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All members and friends of Polish-American Engineers Association are cordially invited to attend our meeting.

DATE:	Friday, December 5 <sup>th</sup> 2014
TIME:	7:30 p.m.
PLACE:	Copernicus Center Kings Hall 5216 W. Lawrence Avenue Chicago, Illinois
SPEAKERS:	Captain Kris Kaminski
TOPIC:	Sailing in South America

## Captain Kris Kaminski



### Presenter

Captain Kris Kaminski is a successful businessman with office and facility located in in the North Shore area, His passion and hobby is sailing. Kris is licensed as and has a rank of Captain with Certificate # 1649. He is a Commodore of Polish Yachting Association of North America and past Commodore of Joseph Conrad Yacht Club. He is a founder and President of Inter Pro Sailing Team. He is a member of the International Brotherhood of the Coast and has a membership in a very prestigious Brotherhood of Cape Horn Captain Kaminski was elected to the membership of the Anchor Club of Polish Navy and is a member of Gdynia Chapter. He has been racing very successfully in the Great Lakes Area with excellent placement in the Mackinaw Regattas organized by Chicago Yacht Club.

### ABSTRACT

Captain Kaminski will take us on a journey to the most dangerous and beautiful area of South America. : Chilean fiords, Strait of Magellan and Cape Horn. Cruise to Cape Horn was accomplished on board of sailing sloop. His photo journey will allow us to view this both hostile but spectacular part of the world.





# Appetizers and coffee/tea will be served as we close 2014 in a festive mood. The Cash bar as always will be available

We are very grateful to all members and sympathizers for support of our November 15<sup>th</sup> banquet commemorating the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the PAEA. Close to 150 members participated. The PAEA recognized three members who achieved a major milestone: fifty years of continuous service to the PAEA. Recognition went to Miroslaw Noyszewski, Stanley Lyskanowski and Dr. Ron Wolosewicz. Additionally, we recognized Barbara and Leonard Myszynski, filmmakers who are currently working on a movie dedicated to achievements of Ralph Modjeski. Finally, recognition went to three executive members of the Council of Polish Engineers in North America: Prof Andrew Nowak, Prof Andrew Targowski and Mr. Chris Kluczewski. Everyone enjoyed a delicious dinner served in the Blue hall of European Crystal. The Michael Kienko quartet provided excellent jazz music appreciated by the best dancers of the PAEA.

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## **General Interest**

### CHRISTMAS ORNAMENTS WORKSHOP

Prepare for the holidays with the PMA — Saturday, December 13, 2014



The PMA will offer a Christmas workshop on the art of ornament making, on Saturday, December 13, 2014, in the Polish Roman Catholic Union of America Social Hall.

Morning workshop session – 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Afternoon workshop session – 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Workshop fees, which includes a free admission ticket to the Museum – Adults: \$15 & Children under 12\*: \$7 \*All Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Please submit your payment and reservation no later than December 12th to: PMA Christmas Workshop 984 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, IL 60642-4101 Or by phone: (773) 384-3352, ext. 2102.

Space is limited. Walk-ins may be turned away. Please arrive 10 minutes before the scheduled session. Free parking available.

www.facebook.com/events/718997461523174/

SAVE THE DATE Sunday, January 18, 2015, at 4:00 pm. The Polish Museum of America 984 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, IL



## Let's sing! The best caroling is at the "PMA-AMOPOD Wieczór Kolęd (Evening of Carols)" - an evening of bilingual caroling.

This annual event is always fun. It starts with a cocktail mixer, and then everybody sings, including you! You will get a little songbook, and, accompanied by a piano, you will join the crowd in singing songs, including "Jingle Bells" and "Bóg się rodzi." Afterwards, there's a hot buffet of delicious Polish food.

Come join others who share your heritage. Immerse yourself in the cultural richness of Christmas celebrations. Renew the bond with an important part of yourself, and refresh your link with the community.

The date of the event is Sunday, January 18th, 2015 – keeping with the Polish tradition, where caroling only starts on Christmas Eve, but then can continue throughout January. Please save the date!

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