

## Museum of the History of Medicine and Pharmacy Medical University in Białystok invites to European Academic Heritage Day November 18, 2016

## Academic heritage during the war

European universities host outstanding libraries, archives, museums, collections and monuments of historic, scientific and artistic interest. This heritage embodies the universities' 900-year contribution to the advancement of science and knowledge and is a major component of European identity and culture.

In order to raise awareness to the importance of university heritage, UNIVERSEUM, the European Academic Heritage Network, has established 18th November as European Academic Heritage Day.

On this day, European universities celebrate their common cultural heritage through special activities, debates, conferences and access to their museums, collections and monuments. The theme for 2016 is "University Heritage at War".

Taking up the topic of the military action and the victims of the battle, we would like to invite you to a lecture by prof. dr. hab. of medical sciences Bogusław Kędra dedicated to the military surgery from the beginning of the 20th century. The meeting will be accompanied by an exhibition of the 19<sup>th</sup> century surgical instruments and a movie ''Was World War I good for medicine?"

## **Program:**

8.30 – A movie – Was World War I good for medicine? (NATO Review)

9.00 - Surgery yesterday and today - a lecture by prof. dr. hab. of medical sciences.

Bogusław Kędra (II Department of General Surgery and Gastroenterology, UMB, )

Place: Aula Magna, Branicki Palace (1 J. Kilińskiego Street, Białystok)

## **Organizers:**

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