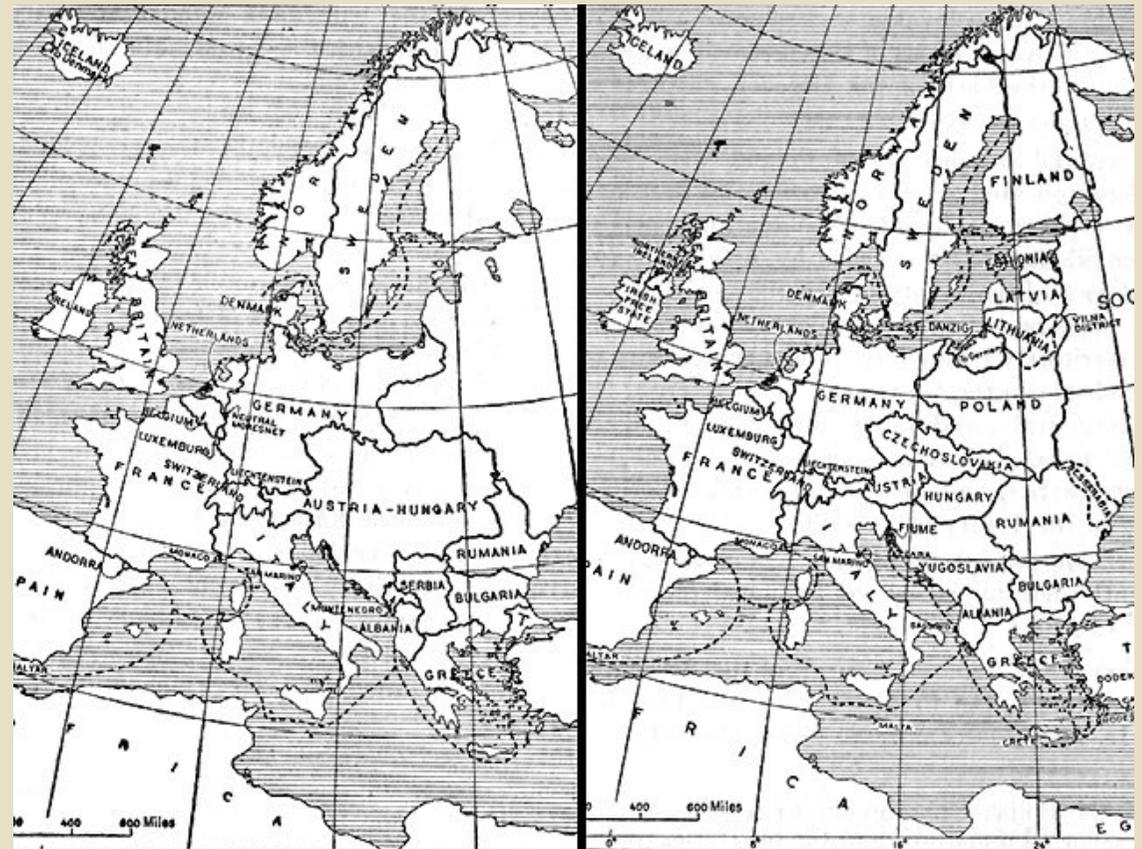


# CROSS-BORDER DIMENSION OF (UN)SUSTAINABLE TOURISM IN BORDER REGIONS

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# Research context

- Project „**The Impact of Post-war Population Transfers on the Czech-Polish Cross-border Cooperation**“ supported by the Polish National Science Center (NCN), 2021/43/I/HS5/02529, and Czech Science Foundation (GAČR), grant No. 22-04226L.
- **Semi-structured interviews** conducted with a diverse array of stakeholders involved in regional development within the Praděd/Pradziad, Nisa/Neisse/Nysa, and Glacensis Euroregions.



Source: Wikimedia Commons



# In what ways are borders still present?

In many ways, for example:

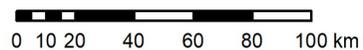
- Public transport
- Financing of tourism promotion
- Travel guides and websites
- Visitor mindset

It follows:

- Use of mainly personal car transport
- Cross-border promotion is realized only if there is an Interrreg project
- Information sources divide the territory according to administrative boundaries
- Visitors stay on the "domestic" side of the border

Railway	Operation status
Frýdlant – Heřmanice – Bogatynia – Zittau	Dismantled
Frýdlant - Zgorzelec	Personal traffic cancelled
Jindřichovice pod Smrkem – Gryfów Śląski	Dismantled
Tanvald - Jelenia Góra	Functional
Královec - Kamienna Góra	Functional
Meziměstí - Mieroszów	Personal traffic cancelled
Otovice zastávka – Ścinawka Średnia	Dismantled
Náchod – Kudowa Zdrój	Dismantled
Lichkov - Kłodzko	Functional
Bernartice u Javorníka – Otmuchów	Dismantled
Vidnava – Nysa	Dismantled
Jeseník - Głuchołazy - Krnov	Travel possible only from Czechia to Czechia
Krnov – Głubczyce	Dismantled
Opava-západ – Pilszcz	Dismantled
Chuchelná – Racibórz	Dismantled
Bohumín – Racibórz	Functional
Bohumín - Zebrzydowice	Functional
Český Těšín - Cieszyn	Functional

## Turistické oblasti DMO v roce 2021



hranice kraje

DMO - Organizace destinačního managementu

Source: Czech Statistical Office

Do you know these places?



# Do you know these places?



Wodospad Kamieńczyka, source: Slevomat.cz



Złoty Stok – former gold mine, source: Facebook

Why is it not a problem for us to travel abroad, except close to our borders?



Adolf Liebscher - Čechové na Baltu, source: Wikimedia Commons



Source: Forbes.com



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