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INVITES TO

57th INTERNATIONAL FOUNDRY CONFERENCE PORTOROZ 2017

WITH CORRESPONDING FOUNDRY EXHIBITION

13th-15th September 2017
The congress centre at the Hotel Slovenija in Portoroz

INVITATION TO A FOUNDRY CONFERENCE AND FOUNDRY EXHIBITION

In the organisation of the Slovenian Foundrymen Society and in cooperation of the Faculty of Natural Sciences and Engineering of the University of Ljubljana and the Faculty of Engineering of the University of Maribor a traditional Foundry Conference accompanied by the foundry exhibition will take place from 13th to 15th September 2017 in the Congress Centre at the Hotel Slovenija in Portorož. Portorož has been for more than five decades an essential gathering place for the eminent scientists and experts of the world known universities and institutes, as well as the representatives of foundries and suppliers for the foundry industry. You are kindly invited to this foundry event being for some time one of the largest venues in this part of Europe.

Foundry Conference will be organised under the motto:

"CREATIVITY AND FLEXIBILITY"

The Conference and Exhibition will provide good presentation for the ones who are professionally engaged in the research activities and development in the area of foundry technologies, processes or materials, as well as those employed by the foundry companies and who are prepared to share some of their current experiences. With carefully selected scientific and technical papers under the Conference programme, we wish to facilitate global insight into the latest developments in the research-development sphere as well as in the foundry companies, and at least to find the answers to the issues related to the placement and long-term perspectives of the foundry technologies.
The Conference and Exhibition in Portorož will be also attended by the representatives of various national foundry associations and representatives of the WFO - World Foundry Organization, CAEF - the European Foundry Association and MEGI – the Central European Foundry Initiative.

You are kindly invited to attend and participate in our conference and exhibition as lecturers and / -or exhibitors or to attend the conference as a participant.

Programme and Organizing Committee
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The Foundry Conference shall be organised under the following framework programme:

On 13th September, 2017:

16.30 -19.30	**Registration of the Conference and Exhibition participants at the conference registration desk (Congress Centre Hotel Slovenija, 1st floor)**
18.00	**Reception at the Municipality of Piran**

On 14th September, 2017:

8.00	**Registration of the Conference and Exhibition participants at the conference registration desk**
9.30-9.45	**Opening of the Conference and Exhibition**
9.45-17.00	**Plenary lectures, exhibition and joint lunch**
18.00	**Social event on the boat and ashore**

On 15th September, 2017

9.00-13.00 Lectures in sections and exhibition, joint lunch at the Conference closing

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