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The General Assembly of the Polish Mineralogical Society was held on December 6, 2012. Officers of the Society were elected for the next two-year term.

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Professor Leszek Marynowski

The newly elected president of the Mineralogical Society of Poland, Leszek Marynowski, is an organic geochemist working at the University of Silesia. He is the author of numerous papers published in peer-reviewed journals. His main research interests are focused on the use of biomarkers in paleoenvironmental reconstructions and the organic-geochemical interpretation of the mass extinction events in the Phanerozoic.

MINERALOGICAL SOCIETY OF POLAND AWARD FOR THE BEST MSC THESIS IN MINERALOGY, PETROLOGY AND GEOCHEMISTRY IN 2012



Daria Czaplińska – holder of the MSc award



Rafał Warchulski – holder of the MSc award

Diplomas for the best MSc thesis in mineralogy, petrology and geochemistry were awarded to Daria Czaplińska from the Jagiellonian University and Rafał Warchulski from the University of Silesia. Daria Czaplińska's thesis concerned the mineralogical and chemical compositions of the cataclastic and mylonitic granitoids from the Upper Tatra Mountains. Her supervisor was Prof. Marek Michalik. Rafał Warchulski prepared his thesis under the supervision of Prof. Aleksandra Gawęda. His thesis dealt with the primary and secondary crystalline phases of metallurgical wastes.

L. Marynowski

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