

AMBERIF Spring 2024 has come to a close! It was three days and evenings full of business relationships, artistic presentations and unforgettable experiences.

240 exhibitors from 13 countries met 2500 visitors from 51 countries. Attendees came from Argentina, Bahrain, Canada, China, Finland, Japan, Italy, Saudi Arabia, Sweden, the United States and the United Arab Emirates, among others.

Although the heart of the Fair is unchangingly amber, exhibitors also presented jewellery made of gold, silver, diamonds, pearls, gemstones, as well as specialised machinery, equipment and furniture. The Designers' Zone attracted a lot of interest; beginner designers were able to present their creations in the Start Up zone, which they participated in for a symbolic one PLN.

A new feature of the latest edition was the Art Zone, which featured exhibitions showcasing artistic jewellery by esteemed designers, winners of international competitions, as well as a photographic exhibition. In addition, AMBERIF participants were able to take part in numerous training sessions, including on the use of digital tools to promote their brand, patent protection and product photography.

After a gap of several years, the Fair was celebrated with a jewellery and fashion show, held in a refreshed form under the name AMBERIF Vibes. It featured amber jewellery and fashion designer duos:

- jewellery designer Dorota Cenecka together with fashion designer Joanna Weyna, brand PUDU,
- jewellery designer Anna Węsierska together with fashion designer Ismena Warszawska,
- jewellery designer Ireneusz Glaza together with fashion designer Barbara Piekut,
- jewellery designer Tomasz Kargul together with fashion partner HONKO Store,
- jewellery designer Tomasz Stangrecki and fashion designer Michał Starost.

The evening event also saw the official award ceremonies of the amber competitions. As many as 229 artists from 32 countries took part in the Amberif Design Award, for the best jewellery design with amber. The jury decided to honour 26 works and to award prizes: Grand Prix for Tadeusz Jaskowiak for the pendant „Inclusion”, silver award for Miriam Arentz for the brooch „Radiance”, amber award for the pendant „Empyrean of Eden” for Teresa Dantas, and an honorable mention for the ring „Eternal Flame of Hope” for Tor Legernaes.

The second competition, the results of which were announced during the evening meeting of exhibitors, was AMBERIF Selection. The main prize - the Statue of the Ministry of Development and Technology - went to Maciej Rozenberg for the ring „ES THEUS”, and the award of the Gdańsk International Fair Co. went to S&A for the kinetic pendant „12 zero”. The judging panel also decided to honour Gin Atelier Dorota Cenecka for a set of rings and Chilli Ireneusz Glaza for a ring „Orion's ring”.

The next edition will also be open to the public from outside the jewellery industry. The organisers are already inviting the public to AMBERIF Autumn, which this year will take place on 29-31.08.2024. The next trade fair with an industry focus will take place on 13-15.03.2025.

More informations: www.amberif.pl/en