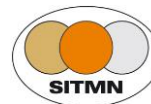


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Scope and purpose of the conference

On behalf of the Organizing Committee and MEC Council we have a pleasure to invite you to take part in the Mineral Engineering Conference MEC2017, which will be held September 20-23, 2017 in Gołębiowski Hotel in Wisła, Poland.

MEC2017 is a second joined conference, consisting of XIII International Conference on Non-Ferrous Ore Processing, XXII International Conference of Mineral Processing, and LIV Symposium of Physicochemical Problems of Mineral Processing.

MEC2017 is organized by the Institute of Non Ferrous Metals in cooperation with the Wroclaw University of Science and Technology, AGH University of Science and Technology, Silesian University of Technology, KGHM Polska Miedz S.A., KGHM Cuprum Research & Development Centre and Association of Engineers and Technicians of Non Ferrous Metals (SITMN).

Scope of the conference

The annual meeting is aimed at promotion of effective collaboration between business and academia. You will have a great opportunity to present and discuss theoretical ideas and their practical applications in all aspects of mineral processing and coal preparation. The conference will cover the following topics:

- Advanced mineralogy
- Automation and control of processes
- Innovative construction of processing equipment
- Mineralogical separations (magnetic, electric, gravity separations and flotation, coagulation, agglomeration, comminution, screening, dewatering, drying, sampling etc.)
- Hydro- and biohydrometallurgy
- Modification of minerals properties
- Recycling and mineral waste
- Environmental aspects of mineral processing.

Key dates

January 2017 – Registration, payment and abstract/paper submission open

June 1, 2017 – Call for abstract ends

July 1, 2017 – Decision on abstract or paper acceptance

July 1, 2017– Author registration ends, conference fee

August 18, 2017 – End of delegate registration, conference fee and hotel reservation

September 20-23, 2017 – MEC2017

November, 2017 – post-conference publication online of the MEC2017 proceedings

Call for papers

The conference presentation can be delivered in either oral or poster form after acceptance by the Organizing Committee based on either submitted abstracts or whole papers. The presentation should deal with widely understood mineral processing and physicochemical aspects of mineralurgical, biometallurgical and hydrometallurgical processes and ecology issues. According to the author(s) wish, they will be printed in the Proceedings of the Mineral Engineering Conference MEC2017 either in a form of abstract or full paper. The MEC2017 proceedings will be published with E3S Web of Conferences and indexed by ISI Web of Science. Each publication will have a unique doi number. For Polish Scientists, publication of a full paper (article) in conference proceedings included in the Web of Science, provides a number of points of Ministry of Science and Higher Education (MNiSW). The number of points is equal to that offered by the best journals without the Impact Factor (IF) (list B). Such a publication may reward you with 15 points. Please note that each institutions can have different rules. For more information ask a responsible person from your institution.

The proceedings of the Mineral Engineering Conference MEC2016 have been published by the E3S Web of Conferences and are available on line at :

<http://www.e3s-conferences.org/articles/e3sconf/abs/2016/03/contents/contents.html>

Either abstract (1 page) or full paper (max. 10 pages) should be submitted as a MS Word document via email: alicjas@imn.gliwice.pl or annak@imn.gliwice.pl . The deadline for submitting your contribution, which will be included in the Proceedings of the Mineral Engineering Conference MEC2017, is June 1, 2017. Confirmation of acceptance will be sent to the authors before July 1, 2017.

The papers should be edited according to the instruction provided in the file- **Guidelines for authors**, and available at <http://www.e3s-conferences.org/for-authors>.

The authors who are not interested in publication of their paper in the E3S Web of Conferences journal are asked to submit a paper or presentation in any form in the English language, observing the specified deadlines. The paper will be included in the conference proceedings containing all the presentations and distributed in an electronic form among conference participants. Papers should be sent to the addresses: alicjas@imn.gliwice.pl, annak@imn.gliwice.pl

Authors must be registered before June 1, 2017, to have their abstracts / articles published in the MEC2017 conference proceedings.

As usual, young scientists (below 35 years of age) will be awarded for best paper and poster.

Registration can be made through conference web site: www.imn.gliwice.pl –tab: Events, or by filling and sending of the registration form..

General programme of the conference

Wednesday, 20 September 2017

12:00 – 15:00 Registration

13:30 – 16:00 Lunch

15:15 – 15:30 Opening Ceremony

Prof. Zbigniew Śmieszek – Chairman of MEC2017 Conference

President of the Board of KGHM Polska Miedź S.A.

President of the Board of ZGH Bolesław S.A.

15:30 – 17:30 Plenary Session

19:00 Dinner

Thursday, 21 September 2017

7:00 – 11:00 Breakfast

9:30 – 13:20 Session I Mineral Engineering

9:30 – 13:20 Session II Hydrometallurgy

9:30 – 13:20 Session III Mineral Processing

13:30 – 16:00 Lunch

15:00 – 17:00 Session IV Mineral Engineering

15:00 – 17:00 Session V Hydrometallurgy

15:00 – 17:00 Session VI Mineral Processing

17:30 Meeting of MEC2017 Conference Council, publishers and invited guests

20:00 Regional dinner

Friday, 22 September 2017

7:00 – 11:00 Breakfast

8:00 Technical trip to ZGH Bolesław S.A.

13:30 – 16:00 Lunch
16:00 – 17:30 Poster session
19:00 Ceremonial dinner

Saturday, 23 September 2017

7:00 – 11:00 Breakfast
9:30 – 13:15 Session VII Mineral Engineering
13:15 – 13:30 Closing of the conference

13:30 -16:00 lunch

Registration and fees

The registration fee includes the full cost of accommodation, conference proceedings, participation in sessions, coffee breaks, lunches, dinners: traditional, ceremonial, regional

Costs for authors :

- With accommodation in a single room – 740 EUR + VAT
- With accommodation in a shared double room – 655 EUR + VAT (for 1 person)
- without accommodation – 490 EUR+ VAT

Costs for other participants:

- With accommodation in a single room – 800 EUR + VAT
- With accommodation in a shared double room – 715 EUR + VAT (for 1 person)
- without accommodation – 550 EUR + VAT

Cost of technical trip – 30 EUR + VAT

Costs for students :

- With Accomodation in Hotel Gołębiewski – 690 EUR +VAT (accommodation in a room with 3 beds/1 person)
- With Accomodation in Hotel JUR GAST - 540 EUR +VAT

Costs for accompanying person – 540 EUR + VAT

The conference fees should be paid to:

Stowarzyszenia Inżynierów i Techników Metali Nieżelaznych (SITMN):
ul. Sowińskiego 5, 44-100 Gliwice

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with a note: MEC2017 and full name of the participant

Conference venue, accommodation

The MEC2017 Mineral Engineering Conference will be held at the Hotel Golebiewski in Wisla. The hotel is situated on the slopes of Bukowa, overlooking the Vistula River. The windows of the hotel offer a unique view of the beautiful places in the Silesian Beskids.

More about the hotel at: **www.golebiewski.pl**

Conference language

The languages of the conference are Polish and English. Simultaneous translation will be provided.