6th Commercial Vehicle Workshop Graz
16th May 2014

Innovative vehicles and lightweight design | Efficiency | CAE-Methods | Driver assistance systems and driver stress

Graz University of Technology / Rechbauerstraße 12 / Lecture room I
**Preface:**

The Institute of Automotive Engineering (FTG) of Graz University of Technology arranges for the sixth time the Commercial Vehicle Workshop Graz which has shown constant growth in number of participants. On behalf of FTG it is a great pleasure for us to introduce the workshop programme 2014 and we herewith would like to invite you to Graz.

From the submitted contributions the programme committee could compile an interesting and diversified programme of the day. It is focussing on the topics innovative commercial vehicles and efficiency, lightweight design, driver assistance and driver stress and CAE-methods, all having high actuality. We suppose that the programme 2014 will find your interest. In particular, we are looking forward to an informative exchange of experience with and between the commercial vehicle experts. This will take place in the well known familiar environment of the workshop.

Finally, we would like to invite for a visit to our institute, the laboratories and the „Get Together“ at the town hall of Graz which will take place in the evening before the workshop.

Also we warmly would like to invite you to this.

Prof. Dr. Peter Fischer                                           Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Hirschberg

**Programme Committee:**

- Prof. Dr. G. Brasseur, EMT TU Graz
- Dipl.-Ing. F. Dorfer, MAGNA POWERTRAIN ECS GmbH & Co KG, St. Valentin
- Prof. Dr. P. Fischer, FTG TU Graz
- Dipl.-Ing. E. Hipp, MAN Truck & Bus AG, Munich
- Prof. Dr. W. Hirschberg, FTG TU Graz (Chair)
- Prof. Dr.-Ing. H.-C. Pflug, CVE NutzfahrzeugTechnik, Remshalden
- Prof. Dr. H. Steffan, VSI TU Graz

**General Informations:**

**LOCATION OF THE WORKSHOP**
Graz University of Technology, Rechbauerstraße 12, 8010 Graz, Lecture room I

**REGISTRATION**
By attached registration form or online-registration form under www.ftg.tugraz.at/nfw/nfw_2014
Deadline 9th May 2014

**CONFERENCE FEE**
The conference fee including „Get together“, workshop documentation, lunch, coffee breaks amounts to € 290,--
for university members € 145,--
for students € 40,--
(only with student ID)
No value added tax is included.

Transfer the conference fee latest May 12, 2014.
Free of charges for the receiver – on the account:
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**CANCELLATION**
With notice of removal a back payment of in-paid fee is not possible after May 9, 2014.

**DOCUMENTATION**
Conference volume on CD-ROM in German and a list of the participants.

**LENGTH OF LECTURES**
20 minutes of presentation plus 10 minutes of discussion.

**CHAIR**
Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Hirschberg
Prof. Dr. Peter Fischer

**ARRIVE/INFORMATION ABOUT ACCOMMODATION.**
Please find further information about Graz as well as a hotel guide on the following web pages:
http://www.graztourismus.at/
http://www.holding-graz.at/litnie.htm

Link for registration:

Responsible for the hotel reservation at Graz tourism is Mrs. Gabriella Reidl
Phone: +43 / 316 8075-60
Email: gr@graztourismus.at

Link for Online hotel registration:
http://www.graztourismus.at/en/hotels-apartments/online_reservation

From the airport Graz Thalerhof all hotels are best reachable by taxi.

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Programme:

Thursday 15th May 2014

16:30 Visit of FSI, Inffeldgasse 11, 8010 Graz

19:00 „Get Together“ in the town hall of Graz
  Evening reception by the Lord Mayor of Graz Mag. Siegfried Nagl
  Hauptplatz 1, 8010 Graz, 2nd floor, Council board room

Friday 16th May 2014

8:00 Registration

8:45 Welcome
  Prof. Dr. Peter Fischer, Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Hirschberg,
  Institute of Automotive Engineering, TU Graz

Innovative vehicles & lightweight design  Chair: Dipl.-Ing. F. Dorfer

9:00 Lightweight design of fire-fighting vehicles
  Ing. Alexander Ronacher, Rosenbauer International AG, Leonding

9:30 Lightweight design chassis of tractor units with single wheel front suspension
  as an integral part of the monocoque structure
  Dipl.-Ing. Gregor Schwarz, Dipl.-Ing.(FH) Martin Zittmayr, Martin Sinn, Ing. Alois Hirsch
  MAGNA POWERTRAIN Engineering Center Steyr GmbH & Co KG, St. Valentin

10:00 Coffee break

Innovative vehicles & efficiency:  Chair: Prof. Dr.-Ing. H.-C. Pflug

10:30 Sensitivity analysis on factors influencing the overall rolling resistance of commercial vehicles
  Dr.-Ing. Werner Krantz, Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jochen Wiedemann, Institut of Internal
  Combustion Engines and Automotive Engineering (IVK), University of Stuttgart
  Dipl.-Math. Jens Neubeck,
  Research Institute of Automotive Engineering and Vehicle Engines Stuttgart (FKFS)

