



International conference

Industrial relations challenges in the air  
transport sector after lockdown  
a European perspective

Warsaw

28-30 September 2022

## **PURPOSE OF THE CONFERENCE**

The goal of the conference is to exchange experiences and views on the effects of the pandemic on employment relationships, working conditions and industrial relations in the air transport sector and its value chain in Europe.

## **TOPICS OF THE CONFERENCE**

- The effects of the pandemic emergency on employment, working conditions and industrial relations in the air transport sector in Europe.
- The impact of COVID-19 on the working conditions in the air transport sector at national level.
- The COVID-19 impact assessment on the collective labour relations.

## CONFERENCE BOARD

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## AGENDA

**Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> September**  
**15:00 – 18:30**

**15.00-15.30 Reception**

**15.30** Welcome address – TBC professor Jacek Prokop, Ph.D., Vice Rector for International Relations of the SGH Warsaw School of Economics

**15.40** Presentation of the agenda

**15.45-16.45** Introductory speech: Evolution of business models in the air transport sector – dr Paweł Zagrajek, SGH Warsaw School of Economics

**16.45** Follow-up discussion

**17.00** “Impact of Covid-19 on working conditions and industrial relations in the air transport sector in Europe”: presentation of WP4 contents and objectives - WP4 leaders

**17.20** Presentation of the progress of the WP4: EU report

**17.40** Open discussion on the first results

**18.00** Conclusion

**19:30 - Informal Dinner**

**Thursday, 29<sup>th</sup> September**  
**9:00 – 16:00**

**9.00-9.30 Arrival**

**9.30-13.00** Presentation of the progress of the WP4 national reports and discussion of the first results for comparison purposes

**13.00-13.30 Lunch** /served next to the room 152G/

**13.30-16.00** Continuation of the presentations of the progress of the WP4 national reports and open discussion about recommendations

**16.00** Conclusion

**17.00 - Guided tour**

**19:00 - Social Dinner**

**Friday, 30 September**  
**9:00 – 13:00**

**9.00-9.30 Arrival**

**9.30-11.00** General presentation of the WP5, timeframe and coordination responsibilities: discussion on the choice of the national/European case-studies

**11.00-11.30 Open discussion**

**11.30** Dissemination practices: publication of a volume on Viral research, table of contents and contributors

**12.30** Planning the final conference in Brussels May 2023

**13.00** Conclusion

## ORGANISATIONAL INFORMATION

### About the Warsaw School of Economics SGH



SGH Warsaw School of Economics is the oldest university of economics in Poland. SGH Warsaw School of Economics established in 1906 as the Private Courses of Commerce for Men. Its mission has continuously been educating economists and business leaders serving the nation, country and the region. SGH is famous for its tradition, flexible adjustments of programmes to students' needs, unquestionable education level, and successful alumni. Every year, SGH bestows about 1200 Bachelor and 1600 Master titles.

SGH conducts research in various areas of economics, finance, management and business administration as well as in public policy and political science. Researchers lead the rankings of internationally recognized academics from Poland, e.g. in RePEc repository. SGH is ranked Poland's top research university in economic sciences.

SGH offers courses leading to bachelor's or master's degrees to both full-time and extramural students. It also offers programs for doctoral and postgraduate degrees. Its Finance and Accounting program was ranked among the Top 60 Masters in Management by the Financial Times in 2018.

SGH cooperates with around 200 higher education institutions around the world within student and staff exchange areas. It is also a member of the CEMS, the LLP Erasmus, the Partnership in International Management network (PIM) and the European University Association EUA.

