



**19<sup>th</sup>** International Conference on

## **APPLIED PHYSICS OF CONDENSED MATTER**

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**Hotel Patria, Štrbské Pleso,  
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### **IMPORTANT DATES & DEADLINES**

Application submission:	<b>January 31</b>
Second announcement:	<b>February 15</b>
Papers submission:	<b>April 30</b>
Registration fee payment:	<b>April 30</b>
Accommodation/board ordering:	<b>May 15</b>
Opening ceremony	<b>June 19</b>



## APPLIED PHYSICS OF CONDENSED MATTER 2013

is the 19<sup>th</sup> international conference in the series of events started in the year 1995 with the workshop "Solid State Physics and Radioactive Irradiation". Next three years the name of this workshop was „Effect of Non–Standard External Factors on Physical Properties of Solids“. Since 1999, its name was transformed to current name "Applied Physics of Condensed Matter" (APCOM). APCOM provides an unique opportunity for experts in the field of applied physical research of condensed matter to come together and share their visions of future development and in the area of application of devices for example in electrical and nuclear power engineering, electronic and optical communication etc. The main focus of the conference is on presentation of both theoretical and experimental results, partly also of both computer simulation results and specific measurements techniques in the investigation of physical properties and structure of bulk solids and structures, thin solid films, ultrathin organic polymer films, micro- and nanostructures *etc.*, exposed to the influence of the wide-range specific external factors (electrical, magnetic, thermal, high-frequency electromagnetic waves, optical and ionized radiation, ion and elementary particles beams and so on).

**The main content areas** are the following:

1. New materials and structures (incl. nanostructures and thin films), their analysis and specific applications
2. Physical properties and structural aspects of solid materials and their influencing
3. Optical phenomena in materials, photovoltaics and photonics, new principles in sensors and detection methods

4. Nuclear science and technology (with emphasis on the influence of irradiation on physical properties of materials and radiation detection)
5. Computational physics and theory of physical properties of matter
6. Biophysics and interdisciplinary physics of condensed matter

**Conference layout:** June 19–21, 2013. All participants are encouraged to register on Wednesday, June 19. The registration desk will be opened from 09:00 CET. The opening of the conference will be on Wednesday, June 20, at 14:30 CET followed immediately by the session. The programme will be closed on Friday, June 22, at 13:00 CET. Registration details will be available for participants in the second announcement.

**Venue:** Hotel Patria is located as a dominant building near the shore of the high-mountain tarn Štrbské pleso (1355 metres above sea-level) at the mouth of Mlynická Valley, sensitively incorporated into the High Tatras landscape. It is named after the nearby peak Patria (in Latin: "fatherland"), 2203 metres high. For details see <http://www.hotelpatria.sk>.

**Language:** The official language of all presentations is English.

**Conference Publication:** All accepted papers (delivered before **April 30, 2013**) will be published (in English only) in reviewed Conference Proceedings. The conference participants will obtain Proceedings at the registration desk. Authors of papers selected by program committee will be encouraged to consider submitting also an extended version of their contribution that after peer-review process could be published in the Journal of Electrical Engineering, indexed in Web of Science (WOS) - Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE), SCOPUS Elsevier and INSPEC, IET scientific databases. Details for publishing will be available in the second announcement.

**Form of presentation:** Introductory lectures (20-30 min.) and contributed (15 min.) oral presentation including discussion is planned.

**Technical equipment:** The PC–data/video projector will be available for oral presentation.

**Conference fee:** The conference fee consists of the registration fee, two-nights accommodation (double and single rooms are available) and full board fee.

<i>Registration fee</i>	<i>180 EUR*</i>
<i>Accommodation/full board fee</i>	<i>120 EUR</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>300 EUR</b>

(\*Registration fee for PhD. students 155 EUR)

Registration fee includes conference materials, overhead costs, admission to all conference sessions and coffee-break refreshments, welcome party, friendship party and social programme.

**Financial details:** The conference fee should be paid before **April 30, 2013** by bank transfer, only exceptionally at the registration desk (must be consulted with the organizers). **For payment realised after April 30 the registration fee will be increased by 30 EUR.** Bank account number will be posted in the second announcement as well as on the web site. Each participant obtains an invoice at the registration desk.

**Application:** To participate in the conference, please fill in the application form (you can find it on <http://apcom.fyzika.uniza.sk>) and send it directly to the conference administrator ([jan.vajda@stuba.sk](mailto:jan.vajda@stuba.sk)) before **January 31, 2013** by e-mail. The application acceptance will be confirmed in the second announcement. As hotel Patria reserved capacity is limited at present, the latest registration may not be accepted!

**Important:** In an application form it is unconditionally necessary to specify **in which main content area a contribution should be included**. The organizers can additionally require a short annotation of a contribution. The delayed contributions (after April 30) cannot be included in the conference proceedings.