This poster is giving shortly archaeological and historical background information about Holy Ghost Church in Turku and augmented and mixed reality project (run by BID/ University of Turku) which is showing the first demo of the church in ruins in 27.8. evening in this conference.

Building of the Holy Ghost church was begun in 1588 by King Juhana III but was maybe never completed. The church was in use a couple of years until it was severely damaged in a fire in 1593. Afterwards the church or its ruins were used as a cemetery. The last visible remains of the church were cleared in 1650s to make way for the realization of the new street plan for the town.

The ruins were revealed in archaeological excavations in 1960s and 1980s. New evaluation and dating project of those fieldwork done in springtime 2013. New fieldwork, like laser scanning of standing ruins and reading of walls, was done in February 2013 and research process is still going on. New datings for the church are in analysis. The eastern chorus should be later than 1588 but C14 datings are giving dating to 15-16th century.