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To get new members to NBO's.



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NBO & Alzheimer Association should join forces and a chosen specialist from Bridge 60+ program will coordinate it.





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FINALLY we can apply to WHO to get their financial support. Cooperation with Universities and Alzheimer Association will help a lot.





HOW DOES IT WORK IN POLAND?

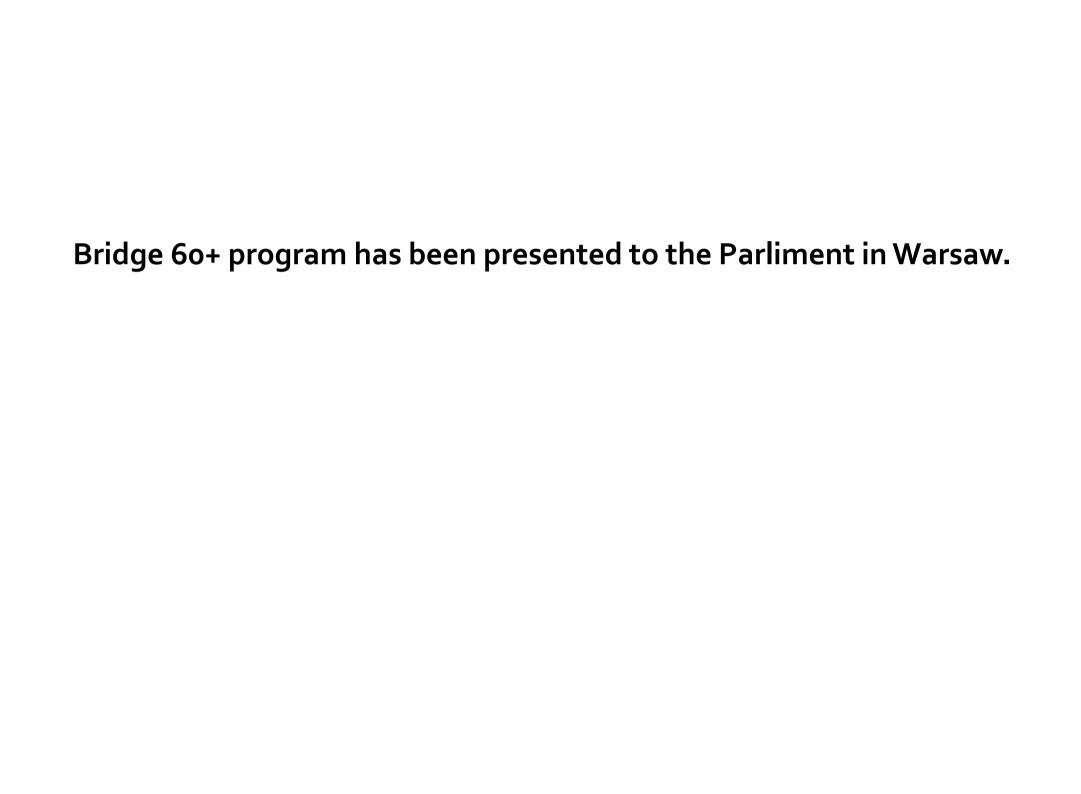
Polish Bridge Union gave me authorization to all necessary activities within the program.



We received financial support from Ministry of Labour and Social Policy and one of insurance companies.







We're running www.bridge6oplus.eu web site and facebook fanpage.



We placed information about the program in several media.



Within two years 180 "clubs" joined our program!





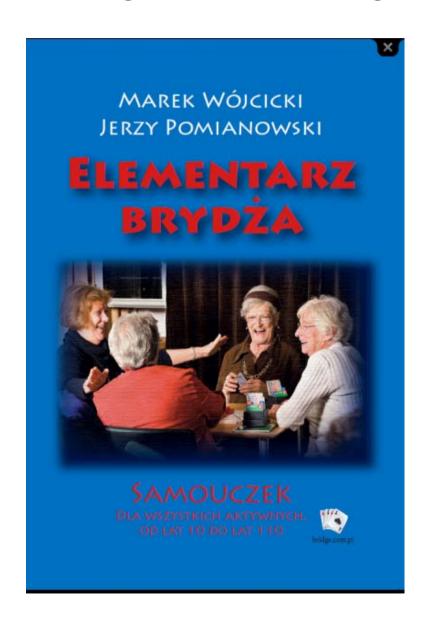
All has been equipped with boxes, cards, bidding-boxes and leaflets.



