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NEWSLETTER - 2025/07

CHAMBER NEWS

# We are relaunching our FIT FOR POLAND – STARTUP ACCELERATOR program.



#### Fit for Poland II. -Startup Accelerator Program

Polish-Hungarian Chamber of Commerce is launching the second edition of the "Fit for Poland II." State Accelerator Program, which supports Hungarian strartups in entering the Polish market.

Why should you apply?

As part of the program, you will:

- · get to know the Polish innovation ecosystem,
- develop a case study of real market expansion,
- · take part in training on negotiation techniques and business culture

#### **Program Structure:**

In-person meeting in Budapest: September 3rd, 2025 In-person meeting in Katowice: October 27-28, 2025r.

Online webinars: September-October 2025

Networking programs after in-person meetings

**Application:** 

Complete the online application form and attach a short video (max 5 minutes) in English showcasing your proj

Application deadline: 7th of August 2025

In case of any questions, please contat us at: info@plhucc.com

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*InnoMaker Partners* is the official Hungarian ecosystem partner supporting **Deep Tech CEE Summit 2025**, which will take place in Warsaw on October 27-29, 2025.

This three-day event is one of the key forums focused on deep teh in the Central and Eastern Europe region. It brings together startups, investors, researchers and innovation decision-makers on a unique platforms.

The highlight of the summit is the CEE Challenge startup competition, with applications open until July 30, 2025.

Finalists will participate in Investor Day,where over 100 investors will be ready for one-on-one meetings. The top participants will receive a total **c**ash prize of €8,500and an invitation to the Hello Tomorrow Global Summit 2026.

This is a unique opportunity for HUnarian deep tech startups to present themselves on the croos-border stage, expand their network and strengthen their presence in CEE.



## Event Calendar 2025 2nd half



In 2025 the *Polish-Hungarian Chamber of Commerce* is organizing numerous events supporting Polish-Hunarian business relations and provide insight into the business and economic relations.

The event calendar also includes activities organized by our member companies and partner institutions. The calendar is regularly updated.

You can view the events at the following link:

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#### **EVENT**

Polish-Hungarian Business Mixer-Rooftop Event in Budapest



#### Polish-Hungarian Networking Event in Budapest

The *Polish-Hungarian Chamber of Commerce* is pleased to invite you to the **Polish-Hungarian Business Mixer**, taking place on **September 3, 2025**, from **16:30 to 19:00**, on the **rooftop terrace of Millennium Gardens** in Budapest (Lechner Ödön fasor 10/B).

This exclusive event offers a unique opportunity to connect with **startups**, **investors**, **and business leaders** from Hungary and Poland, with a special focus on **investment**, **innovation**, **and cross-border collaboration**. It's the ideal setting to discover promising Hungarian startups, share ideas, and promote your business in a dynamic, international environment.

#### **Participation fees:**

- Members: 1 person free / 15,000 HUF (+VAT) for additional guests
- Non-members: 25,000 HUF (+VAT)
- Early bird (until August 13th): 17,000 HUF (+VAT)

Registration begins on August 1st!

For more information, contact us at info@plhucc.com.

We look forward to welcoming you!

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## PETERKA PARTNERS has opened its tenth office in southern Poland.



#### PETERKA PARTNERS opened its tenth office in Southern Poland

PETERKA PARTNERS has officially opened a new office in **Rzeszów** – the capital of the **Podkarpackie Voivodeship**, located in southeastern Poland, near the border with Ukraine. The new location is a response to growing client demand in the region and is part of the firm's consistent expansion strategy in Central and Eastern Europe.

The **Rzeszów office** is headed by two experienced Polish lawyers: **attorney-at-law Dagmara Klimek** and **attorney-at-law Dawid Lewicki** – both of whom serve as directors of the office. The local team now **numbers ten**, and the firm plans to expand further, reflecting its growing presence in the region.

The new office **provides comprehensive legal and tax advisory services** to domestic and international clients – from day-to-day operational support to the implementation of complex local and cross-border transactions.

The opening of the Rzeszów branch strengthens the firm's offerings to **Polish businesses**, particularly those operating in the Czech Republic, Slovakia, and other countries in the region. **The Polish Desk** model – offering Polish-language client service and international coordination – is a direct response to the needs of Polish companies planning international expansion or already active in international markets.

