

BUILT ENVIRONMENT
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EDUKACJI
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24-26 IV 2026
KAZIMIERZ
DOLNY
NAD WISŁĄ,
POLAND



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The International Built Environment Education Forum invites specialists from different countries, involved in education on architecture, urban planning, and the environment. The first edition took place in 2018 in Tuczno, and the last one in 2024 in Warsaw. This year, it is planned to take place in Kazimierz Dolny, in cooperation with the Romanian Culture Institute, under the slogan of **street participation and close meetings with creators, educators, and residents.**

For whom?

The Forum is addressed to architects, educators, teachers, cultural workers, and students from all countries. **We do not charge any participation fees, but all participants must cover their own accommodation and travel costs, as well as most of the meals.** Participation in the event is determined by the order of registrations for the 50 available spots. Communicative knowledge of English is required to participate in this event.



topic

The theme of this year's edition is **street participation and close encounters**. During the forum, we will work on architectural and social activities with the local community. The event includes workshops and specially designed places for interactive activities with the local community.

Objectives:

- searching for a model of solutions and guidelines, an action plan for smaller towns, and activities with the local community to achieve good living conditions,
- establishing cooperation between Polish and international educators and institutions,
- creating educational tools and joint projects that will be developed after the forum, and developing built environment education.



Kazimierz Dolny

is a picturesque town in eastern Poland, known for its charming medieval architecture and stunning views of the Vistula River. The town's rich history, with its well-preserved Renaissance buildings and cobblestone streets, attracts tourists and artists. Kazimierz Dolny is also famous for its vibrant cultural scene, including festivals, art galleries, and a variety of unique restaurants.

program

24-26.04.2026

Friday, 24th of April

- 13:00 - 14:00** Registration at the Main Square
- 14:00 - 16:00** Lunch
- 15:00 - 17:00** Guided tour of the creative history of Kazimierz
- 18:00 - 20:00** Introduction evening with the UIA
Golden Cubes Awards winners
- 20:00 - 22:00** Dinner

Saturday, 25th of April

- 10:00 - 16:00** Workshops
- 18:00 - 19:30** Workshop summary
- 19:30 - 23:00** Dinner

Sunday, 26th of April

- 10:00 - 11:00** Guided tour at the Department of Life Sciences
of the Vistula Museum in Kazimierz Dolny
- 11:30 - 13:30** Debate
- 13:30 - 14:00** Farewell

workshops

A.

Architecture Storytelling

How do we talk about architecture and how do we imagine it?
Workshops with texts.

facilitators:
Hanna Zwierzchowska
Alexandra Mihailciuc

B.

Eco revitalization, regeneration

Small towns and challenges of modernity, the trend of regenerative tourism.

facilitators:
Marcin Szalek
Tomek Malolepszy

C.

About nature and culture

Valuing nature and nature within us. Synthesis of nature and culture in design and planning.

facilitators:
Jagna Badowska
Alexandru Belenyi
Heba Safey Eldeen

D.

Towards the river and water

The river as a city value. The balance of elements in architecture, urban planning and landscape design.

facilitators:
Marek Piwowarski
Iarina Tava

E.

Heritage and communities

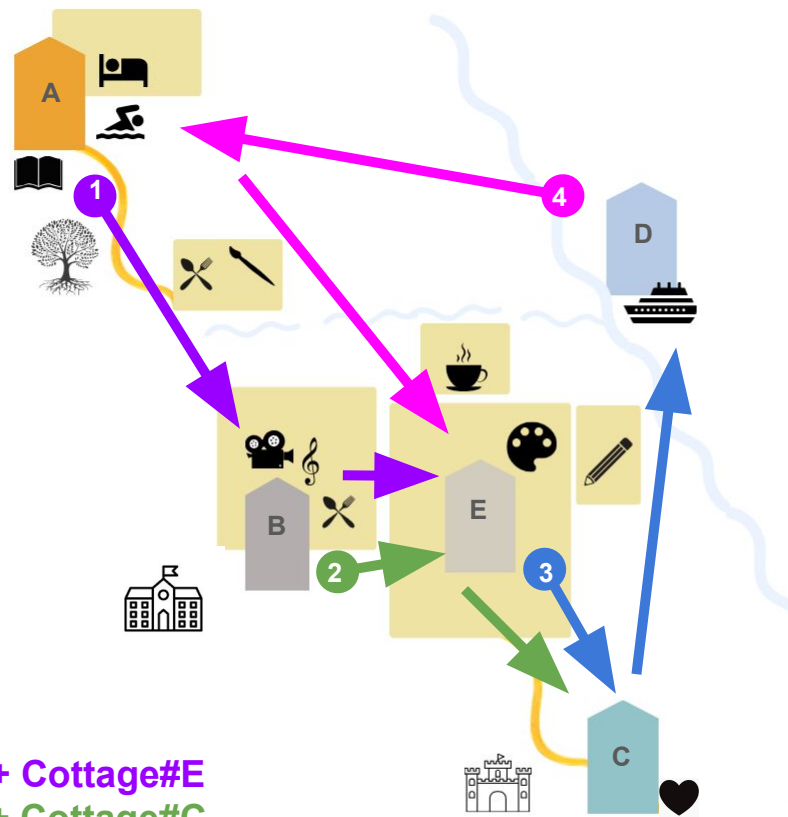
Intangible heritage, street art and art at the streets identity and parallel worlds.

facilitators:
Yoanna Symbiosis
Adela Trif

workshops

Saturday, 25.04.2026

10:00-16:00



Group#1: Cottage#A + Cottage#B + Cottage#E

Group#2: Cottage#B + Cottage#E + Cottage#C

Group#3: Cottage#E + Cottage#C + Cottage#D

Group#4: Cottage#D + Cottage#A + Cottage#E

school Debate

Sunday, 26.04.2026
11:30-13:30

Architecture in School system Education

A discussion summarizing the activities carried out as part of the Forum, devoted to reflecting on next steps and the possibilities for the systemic implementation of built environment education tools in schools.

exhibition in SARP

27.04-10.05.2026

A Small Town as a Laboratory

An exhibition presenting tools and ideas for participatory activities with residents.



travel

How to get there?

The best way to get to Kazimierz Dolny is to take a direct bus from Warsaw. **You need to prebook your tickets in advance to secure a seat.** When booking, choose the correct route:

24.04.2026 — Route: **Warszawa** → **Kazimierz Dolny**

26.04.2026 — Route: **Kazimierz Dolny** → **Warszawa**

Links for booking your ticket:

[HALOBUS](#)

[TransBus](#)

Participants are responsible for arranging and covering their own travel costs.

accommodation

Where to stay?

There are many accommodation options available in Kazimierz Dolny. **However, we advise booking your stay in advance to secure a place.** When booking, choose the following dates:

Friday, 24.04.2026 - Sunday, 26.04.2026
Kazimierz Dolny

Links for booking accommodation: [BOOKING](#)

[Kazimierz Dolny - Noclegi](#)

[Noclegi Kazimierz Dolny](#)

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Deadline for application: 15.04 at 23:59

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