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## IMPORTANT DATES & DEADLINES

Papers submission:	<b>April 30</b>
Registration fee payment:	<b>April 30</b>
Accommodation/board ordering:	<b>May 15</b>
Comments of reviewers:	<b>May 15</b>
Submission of corrected papers:	<b>May 20</b>
Opening ceremony:	<b>June 24</b>

## 31<sup>st</sup> International Conference on **APPLIED PHYSICS OF CONDENSED MATTER**



**June 24 – 26, 2026**

**Hotel Patria, Štrbské Pleso, High Tatras, Slovak Republic**

### ***Accompanying events:***

**A. 9<sup>th</sup> International Workshop**  
***Current Successes in the Photoemission (CSPES) and Electron***  
***Microscopy***

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**B. 8<sup>th</sup> Scientific Conference**  
***Advances in Nuclear Engineering***

*the Slovak Research Development Agency within the*  
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**C. Danube project meeting on advancing semiconductor detectors**

**SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT**

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## SCOPE OF THE CONFERENCE

APCOM provides a unique opportunity for experts in the field of applied physical research of condensed matter to come together and share their visions of future development 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 measurement 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 wide-range specific external factors (electrical, magnetic, thermal, high-frequency electromagnetic waves, optical and ionized radiation, ion and elementary particles beams *etc.*).

## MAIN CONTENT AREAS:

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, applied optics and optical communications.
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.
7. Current Successes in the Photoemission and Electron Microscopy

## SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

Contributed (10-15 min) oral presentations including discussions and the poster sessions are planned. The preliminary scientific programme of the conference includes more than 70 contributed papers. The official language of all presentations is English. Each participant can present only one contribution.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**Registration:** Registration and lodging of participants will be provided at the registration desk, which will be opened at Hotel Patria, Štrbské Pleso on Wednesday, June 24, 2026 from 11:00 to 14:00 CET. Lunch at 12:00 to 14:00 CET. Opening ceremony preliminary at 15:00 CET.

**Presentation facilities:** A PC video-data projector (Microsoft® PowerPoint® 2021, 2016 or 2013 software is recommended) will be available for oral presentations. If you need some special equipment, hardware or software, please contact the conference administrator. Poster created on a sheet of paper must not exceed A0 format (width 841 mm; height 1189 mm). The organizing committee will ensure the fixing of the posters on the stands.

**Social events:** The *welcome party* will be held on June 24<sup>th</sup> from 20:00 to 24:00 CET. Either a mountain tourist walk and/or excursion in the vicinity are planned for June 25<sup>th</sup> from 13:00 to 18:00 CET. The *friendship party* (grill party) will be held on June 25<sup>th</sup> at 19:30 CET. Departure of participants on Friday, June 26<sup>th</sup> at 13:00.

**Venue:** The conference will be held in Hotel Patria, High Tatras, Slovak Republic. It is located as a dominant building near the high-mountain tarn Štrbské pleso (1,355 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"), 2,203 metres high. For details see <http://www.hotelpatria.sk>.

**Transport information:** Detailed transport information is on the conference webpage: <http://kf.elf.stuba.sk/~apcom/>

## CALL FOR PAPERS/PUBLISHING

The complete set of abstracts will be published on the conference website. **In order to include a contribution to the scientific program, it is necessary to provide at least an abstract** (by April 30).

All accepted full-text papers (**delivered strictly before April 30, 2026, in English only**) will be published (in online form) in peer-reviewed Conference Proceedings through AIP Publishing (American Institute of Physics), indexed in leading databases, such as Conference Proceedings Citation Index (part of Web of Sciences), Scopus (Elsevier, 4<sup>th</sup> quartile), Inspec etc. The corresponding authors can expect directly from AIP an e-mail request to confirm their ORCID registration number. The online version of the Conference Proceedings will be published later. The participants will subsequently receive an email notification about the possibility of downloading the contributions (free of charge). Details for publication in Conference Proceedings are described below.

### Instructions for publication in Conference Proceedings:

All complete full-text papers must be written in English according to **the template available on the conference webpage**. The authors are requested to submit the papers in electronic form of the camera-ready paper as a file written scrupulously according to the template in the editable text editor Microsoft Word (\*.docx or \*.doc only) and also transferred to Adobe Reader Acrobat (.pdf format) with embedded fonts to the e-mail address [jan.vajda@stuba.sk](mailto:jan.vajda@stuba.sk) by **April 30, 2026**. All submitted papers will be tested through the plagiarism check. The program committee will send the copies to referees and supervise the reviewing process. Contributions received after this date may not be included in the Conference Proceedings. One main (first) author can publish only one contribution in Conference Proceedings. We recommend writing your contribution directly to the MS Word template! **The contribution to the Conference Proceedings should have more than 2 pages.**

*Caution:* the AIP template has "Letter" format not A4.



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**ACCOMMODATION/FULL BOARD/REGISTRATION**  
**FEE PAYMENT**

The accommodation/full board/registration fee should be paid  
**by April 30, 2026 to**

Spolok absolventov a priateľov FEI STU (EF SVŠT)  
(in English: Alumni Club of FEEIT STU)  
Ilkovičova 3  
841 04 Bratislava, Slovak Republic

IČO: 317 955 28 DIČ (VAT No): SK2020222402

by bank transfer to

TATRA BANKA a. s., Hodžovo nám. 3  
811 06 Bratislava, Slovak Republic

**Account number:** IBAN: SK65 1100 0000 0026 6643 0006  
SWIFT (BIC) code: TATRSKBX

**Variable symbol:** 2406

**Details/Note of payment:** surname, APCOM 2026

(In order to identify your payment, when making a bank transfer, please include your surname together with the text "APCOM 2026" to the note of payment.)

**CONFERENCE FEE**

The conference fee includes the registration fee and accommodation fee for 2 nights (double and a limited number of single rooms are available). Registration fee includes conference materials, overhead costs, admission to all conference sessions, entrance to the wellness area and coffee-break refreshments, full board fee, welcome party, friendship party and social programme.

<i>Registration fee</i>	<i>385 EUR*</i>
<i>Accommodation fee in double room</i>	<i>145 EUR**</i>
<b>Total conference fee</b>	<b>530 EUR***</b>

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- \* *Registration fee for PhD. students 360 €, total conference fee 505 € (in double room)*  
\*\* *For accommodation in single room (260 EUR/2 nights) additional payment 115 €, total conference fee 645 €, PhD. students 620 EUR*  
\*\*\* *For accompanying adult persons total fee 320 €.*

For families with two children, accommodation is possible only in the hotel apartment.

**For payment realised after April 30 the registration fee will be increased by 50 EUR.** If a registered participant fails to pay the fee by 15 May 2026, he will be removed from the list of participants.

**Important:** Each conference participant obtains an invoice at the registration desk (June 24<sup>th</sup>). For earlier invoice issuance, please contact the organizing committee. To issue the invoice in the required form, please send the correct name and address of your institution and its VAT Number (Value Added Tax Number; IČ DPH in Slovak Republic) to the conference administrator by e-mail as soon as possible if you have not already done it in the Application Form.

**ACCOMMODATION / BOARD ORDERING**

After bank transfer you have booked the full board (June 24<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup>) and two-night accommodation (June 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>) **automatically**. Please submit the information about delayed executing a bank transfer to the chairman of the organizing committee [jan.vajda@stuba.sk](mailto:jan.vajda@stuba.sk) immediately.

*In the case of any questions or suggestions, please contact the chairman of the organizing committee by e-mail.*