INSTRUCTIONS FOR LECTURERS

The organizers of 66th IFC Portoroz 2026 are interested in technical and scientific lectures. Possible forms of lectures are:

- Plenary Lecture,
- Invited Lecture,
- Other Lectures,
- Student Lecture (Masters, PhD students, and young researchers) and
- Poster Presentation.

The Scientific Programme Committee of the Conference determines the form and placement of each submitted lecture in the programme of lectures.

Attendee and topic registration with the delivery of an abstract must be done on the website of the Slovenian Foundrymen Society [hereinafter: Society], www.drustvo-livarjev.si, through the application form for lecturers, no later than 31st May 2026. Complete lectures (in the format of complete articles or PPT presentations) for the QR code, which will be accessible to all attendees of the Conference, are to be delivered to the following e-mail address: drustvo.livarjev@siol.net no later than 25th July 2026.

ABSTRACT

The length of the abstract is limited from min. 1.600 to max. 3.300 characters with spaces (Names of the authors and the title should not be included in the character count). The format is A4, Times New Roman font, size 12pt (mandatory template format: ABSTRACT TEMPLATE).

The abstract must also include keywords.

LECTURE PRESENTATIONS FOR ALL LECTURERS

- Plenary lectures are limited to a maximum of **30 minutes**.
- All other forms of lectures are limited to a maximum of **20 minutes**.
- Each presentation has to be prepared in a PowerPoint document (16x9 format).

POSTER PRESENTATION

There are two possible ways to prepare a poster presentation:

- 1. As a poster, on at least a A3 format (29.7 cm x 42.0 cm) up to B1 (100 cm x 70 cm), in a vertical format, which the author delivers to the Conference or sends it to the address of the Slovenian Foundrymen Society, Lepi pot 6, 424, 1001 Ljubljana.
- 2. As a Word document, 6 pages long (including the abstract and all images), A4 format, Times New Roman font, size 12pt. The poster presentation according to this version must be delivered to the Society's email address: drustvo.livarjev@siol.net no later than 15th August 2026. In this case, the Society will also take care of the printing of the poster presentation on a quality paper and its deliverance to the location of the Conference.

The abstract of the poster presentation will be presented in Abstract Proceedings.

PUBLISHING ARTICLES IN THE "LIVARSKI VESTNIK" FOUNDRY JURNAL

Lecturers who are interested in publishing their lecture in our Foundry Journal – Livarski vestnik, are to send the article of no more than 12 pages of A4 format, together with tables and pictures, in a Word document, with 12pt Times New Roman font, to the e-mail address: drustvo.livarjev@siol.net, no later than the **31st December 2026**.

ABSTRACT PROCEEDINGS

By the beginning of 66th IFC Portoroz 2026, organizers will issue an Abstract Proceedings book and all participants of the Conference will be able to access full presentations through a QR code which is ion the inner page of last cover page.