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1st Announcement of International Congress "CAx Innovation 2014"

(Computer Techniques in Aiding Engineering)

14th – 16th October 2014. Cracow

Polish Association for the Dissemination of Computer Engineering Systems ProCAx together with the Institute of Fundamentals of Machinery Design of the Silesian University of Technology, the Institute of Machinery Technology and Production Automation of the Cracow University of Technology and The Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Aeronautics of the Rzeszow University of Technology, with the logistic participation of Trade Fairs in Cracow Ltd (Targi w Krakowie sp. z o. o.), would like to invite you to take part in International Congress "CAx Innovation 2014", which will be held in Cracow during 19th International Trade Fairs EUROTOOL®.

Dates: 14th – 16th October 2014

Conference Venue: New Convention Centre, ul. Centralna 14A, Kraków (www.expo.krakow.pl)

Within the Trade Fairs EUROTOOL ® Exhibition of CAx is organized, where the use of all the most important techniques in modern CAx industry will be shown, and in the conference part, during thematic sessions papers will be discussed illustrating the use of CAx techniques throughout the whole process of design and manufacturing "from the idea to the final product".

Scientific Committee:

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Thematic sessions (to be selected by the participant):

- A. Design (CAD)
- B. Reverse Engineering (including 3D scanning) (RE)
- C. Computational Engineering (CAE)
- D. Manufacturing Process Planning (including CAPP, CAAPP, CAM, and CNC)
- E. Bioengineering (CAME)
- F. CAx for Foundry and Metallurgy

Detailed objectives

- 1. Trends in the development and applications of CAx engineering computer systems;
- 2. Educational problems in the field of CAx systems;
- 3. Integrative role of the ProCAx Association

Organizational forms

During the fairs, (www.eurotool.krakow.pl) Exhibition of CAx Technology will be held and within it the following will be available:

- 1 / POSTER ISLAND ProCAx, i.e. a stall, at which we will show:
 - 1. the works of Congress participants in a form of POSTER, format A1
 - 2. prototypes of different devices, made by the latest CAx techniques.
- 2 / Ordered lectures (one lecture in each thematic session). The authors of the lectures will be outstanding representatives of scientific and industrial centres as well as experienced users of CAx engineering computer systems.
- 3 / **Thematic sessions** in which authors will discuss their papers on the 15th and 16th October. Presentation is scheduled for approximately 20 minutes (video projector and screen available)

Publications

Publications of the submitted papers, following a favourable review of the Scientific Committee will be accepted for publication as an article, the best ones in English-language journal, and the remaining ones in monthly magazine MECHANIC and so called Virtual Library on ProCAx site. We would like to invite university organizational units (chairs, divisions, departments) from both Polish and foreign technical universities to prepare posters and present their achievements in the area of CAx. The deadline for submission of posters and papers is the 30th June 2014. A1 poster requirements and guidelines for papers will be available at ProCAx site (www.procax.org.pl)

Accommodation

Accommodation from 14th to 17th October at ORIENT HOTEL **** (www.hotelorient.pl). The participants are requested to arrive on the 14th October 2014, in the afternoon. On the 15th and 16th October 2014 a bus will be available from the hotel to the fairs and from the fairs to the hotel.

Participants and applications

In order to participate in the Congress it is necessary to send APPLICATION FORM. It is downloadable at www.procax.org.pl and www.caxinnovation.pl

Fees for Polish and foreign participants

- 1) The conference fee is 400 zł or 100 EUR (preparation of publications, materials), PhD, students and members of ProCAx, pay a reduced rate 200 zł or 50 EUR.
- 2) Accommodation fee 800 zł or 200 EUR (accommodation in hotel 3 nights, meals and transport to and from the fairs). Deadline for payment 30th June 2014.

ProCAx Account: Bank BGŻ 42 2030 0045 1110 0000 0301 0520 with the note "Congress Krakow"

Contact with the organizers

The main communication channel with the participants of the Forum will be Internet and e-mail. All organizational information related to the preparation will be posted on the ProCAx Association sites. i.e. www.procax.org.pl and www.caxinnovation.pl

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We would like to invite warmly all those interested in the use of CAx techniques to take active part in the Congress.

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