

SLOVENIAN FOUNDRYMEN SOCIETY

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UNIVERSITY OF LJUBLJANA

FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES AND ENGINEERING

and

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FACULTY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING



66th IFC PORTOROZ 2026 with an accompanying Foundry Exhibition

16th – 18th September 2026 Congress center of Hotel Slovenia Portoroz, Obala 33, Slovenia

INVITATION

You are kindly invited to the traditional 66th IFC Portoroz 2026, which will be held together with the foundry exhibition from 16 to 18 September 2026. The motto of the conference is:

"INNOVATIONS IN FOUNDRY FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE."

The invitation is intended for researchers from universities and institutes, experts from foundry companies, representatives of foundry societies and associations, suppliers to the foundry industry, and other stakeholders connected with foundry technology in Slovenia or worldwide. The foundry exhibition enables presentations by foundry companies, industry suppliers, tool shops, research organisations, professional journals, and fair organisers. You may participate as a lecturer, exhibitor, or attendee. Application forms are available on our website www.drustvo-livarjev.si, together with instructions and essential information.

REGISTRATION AND DEADLINES

The deadline for submitting an official registration form for lecturers with a lecture title and an abstract is May $31^{\pm 1} 2026$. The deadline for submitting an official registration form for exhibitors is July $31^{\pm 1} 2026$ or until all exhibition areas are filled up.

Preliminary conference program:

September 16th 2026

16:30-19:30 Registration of the participants of the Conference and

Exhibition at the registration desk

18:00 Meet-and-greet with the mayoralty of Piran

September 17th 2026

8:00 Registration of the participants of the Conference and

Exhibition at the registration desk

9:30–9:45 Opening of the Conference and Exhibition **9:45–17:30** Plenary lectures, exhibition, and joint lunch

13:00-15:00 Working lunch with honorary guests **15:00-17:00** Time slots for business meetings

19:30 Foundrymen's night

September 18th 2026

9:00–14:00 Lectures in sections and exhibition, joint lunch after the finished Conference **12:00-14:00** Time slots for business meetings

14:00-16:00 Working lunch with honorary quests

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