HOW TO JOIN THE PROJECT? 1. ATTACH TO THE PROJECT IN A CONVENIENT SPOT. YOU WILL FIND THE ADDRESS AND CONTACT INFORMATION ON WWW.BRIDGE60PLUS.EU 2. COME TO THE FIRST MEETING WHERE YOU WILL RECEIVE BRIDGE BOOK SUITABLE FOR YOU. 3. TALK TO OUR INSTRUCTOR AND OTHER PARTICIPANTS. THEY WILL SHARE THEIR EXPERIENCE WITH YOU. INSTRUCTOR WILL EXPLAIN YOU RULES OF THE GAME 2 AND ANSWEAR ALL YOUR QUESTIONS 4. ENJOY THE GAME AND MEET NEW FRIENDS AT THE BRIDGE TABLE! NOTES: JUST TRY TO GO AWAY FROM HOME MEET NEW PEOPLE **EVERY AGE IS PROPER** FOR A NEW HOBBY! THE NEAREST ADDRESS: PZV Ministerstwo Pracy i Polityki Społecznej

www.bridge60plus.eu

"Elementary bridge book" was specially edited and distributed to all clubs and given for free to beginners.



"I want to play bridge better" was edited for advanced players.



All "teachers" received brochure with instruction how to teach old people.

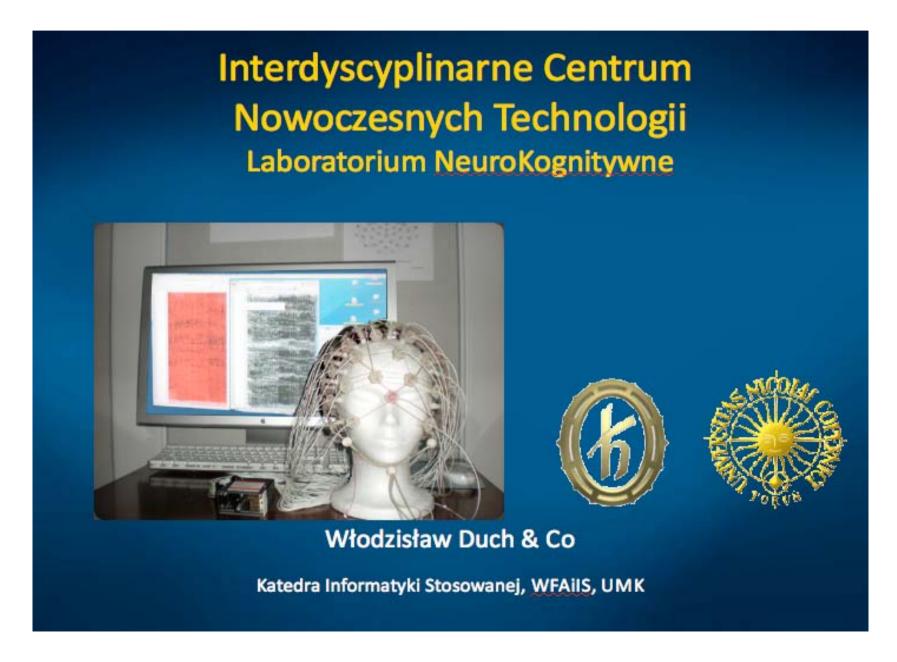
Most of the teachers received small money for their lessons.

Together with University Nicolaus Copernicus we did the first research checking results of the program. Later this University started official cooperation with EBL within their research program (various influences on brain from people activities).





Their "Neurocognitive Laboratory" employes psycholgists, physicists, mathematicians and medical doctors.



http://intl.bridge6oplus.eu/



WHO IS NEXT TO JOIN THE PROGRAM?



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