

# 1st circular

## Public recreation and landscape protection – with respect hand in hand?

### May 11–13, 2026, online/offline

### Křtiny



● Mendel  
● University  
● in Brno  
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 Česká  
bioklimatologická  
společnost



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**Dear friends and colleagues,**

On behalf of the Czech Society of Landscape Engineers and the Department of Landscape Management, Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology, Mendel University in Brno, we request the pleasure of your participation in the sixteenth year of conference

**“PUBLIC RECREATION AND LANDSCAPE PROTECTION – WITH  
RESPECT HAND IN HAND?”**

organized under the auspices  
of prof. Ing. Vladimír Gryc, Ph.D., the future Dean of the Faculty of Forestry and  
Wood Technology, Mendel University in Brno,

of doc. Ing. Tomáš Vrška, Dr., the Director of Training Forest Enterprise Masaryk  
Forest Křtiny, Mendel University in Brno,

of doc. Ing. Petr Kupec, Ph.D., the Head of the Department of Landscape  
Management, Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology, Mendel University in Brno,

of Ing. Pavel Müller, the Director of the Podyjí National Park Administration



in cooperation with Czech Bioclimatological Society, Nature Conservation Agency of  
the Czech Republic – Protected Landscape Area Moravian Karst  
and Partnerství, o.p.s.

## **The main topics of the conference:**

- ✓ Components of the recreational and tourist potential of the territory – landscape character, geological formations, forest vegetation, non-wood forest products, water elements in the landscape and more
- ✓ Recreational and touristic use of the area and environmental impact assessment (water, air, waste...)
- ✓ The use of natural phenomena to support the regional development, the possibility of subsidies drawing
- ✓ Damage to parts of nature by the recreational use - examples of solutions, experiences, good practices from the Czech Republic and from abroad
- ✓ Environmental education
- ✓ New trends in recreational use of the landscape (new kinds of sports, minimizing of the environmental impacts, new technologies...)
- ✓ Research results in the field of recreational use of the landscape
- ✓ Visitor monitoring

### **Scientific committee:**

Chairman of the scientific committee:

doc. Ing. Jitka Fialová, MSc., Ph.D. – Mendel University in Brno (CZ)

Members of the scientific committee:

prof. Ing. Matúš Jakubis, Ph.D. – Technical University in Zvolen (SK)

doc. Ing. Petr Kupec, Ph.D. – Mendel University in Brno (CZ)

prof. Ing. Ivo Machar, Ph.D. – Palacký University Olomouc (CZ)

prof. Ing. Martina Zeleňáková, Ph.D. – The Technical University of Košice (SK)

RNDr. Ing. Jaroslav Rožnovský, CSc. – Czech Bioclimatological Society (CZ)

Ing. Jaromír Čášek – Czech Society of Landscape Engineers (CZ)

Ing. Hedvika Psotová – Arvita P, spol. s r.o. (CZ)

Ismo Sarajärvi, MS.c. – Lapland University of Applied Sciences, Rovaniemi (FI)

Mgr. Ondřej Vítek, Ph.D. – Nature Conservation Agency of the Czech Republic (CZ)

Ing. Luboš Kala – Partnerství, o.p.s. (CZ)

### **Conference Organizational Committee:**

doc. Ing. Jitka Fialová, MSc., Ph.D. – Mendel University in Brno (CZ)

Ing. Irena Sokolová – Czech Society of Landscape Engineers (CZ)

Sylva Dvořáková – Mendel University in Brno (CZ)

Ing. Darek Lacina – Mendel University in Brno (CZ)

## The Overview of the Most Important Dates

Abstracts to be sent by	7 March 2026
Information on an acceptance of a paper/poster	by 14 March 2026
The reduced fee to be paid by	30 March 2026
Full paper for the proceedings to be sent by	12 April 2026
Registration by	30 April 2026
2 <sup>nd</sup> circular with a detailed conference program	3 May 2026
The higher fee to be paid by	3 May 2026

## Organization Instructions

**Conference languages:** Czech, English, Slovak

**Contribution language:** English (see guidelines)

Please, prepare the **presentations** in English. While presenting, you can speak all the conference languages.

The Scientific Committee of the conference reserves the right not to include the full version of the paper in the proceedings if it is not in line with the conference themes. Similarly, the Scientific Committee reserves the right not to include an article in the proceedings if it is not an original scientific paper or scientific communication.

The proceeding will be sent for evaluation to Clarivate Analytics and allocation Conference Proceeding Citation Index. The proceedings from the years 2010-2019 are included in the Web of Science™ Core Collection and from the years 2010, 2012- 2025 are included in the Scopus database.