## PLACE OF MEETING

SGH Warsaw School of Economics  
(Szkola Główna Handlowa w Warszawie)

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Al. Niepodległości 162

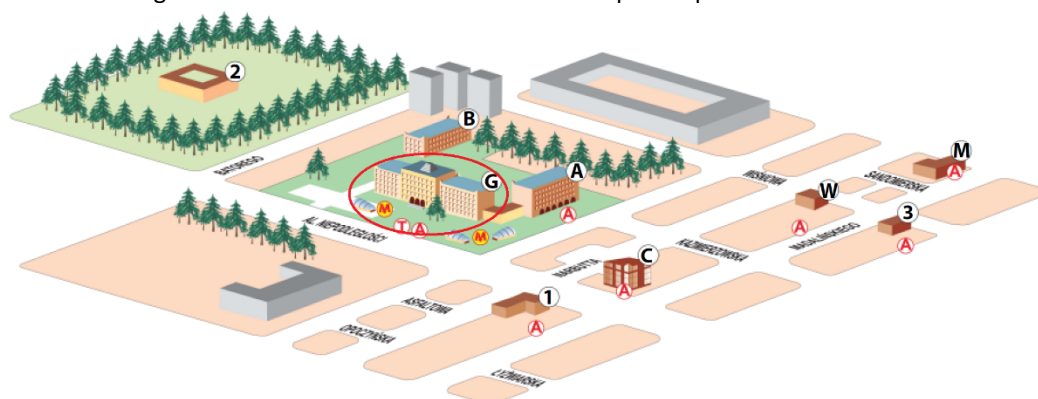
02-554 Warszawa

Main Building (G), room 152 (first floor)

Location on [Google Maps](#)



Place of meeting on the Warsaw School of Economics campus map:

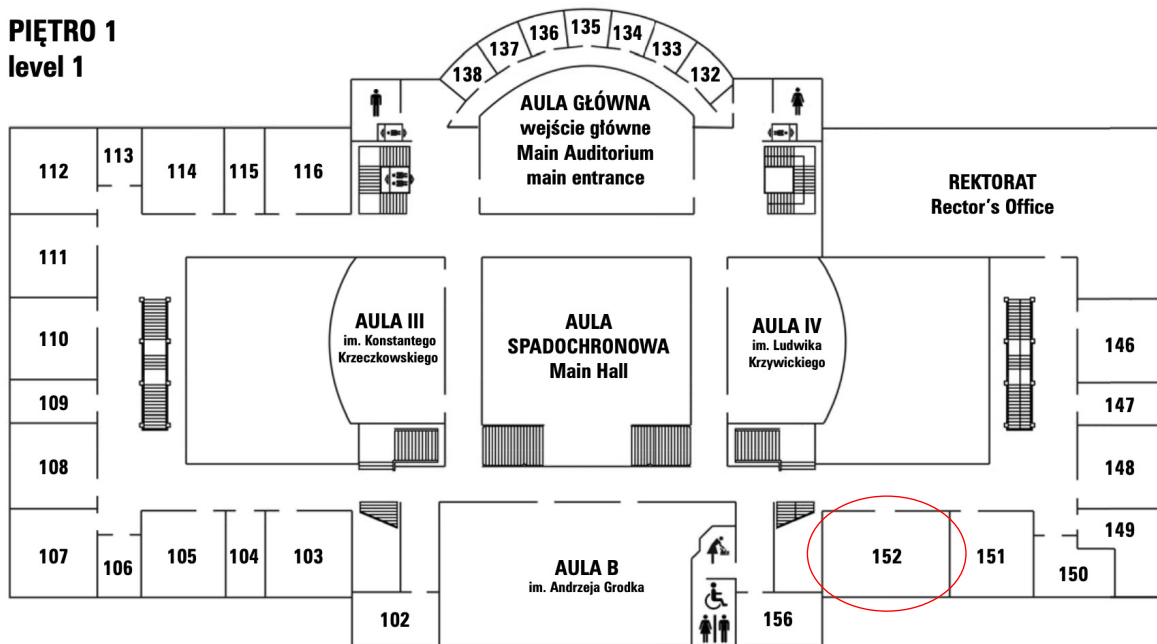


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ul. Rakowiecka 22 B  
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**budynek (building) **G** – (gmach główny)  
al. Niepodległości 162**  
budynek (building) **M** – ul. Madalińskiego 6/8

budynek (building) **W** – ul. Wiśniowa 41  
budynek (building) **1** – Dom Studenta (Student Dormitory)  
nr 1 SABINKI, al. Niepodległości 147  
budynek (building) **3** – Dom Studenta (Student Dormitory)  
nr 3 GROSİK, ul. Madalińskiego 31/33  
budynek (building) **2** – Klub Studencki PARK (Student Club Park),  
al. Niepodległości 196

