International Day of Educating City in Katowice

Location: Kato Science Corner

1. Workshops for teachers:

Effective communication in practice and youth words of the year

Date: November 30, 2023. Time: 10:00-11:30

Brief description: Is the LOL phrase still cool? Does git still mean the same thing it did twenty years ago? We invite you to workshops for teachers that will help you unravel the enigma of youth phrases used in everyday situations. The meeting will be led by Dr. Agnieszka Put, a communication specialist, head of the Communication Department at the University of Economics in Katowice, and an academic lecturer.

1. Workshops for youth:

Topic: How to take a good photo and record a good video with a smartphone?

Date: November 30, 2023 time: 13:30-15:00

Conducted by: Barbara Jendrzejczyk, Collaboration: Ilona Ptak

Brief description: The camera you always have with you is the best camera! If you want to use the potential of your smartphone and learn how to take a good photo with your phone, you have to come to these workshops! During the meeting, you will learn the basics of photography and you will also be able to try out equipment that will help you achieve better results. A mobile photo studio will be at your disposal and you will be able to practice portrait photography. This knowledge will certainly be useful in your video productions, e.g. reels. Remember to take a charged phone.

On September 14, the Kato Science Corner was opened, a new space for disseminating the idea of the European City of Science Katowice 2024 and the GZM Metrolab. It is located in a historic tenement house on the corner of Pocztowa and Młyńska streets.

As part of activities aimed at disseminating the idea of the European City of Science Katowice 2024, it was necessary to create a place dedicated to ECSK 2024 as an information point, a space for joint meetings, events, projects, research and other activities carried out under the received title. Kato Science Corner is also the headquarters of Metrolab, a place for a creative approach to the city. In Metrolab, everyone has the opportunity to share their idea for the city, jointly design proposed changes or new services, try to implement and test them. The space itself is intended to be a place for inspiring meetings, discussions, and creative brainstorming in a cozy and relaxed atmosphere.

The project jointly financed by the City and GZM involves the preparation of a calendar of meetings, lectures, workshops, and presentations presenting the subject of the City of Science, and more broadly, science in general, also based on the program assumptions of EMNK 2024 and Metrolab GZM. Since October, all universities included in the Academic Consortium "Katowice-City of Science" have declared their participation in the project, and the University of Economics is responsible for coordinating these activities.​