Dear participants,

below, we provide the practical information regarding the arrival, accomodation and organisation of the conference. We sincerely hope you will have a good time.

Transportation

For getting to and from Valtice, the participants can use a direct bus transfer provided by the organising team. The buses are free of charge.

24 April 2015, Valtice -> Brno

23 April 2015, Brno-> Valtice

Departure point: Rooseveltova, Brno (see below) Departure point: Valtice Chateau

Departure time: 7.45 (arrive 10 mins in advance)

Arrival point: Valtice Chateau

Departure time: 16.30

Arrival point: Rooseveltova, Brno (see below)

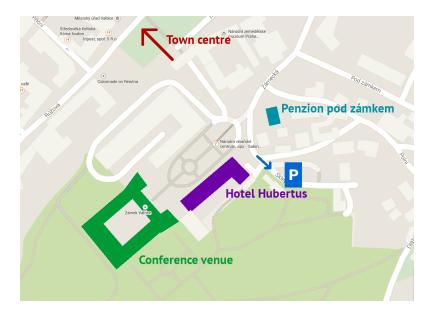
Arrival time: approx. 9.00 Arrival time: approx. 17.30



Accomodation

The accomodation is provided by Hotel Hubertus (http://www.hotelhubertus.cz/) and Penzion pod Zámkem (http://www.penzionpodzamkem.com/) in Valtice. The detailed list of rooms was sent out to the participants by e-mail. Both hotels are located just a few steps from the conference venue. The participants are kindly requested to register at the registration desk of their hotel on Thursday, 23 April at 18.30 (after the student presentations).

The **latest checkout time from the hotels is 10.00**. It will be possible to leave the luggage in the hotels' luggage rooms even after the checkout.



The participants will share rooms with two or three beds. We will try our best to follow the accommodation preference specified at the registration. Both hotels offer **Wi-Fi connection** to the internet. If you have problems connecting, please inquire at your respective reception desk.

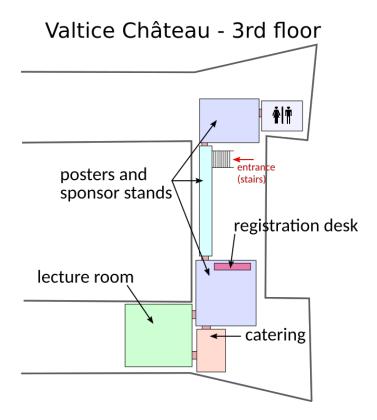
Parking will be provided by Hotel Hubertus (see the map above). For instructions about gate opening, refer to the information in the e-mail.

Meals

Both hotels will provide breakfast on Friday morning. Coffee breaks, lunches and the evening buffet will be served inside the main conference venue.

The venue

The registration, talks and the poster session will take place **on the 3rd floor of Valtice Chateau's main wing.** Please use the main entrance and follow the arrows provided to get to the 3rd floor. The conference will occupy 3 rooms, see the plan below.

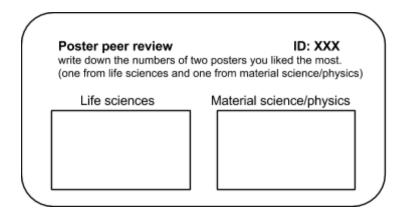


Wi-Fi connection in the conference venue is, sadly, limited given the fact that it is a historical building. Internet connection should be available in the lower floors of the chateau.

Poster session and peer review

The student poster session will take place on **Thursday**, **23 April at 19.30**. The participants are strongly encouraged to hang out their posters as early in the morning as possible (right after the registration or during one of the coffee breaks).

The posters will be peer-reviewed and **the best-rated poster from each section will be awarded with a prize**. In their conference package, each participant will find a voting ticket similar to the one below with a ticket ID which is assigned randomly (i.e. the peer-review is anonymous).



The participants are kindly asked to write down the numbers of two posters that they found most interesting and best presented. One of these has to be from the Life sciences section (poster numbers L01-L49) and the other from the Material sciences and physics section (poster numbers M01-M46). By the end of the poster session, the tickets have to be thrown into a ballot box located at the door to the poster room.

The results of the poster session will be announced just before the closing of the conference. In case of a draw, the better poster will be chosen by the speakers.

Contact information

In case of any urgent questions or emergencies call +420 776 185 170 or +420 775 777 225.