Along the Motława

Lining the Motława River is Gdańsk’s waterfront, once a busy quay crowded with hundreds of sailing ships loading and unloading their cargo.

Start: Green Bridge
Distance: 700m
Duration: 20 minutes

1. The Green Bridge (Brama Chlebnicka), built around 1450, has the original city coat of arms consisting of two crosses.

2. The Bread Gate (Brama Chlebnicka) is one of the grandest on the city’s waterfront.

3. The palatial House Under the Angels (Dóm Pod Aniołami) was the largest burgher’s house in Gdańsk in the 1600s.

4. The 15th-century St Mary’s Gate (Brama Mariacka) is one of the grandest on the city’s waterfront.

5. The amazing medieval Żuraw was both city gate and goods crane.

6. The excellent National Maritime Museum spreads over several buildings including this main exhibition.

Take a Break… Treat yourself to a sumptuous lunch at 16th-century Restauracja Pod Łososiem.

Classic Photo Żuraw after taking the museum shuttle across the river.