11:00 Course and event-based driving cycles for individual evaluation of the efficiency
  of heavy commercial vehicles.
  Dipl.-Ing. Thomas Dopichay, Prof. Dr. Ludger Frerichs, Prof. Dr.-Ing. Thorsten Lang,
  Institute of Mobile Machines and Commercial Vehicles (IMN), TU Braunschweig

11:30 Aerodynamics of commercial vehicles: simulation and validation
  MSc. Carlos Peiro Frasquet, Dipl.-Phys. Christoph Niedermeier,
  FluiDyna GmbH, Garching

12:00 Lunch

CAE-Methods:  Chair: Prof. Dr. P. Fischer

13:30 Co-simulation for optimisation of a shuttle vehicle - Efficient connection of CAD
  and MBS by example of the steering system layout
  Dipl.-Ing. Paul Karoshi, Dr.tech. Andrés E. Rojas, Dr.tech. Arno Eichberger,
  Institute of Automotive Engineering (FTG), Graz University of Technology
  Dipl.-Ing. Uwe Rühringer,
  Sandvik Mining and Construction Central Europe GmbH, Zeltweg

14:00 Virtual layout and evaluation of alternative vehicle concepts
  Dipl.-Ing. Armin Förg, Dipl.-Ing. Alexander Süßmann, Prof. Dr.-Ing. Markus Lienkamp,
  Institute of Automotive Technology, Technische Universität München, Garching

14:30 Coffee break

Driver assistance systems & driver stress:  Chair: Dipl.-Ing. E. Hipp

15:00 Model based target track planning for laterally acting assistance systems for use
  in heavy commercial vehicles
  Dr.tech. Werner Kober, Dipl.-Ing. Richard Huber, Kober Engineering GmbH, Ilz
  Dipl.-Ing. (FH) Konrad Deuschle, Daimler AG, Stuttgart

15:30 Investigation of the utilisation of exterior mirrors of commercial vehicles
  Dipl.-Ing. Albert Zaindl, Prof. Dr.phil. Klaus Bengier,
  Institute of Ergonomics, Technische Universität München, Garching
  Dipl.-Ing. (FH) Andreas Zimmermann, MAN Truck & Bus AG, Munich

16:00 Put people first - Contribution to research results on vitalisation and fitness of
  the truck driver
  Dipl.-Ing. Siegfried Rothe, Daimler AG, Stuttgart

16:30 Closing remarks
  Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Hirschberg, Prof. Dr. Peter Fischer,
  Institute of Automotive Engineering, TU Graz

Get together for closing the day
Graz – love at first sight?

Certainly! At least for those who only wanted to visit but remained for the rest of their lives. Graz called by clever advertising strategies “the secret love of Austria”, in fact knows to enchant. It is many-sided, romantic, spirited and chic. It shows itself open to the world, loves the modern and unites opposites out of tradition and with passion. It impresses one with its charm, wit and culture and puts itself in the limelight. In order to really understand it, one must experience it during the day and spend the night with it...

As the second largest Austrian city, Graz is at the same time a trade fair, conference, university and garden city. 237.000 inhabitants, over 40.000 students at three universities and numerous degree programmes at the universities of applied sciences create a lot of movement. Graz, the gate to the southeast, proves this as an economic, technological and scientific centre, as a renowned “know-how-pool” and of course as the European Cultural Capital 2003. At the intersection of European cultures, the Styrian capital is aware of its cultural responsibility, trusts in its strengths and realises its visions:

Contemporary architecture finds its place next to the note worthy literature; a free theatre scene next to galleries and museums, Nobel Prize winning intellect next to colourful festivals; prominence next to everyday culture.

Graz’s bar scene is worth the trip. Lively and with Southern Charm, it invites one of epicurean enjoyments, stroll and flirting; full of ideas, it convinces one with its food and ambience. Street cafes, bars, beer gardens, wine bars and jazz cellars reveal themselves to be open-minded and only let the night end at the first sign of daybreak. To sum up: Graz has the culture of a world city, the charm of a well kept inside tip and the flair of the Mediterranean zest of live.

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The Institute of Automotive Engineering Graz (FTG) was founded in February 2003 as a department of the Institute of Internal Combustion Engines and Thermo-dynamics at Graz University of Technology.

Since January 2004 it has changed to an independent institute. Since 2005, FTG is a Member of FSI, which includes:

- Institute of Automotive Engineering,
- Tools & Forming Institute,
- Institute of Production Science and Management.

30 staff members work at the Institute of Automotive Engineering, from students to technicians, engineers up to doctoral candidates. They are working on research topics like vehicle dynamics in theory and experiment, modelling and simulation of automotive brakes, rough road tyre models and many others.

**Lectures:**
- Automotive engineering
- Vehicle dynamics
- Tyre technology
- Chassis and suspension technology
- Modelling and simulation
- Innovative power trains
- CAx in automotive and engine technology

**Research:**
- Vehicle dynamics by simulation and experiments
- Full vehicle simulation: vehicle-driver-road
- Virtual automotive development
- Driver assistance systems
- Commercial vehicle technology
- Tyre modelling and research
- Testing and simulation of brakes
- Integrated vehicle safety
- CAD-CAE Integration
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Visitation of FSI
- 15th May 2014 16.30 pm
- 15th May 2014 19.00 pm

GET TOGETHER town hall Graz
- 15th May 2014 19.00 pm

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