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The Faculty of Mining and Geology of the Silesian University of Technology (Gliwice, Poland) readily cooperates with scientific centres, research institutes as well as with the industry.

The yearly Mining of Sustainable Development Conference [Polish: Konferencja Naukowa Górnictwo Zrównoważonego Rozwoju] organized at the Faculty of Mining and Geology of the Silesian University of Technology is a great occasion to exchange knowledge and experience.

The aim of the conference is to develop and reinforce the cooperation within the scientific and industry-related societies in view of the current problems of modern mining and environment protection.

In 2018 the conference took place on November 28th under the patronage of Jastrzębska Spółka Węglowa to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the establishment of that company. The conference was held under the honorary patronage of the Rector of the Silesian University of Technology prof. dr hab. inż. Arkadiusz Mężyk and dr inż. Adam Mirek – the President of the Polish State Mining Authority.

Over one hundred and fifty participants gathered during the conference. In the first part of the conference, the representatives of the industry and scientists from affiliated universities presented their papers during a Plenary Session. Subsequently, the participants selected one of the available thematic sessions, where papers by the employees of the Faculty of Mining and Geology were mostly presented. The thematic sessions concerned the problems of energy-mechanical engineering in mining, underground construction and surface protection, safety in mining, exploration and exploitation of deposits as well as the broadly understood environment protection.

The conference attracted a significant interest, which resulted in numerous discussions as well as a coverage in a local newspaper and at the nettg.pl mining portal which was the media sponsor of the event.

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