

80th Anniversary of Professor Krzysztof Birkenmajer



Professor Krzysztof Birkenmajer in Recherchfjorden, Spitsbergen.
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This issue of *Polish Polar Research* is dedicated to Professor Krzysztof Birkenmajer on the occasion of His 80th birthday to honour His achievements in polar sciences, with special reference to geological exploration of the Arctic and Antarctic.

We wish the Honorary Chair of our Polar Committee good health and many more successes in His scientific career. With our sincere congratulations, we trust that He will have as much energy and enthusiasm for future support of the Polish research as for His contribution to the 3rd IGY.

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