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the 11<sup>th</sup> International Brown Coal Mining Congress, titled:**

***“BROWN COAL – ALTERNATIVE DIRECTIONS OF APPLICATION”***

- The paper should not be longer than ca. 8 pages in the A4 format.
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