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PROFESSOR JERZY MIKUŁOWSKI POMORSKI,
a prominent Polish scholar
and mass communication researcher



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PROMINENT POLISH RESEARCHER IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES

Professor Jerzy Mikułowski Pomorski is a Polish scholar, specialising in mass media, social, intercultural and international communication, and sociology of culture. He was born in 1937 in Katowice, Poland. He graduated in sociology at the Jagiellonian University in Cracow. He has studied at the London School of Economics and Political Sciences, UK. During his academic career he served as Rector of the Economic University in Cracow (1990–1996) and chair of the Department of European Studies at the Economic University in Cracow. Most recently, he has worked at the University of Silesia in Katowice, where he received His Doctor honoris causa (2017). He is Doctor honoris causa of Grand Valley State University in the USA (1993) and University of Teesside in the United Kingdom (1995). He is a member of the International Institute of Communication in London and European Studies Institute University of Salford in the UK, University Council of Education Management Transfer in Stockholm in Sweden, as well as the Networks of International Business and Economic Schools. Thanks to his long-term contribution to Polish science he has been awarded the most prestigious Polish prizes, such as the Golden Cross of Merit (1984), (1991), the Knight's Cross of Order of the Rebirth of Poland (1991), the Officer's Cross of Order of the Rebirth of Poland (1999).

Professor Mikułowski Pomorski is the author of hundreds of scientific publications. This includes *Zmieniający się świat mediów* [*The changing world of the media*] (2008), *Jak narody porozumiewają się ze sobą w komunikacji międzykulturowej i komunikowaniu medialnym* [*How nations communicate in international and media communication*] (2006), *Kultura wobec społecznej transformacji* [*Culture in the face of social transformation*] (2005) and *Komunikacja międzykulturowa* [*Intercultural communication*] (2009, 2004).

Professor Jerzy Mikułowski Pomorski is one of the founders of the Polish Communication Association (PCA). He holds Honorary Membership of the PCA (2010). He is a member of the Editorial Board of the *Central European Journal of Communication*.

We dedicate this issue of the *Central European Journal of Communication* to mark the outstanding contribution of Professor Jerzy Mikułowski Pomorski in social science in Poland and abroad. On behalf of the PCA's community we wish him all the best in current and future endeavours.

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