



13th Biennial Conference  
on High Resolution X-Ray Diffraction and Imaging

# XTOP 2016

4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> September 2016  
Brno, Czech Republic

<http://xtop2016.sci.muni.cz>

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**Dear Company Representative,**

As you may know, the forthcoming conference XTOP 2016 will be held in Brno (Czech Republic) in 4–8 September 2016. The conference is the 13th in the row starting in 1992 in Marseille, the last one was held in Villard de Lans (France). The main scope of the conference was set already in 1992 to x-ray topography and high resolution diffraction, however during the time the conference has covered also other related topics like x-ray tomography, phase sensitive scattering, scanning techniques etc.

We would like to invite your company to participate at the conference as a sponsor.

We are offering the following options for sponsorship (VAT in the Czech Republic is 21 %):

**Logos** (250 Eur + VAT): Logo on the web page, in the 2nd call for abstracts, in the book of abstracts, on-site poster with logos, slide with logos during breaks, etc. Obligatory option for any sponsor.

**Insertion** (250 Eur + VAT): Advertisement inserted in the conference bag (paper flyer as well as non-paper artifacts).

**Booth** (1000 Eur + VAT): Space of max 200 cm of length (e.g. table 120 × 60 cm + 80 cm space for a free-standing poster and a chair), including conference fee for one company representative (including one scientific abstract and poster at the poster session) and a short presentation time during “industrial clips” (one hour shared among all “booth” sponsors, most probably in the Tuesday afternoon). The number of booths is limited.

**Poster** (250 Eur + VAT): Poster of A0 size to be displayed during the conference and no booth required.

**Additional company representative(s)** can pay either the full regular conference fee (around 400 Eur, to be announced soon) or 120 EUR + VAT per day attended.

**Advertisement A4** (250 Eur + VAT): One-page A4 color advertisement in the book of abstracts.

**Advertisement A5** (150 Eur + VAT): Half-page color advertisement in the book of abstracts.

**Poster award** (200 Eur + VAT): General or own company poster prizes.

**Corporate membership in CSCA 2016** (600 Eur): Includes Logos, Advertisement A4, and a scientific poster. Please see <http://www.xray.cz/xray/corporate.htm> for more details.

*Particular information for the “Booth” sponsors:*

- *The conference takes place at the university cinema Scala in the city center. The name means stairs – and yes, there are around 20 stairs (and no lift) to reach the foyers for booths. The manpower of organisers will help you to move your luggage. It is expected to mount the booth on Monday morning and dismount it till Thursday early afternoon.*
- *The conference place is covered by WiFi.*
- *You may submit a scientific abstract just like any other participant.*

*Information about the book of abstracts:*

- *It will be published as a special issue of Materials Structure, an open-access journal published by CSCA.*
- *You can see at <http://www.xray.cz/ms/bul2015-4.htm> an example of a recent conference issue.*

The abstract submission and registration for participants will start on February 29.

Please contact us at [xtop2016@physics.muni.cz](mailto:xtop2016@physics.muni.cz) for more details and to confirm your participation as soon as possible.

Looking forward to meet you in Brno,

Petr Mikulík  
Organizing Committee  
(chairman)

Radomír Kužel  
Czech and Slovak Crystallographic Association (CSCA)  
(secretary)