In Rzeszów, as in other parts of Poland, PETERKA PARTNERS collaborates with local law firms, providing legal services as a subcontractor to clients in Central and Eastern Europe. This collaboration gives local firms access to PETERKA PARTNERS's regional and international infrastructure.

The firm's **Polish team** advises leading companies in Central and Eastern Europe and global corporations – particularly those Polish companies planning to enter or already operating in international markets. The scope of advice includes commercial law, mergers and acquisitions, labor law, tax, real estate law, bankruptcy and restructuring proceedings, intellectual property, and litigation and out-of-court disputes.

PETERKA PARTNERS is also actively involved in numerous organizations, such as: Globaladvocaten, Airlines 4 Europe, the Scandinavian-Polish Chamber of Commerce, the Polish-Romanian Chamber of Commerce and Industry, the Podkarpackie Business Club, and the Rzeszów Regional Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

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Details and more information are available at the following link:

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#### **MEET OUR NEW MEMBER COMPANY**

The Varsovia University of Business and Applied Sciences – EUniversity Ltd.

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Varsovia University of Business and Applied Sciences offers EU-accredited university programs in 5 countries, also available for students in Hungary. Our Management and Psychology programs are accessible alongside employment, in both online and hybrid formats. Our lecturers are recognized practitioners who design their courses based on the latest industry trends. No admission score threshold, no language exam requirement, and no upper age limit: flexible learning with affordable payment options.

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## TARGI W KRAKOWIE - Targi w Krakowie has a new president



Targi w Krakowie has a new president – Ewa Woch takes over

From 1 July 2025, Targi w Krakowie will be headed by a new president: Ewa Woch, the company's cofounder and current vice president, will replace Grażyna Grabowska, who is retiring.

Ewa Woch has been active in the Polish trade fair sector for decades, with significant experience in strategic partnerships, event development and congress management. She has previously been awarded the title of "Manager of the Year" and the Honoris Gratia award.

The other members of the management board are: Paweł Nikliński (vice president), Małgorzata Borowiec (new vice president), and Marcin Bugajski (member of the board).

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# TARGI W KRAKOWIE – KRAKDENT® Wins the UFI Marketing Award 2025



#### **KRAKDENT®** Wins the UFI Marketing Award 2025

The 30th edition of the International Dental Trade Fair KRAKDENT®, organized by Targi w Krakowie, has been honored with the prestigious **2025 UFI Marketing Award**, granted by the **Global Association of the Exhibition Industry (UFI)** for the world's most outstanding exhibition marketing campaigns.

This year's competition focused on strategies aimed at engaging younger generations. KRAKDENT® stood out with a well-thought-out approach based on **storytelling**, **video marketing**, **and social media**, successfully reaching dental professionals from the Millennial, Gen Z, and Alpha generations.

The campaign was not only effective but also set an example for the future of exhibition industry marketing. The award ceremony will take place during the **UFI Global Congress** 

2025 in Hong Kong.

Next edition of KRAKDENT®: April 16-18, 2026

Venue: **EXPO Kraków**More info: krakdent.pl

#### BUSINESS NEWS FROM HUNGARY

### **NEWS ON HUNGARIAN MARKET**

## PETERKA PARTNERS

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#### **New Tax and Labor Law Changes in Hungary**

The Polish-Hungarian Chamber of Commerce aims to provide its members with up-to-date business information regarding the Hungarian market. In cooperation with our member firm, **PETERKA & PARTNERS**, we highlight two important recent changes:

- Corporate Income Tax: new reporting options and favorable modifications

  Companies that become domestic taxpayers as a result of cross-border restructuring may report previously acquired shareholdings within 75 days. In addition, the draft law clarifies that demergers are considered preferential asset transfers, and in cases of partial non-performance, the tax base may be adjusted proportionally. The upper limit of the tax deduction related to R&D activities will increase to 150 million HUF.
- Possibility to request a tax identification number for third-country workers
   Employers can now request a tax identification number from the authorities for employees arriving from outside the EU if it is necessary for their employment.

Detailed information and official documents are available at the following link:

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