The proceedings with full versions of papers will be published online and in a printed form. Articles in the proceedings will be assigned a DOI and each author submitting an article to the proceedings must declare that all authors agree to publish as **Open Access** and to the Creative Commons license (**CC-BY 4.0**).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate and ask by the e-mail ([raop@atlas.cz](mailto:raop@atlas.cz)).

We look forward to your participation.  
Conference Organizational Committee

## **Preliminary Schedule**

Monday, 11th May 2026

18.00–22.00 evening programme – offline

Tuesday, 12th May 2026

08.00–09.00 attendance check

09.00–09.15 ceremonial opening, word of introduction

09.15–10.30 1<sup>st</sup> block of presentations – will be streamed online

10.30–11.00 coffee break

11.00–12.00 2<sup>nd</sup> block of presentations – will be streamed online

12.00–13.00 lunch break

13.00–14.00 3<sup>rd</sup> block of presentations – will be streamed online

14.00–14.30 coffee break

14.30–18.00 excursions

A – Trout Farm Skalní Mlýn, Moravian Karst Nature House  
(less demanding option)

B – walk around the village of Rudice with Antonín Tůma  
(more demanding option)

18.30 – 24.00 an informal party with banquet

Wednesday, 13th May 2026

8.00 – 16.00 Excursion –Podyjí National Park and surroundings

## Participation Fee

<b>3 200 Kč</b>	<b>offline participation</b> when paid by 30 March 2026 including (the date when the fee has to be credited to our account)
<b>3 600 Kč</b>	<b>offline participation</b> for later payments, 3 May 2026 at latest
<b>2 100 Czk</b>	<b>online participation</b> when paid by 30 March 2026 including (the date when the fee has to be credited to our account)
<b>2 600 Kč</b>	<b>online participation</b> for later payments, 3 May 2026 at latest
<b>+ 500 Czk</b>	hardcopy of proceedings handed out at the registration
<b>+ 800 Czk</b>	hardcopy of proceedings sent by the mail
<b>+ 400 Czk</b>	when paying each extra article in the proceedings (1 is included in the basic fee)

The first author of a presentation is entitled to a **200 Czk reduction** on the conference fee. Employees or members of organizing institutions gain **a reduction of 100 Czk** and students gain **a reduction of 100 Czk**. Participants in last year's conference can apply **100 Czk discount**.

The above mentioned reductions can be cumulated. It is necessary to demonstrate the title to reduction in price during conference online check-in at the latest. The reductions can be applied for the article fee.

### **Bank Account:**

Česká společnost krajinných inženýrů - ČSSI, z. s., Thákurova 7, 166 29 Praha 6

IČO: 70155542

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V Celnici 1028/10, 117 21 Praha 1

account number: 2401368147/2010

We are not VAT payers.

IBAN: CZ2320100000002401368147,

BIC kód: FIOBCZPPXXX

**You need to write the invoice information already in the conference registration form.**

The participation fee **includes**:

refreshments during the conference (coffee breaks, 2x lunch, dinners), pre-conference debate, costs of hall rental, costs of organizing the conference, field trips and publishing the proceedings

## Photo competition

Everybody who is interested can send a photo and the committee will choose 3 the best once in 2 categories. Use the e-mail [raop@atlas.cz](mailto:raop@atlas.cz).

Theme:

- Nature, recreation and number 17 – meaning can be visible or hidden
  - o The best photo
  - o The most interesting/funny photo
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Deadline: 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026

## Accommodation

Accommodation can be booked directly at the conference venue at the castle in Křtiny. The price of accommodation is not included in the registration fee and must be arranged individually by each participant. The following prices apply to conference participants:

Single room – CZK 1,700; Double room – CZK 2,390; Extra bed – CZK 700; Suite for one or two people – CZK 2,500; Deluxe single room – CZK 2,000; Deluxe double room – CZK 2,500; Countess's suite for two people – CZK 3,500. An accommodation and recreation fee of CZK 20 per person per night must be paid. A buffet breakfast is included in the price of accommodation.

Contact: [recepce@zamek-krtiny.cz](mailto:recepce@zamek-krtiny.cz), or mobile +420 724 946 162

The castle is currently fully booked on Booking.com for conference purposes. After April 12, 2026, the hotel will offer unreserved rooms to the public.

## Conference Location



**The Křtiny Chateau Centre  
Křtiny 1  
679 05 Křtiny**

**GPS position:  
49°17'49,323"N  
16°44'31,606"E**