

***Cultures and politics on the Korean Peninsula***

**International Symposium on Korean Issues, 22 November 2016**

(room 312, Pałac Staszica, Nowy Świat 72, Warsaw)

**09:30: Welcome Speech**

**09:35-11:00 - Panel 1: North Korean Issues**

09:35-09:55

Marceli Burdelski, PhD, University of Gdansk (Poland):  
*Key current priorities of the North Korea foreign policy*

09:55-10:15

Nicolas Levi PhD, Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland):  
*Review of 65 years of North Korean studies in Poland*

10:15-10:35

Douglas Gabriel, Ph.D. Candidate, Northwestern University (USA):  
*Revolution from 110 Metres Below: The Art and Architecture of the  
Pyongyang Metro*

10:35-11:15

Q&A

**11:15-11:45 - Coffee Break**

**11:45-13:00 - Panel 2: South Korean Issues**

11:45-12:05

Olga Barbasiewicz, PhD, Jagiellonian University (Poland):  
*Japanese-Korean quasi-Alliance and disputes over historical issues  
from the political perspectives*

12:05-12:25

Lech Buczek, PhD, Catholic University of Lublin (Poland):  
*Political and Strategic Dimensions of Relations between the EU  
and South Korea*

12:25-12:50

Michal Lubina, PhD, Jagiellonian University, (Poland):  
*Relations between Russia and Korea*

12:50-13:10

Dominik Wróblewski, PhD. Candidate, University of Lodz  
(Poland):  
*South Korea's role in East Asia Regionalism: Economic  
Cooperation and Strategic Partnership with ASEAN*

13:10-13:30

Agnieszka Smiatacz, PhD. Candidate, Wroclaw University  
(Poland):  
*The tenets of South Korea leadership in the conflict with NK*

13:30-13:50

Q&A

**13:50-14:00 – Closing remarks**