

# Monastery Gardens and Spiritual Tourism

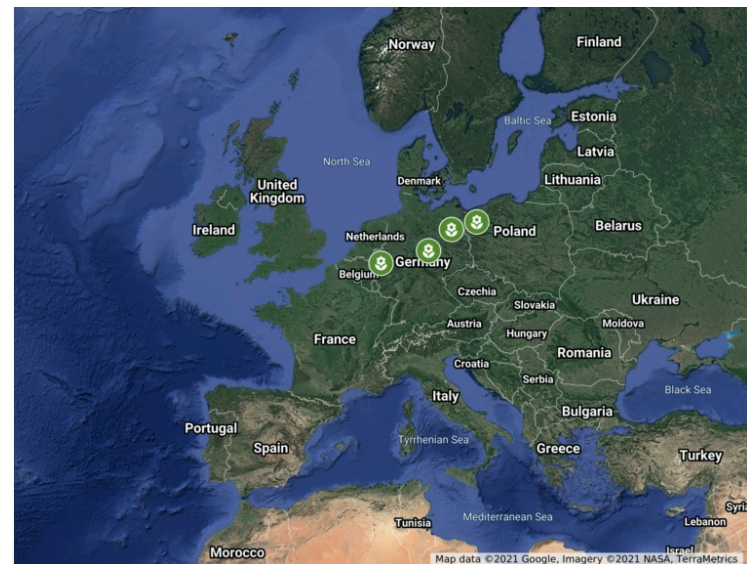
*A comparative potential analysis  
of locations in Germany and Poland*

## Aims

The goal of the project is a comparative analysis of the potential offered by **spiritual tourism** in selected German and Polish monastery gardens and their networking possibilities.

The central guiding question is: what significance does the monastery garden have for each specific monastery in relation to spiritual tourism?

Also a focus of interest is the importance of spiritual tourism for monastery garden authorities.



Michaelstein

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## Scientific approach

The study is based on expert interviews with monastery garden authorities, evaluated by using the Grounded Theory Methodology (GTM).

Photos of the gardens, tourist material and the websites of the monasteries will be analysed (triangulation).



Lindow

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Langwaden

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