

## Abstract submission

Abstracts have to be submitted by using the abstract submission form provided on the conference website and sending it to [flora-pomeranica2012@nabu-mv.de](mailto:flora-pomeranica2012@nabu-mv.de)  
Abstracts will be reviewed and notification of acceptance will be sent out by email.

## Publication

Publication of papers in English is planned in a special issue of Plant Diversity and Evolution (as in 2011 based on the first symposium 2007 in Szczecin).

## Registration

Please register by filling the registration form provided on the conference website and sending it to [flora-pomeranica2012@nabu-mv.de](mailto:flora-pomeranica2012@nabu-mv.de). Since there is a limit of 80 participants, we recommend registering early. Registration is only valid and will be confirmed by email upon receipt of the conference fee.

## Conference fee

The conference fee of 135 Euro (German participants)/85 Euro (Polish participants) covers accommodation and food during the symposium as well as the conference proceedings. After 01/06/2012, the fee amounts to 160/100 Euro. Payments must be made to the account of:

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For more details, visit our symposium website  
[www.flora-pomeranica2012.org](http://www.flora-pomeranica2012.org)

## Important dates

15 March 2012	Start of registration and abstract submission
01 May 2012	Abstract submission deadline
01 June 2012	Notification of acceptance
01 July 2012	Registration deadline
01 Nov 2012	Full manuscript submission deadline

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September 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>, 2012  
in Wartin, Germany

# Flora Pomeranica



Second symposium on  
Flora, Vegetation and Landscape  
of Pomerania

Plant diversity in a changing world

Second announcement

Organized by University of Rostock, University of Greifswald,  
and NABU Mecklenburg-Vorpommern

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## Invitation

We are delighted to invite professionals, academics, amateurs, and students with an interest in botany and vegetation to the second symposium on 'Flora, Vegetation and Landscape of Pomerania' in Wartin, Germany.

The symposium comprises two days of plenary lectures and oral presentations alongside a poster exhibition. The third day is dedicated to field excursions.

The contributions focus on historical and current changes in the flora and vegetation of the Pomeranian landscape, including

- a. lakes and rivers
- b. peatlands
- c. coasts
- d. forests
- e. semi-natural grasslands
- f. agricultural land
- g. urban areas

We look forward to welcoming you in Wartin!  
The Organizing Committee

## Plenary lectures

Prof. Dr. i.R. Eike Gringmuth-Dallmer

*Department of Prehistoric and Protohistoric Archaeology  
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[Settlement, Economy and Land use in Oder region during prehistoric and protohistoric times](#)

Prof. Dr. Pierre L. Ibisch

*Professor for Nature Conservation  
Centre for Ecnics and Ecosystem Management  
University for Sustainable Development  
Eberswalde, Germany*

[Biodiversity in a changing world – a global perspective](#)

## Programme Outline

### September 6 (Thursday):

16:00 Registration  
20:00 Ice-breaking party

### September 7 (Friday):

08:00 Registration (continued)  
09:00 Welcome and Plenary lecture  
11:00 Oral presentations in two parallel sessions  
16:00 Poster session  
19:00 Conference dinner

### September 8 (Saturday):

09:00 Plenary lecture  
10:00 Oral presentations in two parallel sessions  
16:00 Poster session  
19:00 Barbecue

### September 9 (Sunday):

08:00 Field trips and transfer to train station/Wartin

## Field trips

### Field trip 1: Semi-natural wet and dry grasslands along the Randow Valley river

We will visit the esker Schwarze Berge (xeric sand calcareous grassland) in the morning, carry on to orchid meadows at Latzigsee with *Orchis palustris* and *Liparis loeselii*, and spent the afternoon at Koblentzer Seewiesen with inland salt vegetation.

### Field trip 2: Lakes and forests of the Mecklenburg lake district near Feldberg

We will start by crossing the Schmaler Luzin lake by boat and walking on Hauptmannsberg hill, providing a magnificent view over the lakes and the surrounding beech forests. In the afternoon, we will visit the woods of Heilige Hallen, one of the oldest and least disturbed beech forests in north-eastern Germany.

## Language

Presentations can be held in English, German or Polish and translation (German-Polish/Polish-German) will be provided. Slides are preferably presented in English.

Posters can be presented in English or in Polish/German with English translation of title and captions of figures and tables.

Abstracts for presentations and posters must be submitted in English. Language improvement by a native speaker will be provided upon request (please contact us!)

During the field trips, translation German-Polish/Polish-German will be provided.

## Venue and Travel

Wartin Manor is located about 100 km north of Berlin and 35 km southwest of Szczecin, in the enchanting landscape of the Uckermark, also known as the *Tuscany of the North*, a mixture of grass-covered hills, lakes, woods, and river valleys. The beautifully restored manor house is embedded in a peaceful and variegated park and gardens, making it the perfect place for a symposium on botany and landscape ecology. Wartin Manor is a regional cultural centre, an international congress venue, and the seat of both the European Academy and the Foundation Collegium Wartinum.

A shuttle service from Grambow and Casekow stations will be provided upon request. By car, you can reach Wartin from highway A11 (exit Schmölln) via Sommersdorf.

