	Promoting of equestrianism, brand building during recession (show jumping) <i>by Tomasz Kobierski, Vice Chairman of Poznań International Fair</i> <i>Chaired by Michał Wierusz-Kowalski</i>
09.40–10.00	Promoting of equestrianism, brand building during recession (dressage), <i>by Monika Słowik, Vice Chairman of Polish Equestrian Federation</i> <i>Chaired by Michał Wierusz-Kowalski</i>
10.00–10.15	Coffee break
10.15–12.30	General Assembly
12.30–13.30	Lunch
13.45–17.00	Short trip round Warsaw Old Town

### \* Workshop details:

#### *Round tables – Question to be discussed:*

“Will the existing horse studbook structure be still relevant in 10 years’ time?”

Each table is asked answer “Yes” and “No” and give reasons/arguments for their views.

#### *Output from each table:*

3 arguments for “Yes”

3 arguments for “No”

*At the discussion after lunch: Majority view; “Yes” or “No”?*

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