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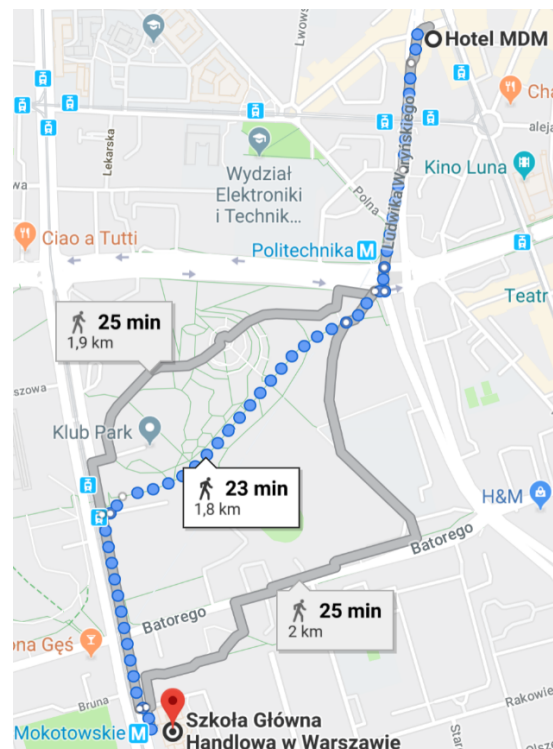
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### From Hotel MDM to SGH Warsaw School of Economics

You can walk to the SGH premises or take a metro line from the station “Politechnika” to “Pole Mokotowskie” (1 stop, direction “Kabaty”).

Location of the Hotel MDM on [Google Maps](#)





## TRAVEL INFORMATION

### Arriving at Chopin Airport

Most flights to Warsaw land at Chopin Airport ([www.lotnisko-chopina.pl](http://www.lotnisko-chopina.pl)) about 10 km from the city centre. All



major airlines land here (including some “cheap flight companies” like Wizzair – but **not** Ryanair). Due to the city's capital status and location, it remains the Poland's transport and communication hub, offering connections to all major European cities.

You can reach SGH by bus number **175** and **188**. Take either and change at the bus stop **"Pomnik lotnika 03"** for bus **167**, which will then take you directly to the main campus at the bus stop **"Metro Pole Mokotowskie"**. Upon boarding

the bus, please remember to purchase a single fair ticket.

Should you decide for taking a taxi, go directly to the departures hall on the upper level, and avoid overcharging cabbies waiting in the arrivals hall. They are often unlicensed and their fees are several times higher than registered and legal taxis. A taxi rank in front of the Terminal offers selected and reliable taxi companies: Ele Taxi, Sawa Taxi, Super Taxi. Getting to the main campus at **162 Niepodległości Ave** should cost around 40 PLN (around 9 EUR).

### Arriving at Modlin Airport

Warsaw Modlin Airport ([modlinairport.pl](http://modlinairport.pl)) is located around 35 km north-west from the city centre. If you plan to fly Ryanair it is the airport of your destination. Please note that it is quite far from the city centre, so please organise your journey from/to the airport in advance!



