PhD Student Society

of the Faculty of History at the Jagiellonian University

would like to invite for

International Conference

City-Village-Residence

Space determining man's history – man forming the space

May 9-11 2013, Cracow

The conference is dedicated to a broad interdisciplinary group of researchers including

historians, art historians, archeologists, anthropologists, musicologists and all researchers

dealing with the issues described below.

The languages of the conferences are: Polish, English, Russian.

Aim of the conference

The conference aims to present the historical relationship between the man and the space,

where the man was born and which he has formed. We would like to present the space not

only as a territory, but also as a social, mental and spiritual life area. We put particular

emphasis on the man-to-space interaction defined as a mutual influence of these historical

factors on each other over the centuries.

Scope of subject-matters:

How did the space affect the life of the individual humans and the entire community?

How did it form and determine them?

What were the ways of crossing the border of the territorial, social and mental space?

The perception of territorial space – how did it change and how was it understood

according to the cultural circle and century?

• Art as an instrument of humanization and transformation the space.

Abstract is the basis for qualifications. It should be written in one of the three conference languages and contains a summary of the main thesis statements and references. Application card with abstract of no more than 1800 characters (without references) should be sent by 1 April 2013 to the following address: doktoranci.wh.uj@gmail.com

The registration fee is 150 PLN and covers all conference materials, accommodation (2 nights) and dinners. Notification of acceptance decisions will be communicated via email by 11 June 2013.

Any queries should be directed to: doktoranci.wh.uj@gmail.com

with compliments,
The Organizing Committee