

## 71st commemoration of Katyn crime

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**On 13 April 2011, the delegation of the Multinational Corps Northeast (MNC NE) headed by the MNC NE Commander Lieutenant General Rainer Korff participated in annual commemoration of victims of Katyn crime, held at Central Cemetery in Szczecin.**

Families of those who lost family members in Katyn, representatives of regional and municipal authorities, clergy and Polish Institute of National Remembrance, the uniformed services including the MNC NE delegation, students and pupils of Szczecin schools as well as Szczecin inhabitants gathered at the Katyn Cross to commemorate the tragic events of 1940 when more than 20 000 Polish prisoners of war were murdered by Soviets.

After a series of speeches and a common prayer, the delegations laid wreaths at the Katyn Cross. Multinational Corps Northeast was represented by the Commander Lieutenant General Rainer Korff, his Deputy Major General Ryszard Sorokosz, the Chief of Staff Brigadier General Morten Danielsson as well as Danish, German and Polish Senior National Representatives.

During the ceremony, the victims of a plane crash of 10 April 2010, including the President of Poland, his wife, prominent politicians, generals and other elite members of the society, were commemorated in a common prayer, too.

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