



## Polish Ergonomics Society (PES)

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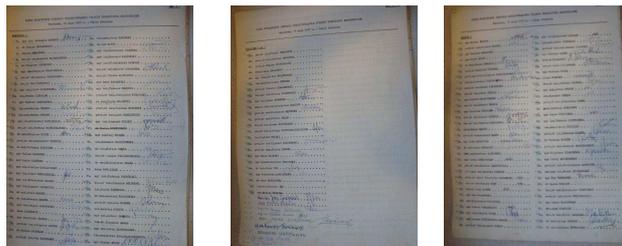


## Polish Ergonomics Society



PES was founded on 16 May 1977, at the initiative of the Committee of Ergonomics of the Polish Academy of Sciences (PAN) and with 214 founding members.

The Society was registered under the number 1010 in the City of Warsaw Associations Register on 17 August 1977.



## VII Congress of the International Ergonomics Society was held in Warsaw 27<sup>th</sup>–30<sup>th</sup> of August 1979

The VII<sup>th</sup> Congress of IEA was organized in the year dedicated to 180<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of Wojciech Bogumił Jastrzębowski, who introduced the name: "ergonomics".

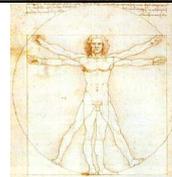
In 1857 he published a series of articles in the quarterly *Nature and Industry*, entitled "Outline of Ergonomics ..."

On this occasion, a commemorative medal was minted and the Polish Post issued a special stamp.



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## PES Mission



PES mission is to develop and improve the science and practice of ergonomics and expanding the scope of ergonomics and its impact on the quality of life of the society, in close cooperation with related organizations and associations.

(from the Statute of PES)

## **PES Objectives**

- inspiring and encouraging scientific research and inventions in the field of ergonomics,
- providing assistance in the implementation of new scientific achievements into practice,
- inspiring and supporting education activities in the field of ergonomics in all sectors of the economy,

(from the Statute of PES)

## **PES Objectives** (continued)

- promoting and popularizing the application of ergonomics knowledge, especially in the higher education system and universities,
- cooperation with PAS and other social and professional organizations,
- cooperation with international and foreign organizations in order to exchange experiences,

(from the Statute of PES)

## **PES Objectives** (continued)

- organization of scientific meetings, conferences, symposia, seminars,
- initiating publication in the press, radio and television,
- supporting training and workshops

(from the Statute of PES)



## **Representation in**

IEA



FEES



CREE Centre for Registration of European Ergonomists



CLP (Council for Labour Protection) at Polish Parliament

## PES headquarter – Warsaw

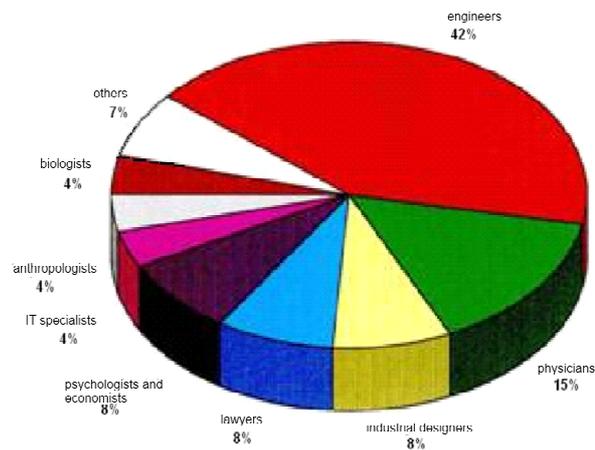


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## PES members 2014



## PES members' occupations



## PES Aims – supporting the following actions/initiatives

1. Euro Ergonomists certification
2. Products' approval
3. Systems' and processes' certification
4. Publishing activities
5. PES members integration
6. Constituting ergonomics as a scientific discipline
7. Foundation of the Faculty of Ergonomics



## BOARD/BRANCHES COOPERATION

- To establish an information exchange system on conferences and other events,
- To create a database with branches' research profiles,
- To develop an electronic reporting system of technical and financial information between branches and board.



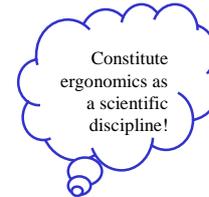
## PES INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION

- Participation of PES members in international research projects.
- Cooperation with organizations and associations dealing with related issues.
- PES membership in FEES and IEA.



## CONSTITUTE ERGONOMICS AS A SCIENTIFIC DISCIPLINE

- PES will support the initiatives aiming at constitution of ergonomics as a scientific discipline in the field of technical or management sciences.
- The argument for the above would be indicating the corresponding number of professors having scientific research achievements and conducting studies in the field of ergonomics.



## CREATING FACULTY OF ERGONOMICS

PES will support the initiatives for creating Faculty of Ergonomics.

It requires the development of:

- education concept, curriculum and teaching methods,
- plan of education corresponding to education standards for ergonomics faculty, curriculum containing appropriate content, hours number etc. (syllabus)