#### Warsaw city centre can be accessed by:

**Train: service offered by** Koleje Mazowieckie, whose trains depart from Modlin railway station, which can be reached by a special airport bus that leaves from the airport terminal at times coordinated with the train timetable. A special airport ticket that costs ca. 25 PLN. Estimated journey time: 1 hour 15 minutes

More information can be found here: [Website](#) of Koleje Mazowieckie

**Bus: bus service of** Contbus and Flixbus operate 24 hours a day at times coordinated with the flight schedule. Services offer direct connection with the centre of Warsaw with Contbus stopping in front of the Marriot Hotel (corner of T. Chałubińskiego St. and Nowogrodzka St.) and Flixbus stopping: Warszawa Zachodnia Bus Station, 144 Jerozolimskie Avenue, Metro Młociny, ul. Jana Kasprowicza 145 and Chopin Airport, ul. Żwirki i Wigury 1.

Tickets are available online at [www.contbus.pl](http://www.contbus.pl) and [www.flixbus.pl](http://www.flixbus.pl). Estimated journey time: 45 minutes (but can be much longer depending on traffic).



**Taxi:** The airport recommends two taxi companies Sawa Taxi and Taxi Modlin. Transfer to the centre of Warsaw range from 150 to 250 zł (depending on the district of travel)

**CAUTION!** It is strongly advised not to use taxis offered by random people in the Arrivals Hall (as they can be very costly!) and highly recommend using licensed taxi companies.

### **Getting around in Warsaw**

Travelling around Warsaw is facilitated by an extensive network of public transportation, including metro, bus and tram systems. Regular daytime transport runs roughly between 5 AM and 11 PM, depending on the line, while the underground closes after midnight on weekdays and at 3 AM on weekends.

All means of municipal transport, including city and suburban lines as well as the Metro operate on the same ticket. Ticket tariff can be found [HERE](#).

A vast number of taxi services operates in Warsaw with the usual price of ca. 8 zł for starting a journey and 4 zł for a kilometre driven. Also all major transport services like Uber or Bolt can be easily found.

## ALLIMENTATION

### **Lunch on 29 September 2022**

During the workshop lunch will be provided at the meeting venue.

### **Informal dinner on 28 September 2022**

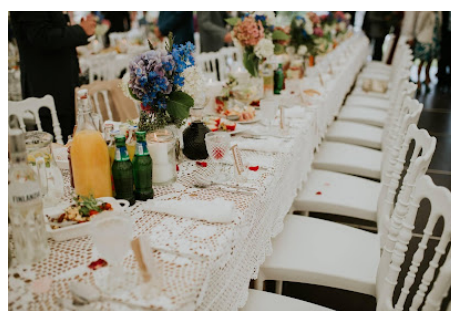
We plan to organise an informal dinner / drink on the evening of 28 September (Wednesday), for those of you who would like to meet. We aim to start the dinner around 19.30. Please let us know if you would like to participate in the informal dinner, as we need to book the table in advance. For those of you staying at the MDM Hotel, the restaurant is just on the corner of the hotel building.

#### **Place of the informal dinner:**

Restaurant WIESZ CO ZJESZ  
00-647 Warszawa  
Plac Konstytucji 1  
entrance from 45/49 Marszałkowska Street

<https://www.wieszcozjesz.pl>

Location on [Google Maps](#)



### **Social dinner on 29 September 2022**

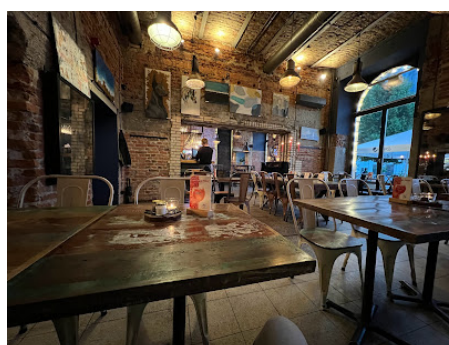
The main conference dinner will be organised on the evening of 29 September (Thursday). We aim to start the dinner at around 19.00, after the short, guided tour.

#### **Place of the social dinner:**

Restaurant MOMU  
00-094 Warszawa  
ul. Wierzbowa 9/11

<http://momu.pl>

Location on [Google Maps](#)



For those who will not take part in the guided tour, information on how to get from MDM Hotel to Restaurant MOMU:

