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INVITES TO

54th INTERNATIONAL FOUNDRY CONFERENCE PORTOROŽ 2014

WITH CORRESPONDING FOUNDRY EXHIBITION

17th-19th September 2014

INVITATION TO A FOUNDRY CONFERENCE AND FOUNDRY EXHIBITION

The International Foundry Conference in Portorož/Slovenia with its tradition and numerous esteemed lecturers attracts every year foundry experts not only form the European states but also from the other states all over the world. Research accomplishments of many universities and research institutes, as well as development achievements of recognised companies are the base for presentation of results achieved in the foundry sector. Advanced foundry is based on the selection of relevant and suitable materials and manufacturing processes, whereas effective information technology plays a great role. Adaptation to the market and participation in cast planning are significant factors for the foundry industry performance in the global market. Cutting down the production costs and taking into account provision of the highest possible casting quality at the same time must be a decisive factor and permanent drive for the researches and development and for cooperation between partners, as well as accessibility to the institutions that can assure permanence of the development efforts of foundries by employing their knowledge and know-how. Advanced casting production due to its complexity requires participation and collaboration of experts and technical staff of different fields of science. Foundry can not be competitive with other manufacturing processes if there are no constant innovations and quality assurance of castings. But at the large stake of knowledge advanced foundry stays as one of the most important production industries for the production of the most advanced spare parts for different branches of the industrial manufacturing. The International Foundry Conference in Portorož will be accompanied by the exhibition of developments of the foundries, universities, institutes and suppliers of equipment and materials.

Motto of this year Conference will be:

"RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FOR APPLICATIONS IN THE FOUNDRY"

The Foundry Conference shall be organised under the following framework programme:

On 17th September, 2014:

16.00-19.30	**Registration of participants of Confrerence and Exhibition at the conference registration desk (Congress Centre Hotel Slovenija, 1st floor)**
18.00	**Reception at the Municipality of Piran**

On 18th September, 2014

8.00	**Registration of participants of Confrerence and Exhibition 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 and dinner on the boat and a boat tour along Slovenian coast.**

On 19th September, 2014

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

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