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INVITATION
to the International Conference

Dear Sir/Madam,

We would like to invite you to attend the International Conference ‘Female Deities and Demons in Indo-European Culture’, scheduled from 19th to 21st October 2017, which will be held at the University of Łódź, Poland.

Conference organizers: Department of Slavic Philology, Department of Classical Philology, Łódź Branch of the Polish Philological Society.

Conference location: Faculty of Philology University of Łódź.

Conference theme: The aim of this conference is to offer a meeting place for people interested in diverse aspects of female deities in Indo-European culture. It is addressed to specialists in the fields of humanities, especially religious studies as well as comparative linguistics, archaeology and cultural anthropology of Indo-European tribes, philology (including researchers on modern languages, who in their studies on literature come upon different old/ancient female deities). The organizers expect three separate discussion

panels in accordance to the research perspective: religious, linguistic and cultural.

Organizing committee:

Chair: prof. Georgi Mincew (Department of Slavic Philology UŁ)

Co-Chair: prof. Joanna Sowa (Department of Classical Philology UŁ)

Conference Managers: dr hab. Idaliana Kaczor; dr Joanna Rybowska (President of the Łódź Branch of the Polish Philological Society), dr Zofia Brzozowska.

Conference languages: English, Russian, Polish.

Conference fee: 400 PLN - The conference fee includes: all technical sessions; conference materials; dinners and suppers; tea and coffee breaks during the conference; cultural event. It does not include hotel accommodations.

Accommodation: We have reserved rooms with special rates in – Hotel ‘Polonia’, ul. Narutowicza 38) located near the site of the conference.

Important dates:

- Closing date for registration and submission of abstracts: **March 10th, 2017.**
- Notification of abstract acceptance: within two weeks after the closing date.
- Payment deadline: **April 30th, 2017.**
- Please submit the registration form at www.slavica.uni.lodz.pl
- For more information on the conference please check the following websites: <http://www.slavica.uni.lodz.pl/> or <http://www.ptf.uni.lodz.pl/>

We are looking forward to meeting you in Łódź.

Yours sincerely,
Georgi Mincew and Joanna Sowa