



**Polish-American Scientific Conference**  
***“Contemporary dimensions of violence: theoretical and research approaches”***

Olsztyn, 28<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Online: [meet.google.com/zcj-nkgq-kzr](https://meet.google.com/zcj-nkgq-kzr)

**13:00** – *Opening remarks*

**13:10** – **Prof. Chris Eskridge**

*Mass murder/mass shootings in America*

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice

**13:30** – **Mgr Anna Malinowska**

*Violence as content: freak fight federations and their role in promoting violent behaviour in public spaces*

Polish Society of Criminology

**13:50** – **Dr Maciej Duda**

*Hate crimes as a violence against minorities*

University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn, Faculty of Law and Administration

**14:10** – **Dr Aleksandra Nowak**

*Domestic violence prevention in Poland*

University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn, Faculty of law and Administration

**14:30** – **Dr Joanna Narodowska**

*Animal Cruelty as a Component in the Criminal Profiling of Perpetrators of Violence Against Humans*

University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn, Faculty of Law and Administration

**14:50** – **Dr Diana Dajnowicz-Piesiecka**

*Green Justice in Practice: How Polish Courts Treat Perpetrators of Violent Crimes Against Animals*

University of Białystok, Faculty of Law

**15:10** – **Dr Emilia Jurgielewicz-Delegacz, Prof. Walter S. DeKeseredy, Prof. Joseph F. Donnermeyer** *Beyond the City Lights: Understanding Sexual Violence Against Women in Rural Communities*

University of Białystok, Faculty of Law

West Virginia University, Director of the Research Center on Violence

Ohio State University, School of Environment and Natural Resources

**15:30** – *Discussion and closing of the session*

***Participants:***

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