

SUMMARY



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The second issue (18) of the ninth annual volume of *Medical Library Forum* for 2016 presents articles on archive studies, library science, museology, periodical press, medicine, and biographical writings. The authors are academic teachers, library science specialists, historians, directors of scientific libraries, and other library staff members from Ciechanów, Częstochowa, Kielce, Lublin, Łódź, Szczecin, Warsaw and Wrocław.

The articles have been sent by: Hanna Bort-Nowak, Adam Brzuchalski, Dagmara Budek, Marian Butkiewicz, Aneta Cybulska, Iwona Fryzowska-Chrobot, Wojciech Giermaziak, Aleksandra Gniady, Agnieszka Gójko, Czesław Jeśman, Anna Kazan, Marzena Kowalska, Krzysztof and Zbigniew Kopocińscy, Witold Król, Anna Króla, k,

Katarzyna Kurowska, Maria Lipińska, Sylwia Niewiadomska, Rev. Roman Nir, Rev. Arkadiusz Olczyk, Agata Pązik, Lucyna Sądziowska, Dominika Sidorowska, Elżbieta Skubała, Dorota Ubyś and Andrzej Woźniak.

The subjects of the articles concern national and international issues and are devoted to: Pharmacy Archives in Orchard Lake (USA), university libraries (University of Life Sciences in Lublin, Academy of Fine Arts in Lodz, Lodz University of Technology, University of Lodz, Wrocław University of Science and Technology, Medical University of Wrocław, libraries in Valence and Coimbra); seminary libraries (Częstochowa Archdiocesan High Seminary and Higher Theological Institute in Częstochowa); other scientific issues (Ciechanów – Branch of the Central Medical Library), including exhibitions, doctoral dissertations, bookplates, the modernisation of the Library of the Pomeranian Medical University in Szczecin, the Plantin-Moretus Museum in Antwerp; journals (*“Biuletyn GBL”* – reissued, *“Dialogi Biblioteczne”*), different aspects of medical sciences and biographical writings.

A preface has been written by Prof. Marek Mirowski, Head of the Department of Pharmaceutical Biochemistry and Molecular Biology of the Medical University of Lodz and Chairman of the Library Council of the Information and Library Centre of the Medical University of Lodz. An editorial review has been performed by Assoc. Prof. Artur Jazdon, Director of the Library of the Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań.