



6th EDEWG CONFERENCE

“New Developments in Toner and Ink Examination”



DUBROVNIK 2010

CROATIA

September 21st-24th 2010

The European Document Experts Working Group (EDEWG) Steering Committee (SC), the Local Organizing Committee (LOC) and the Croatian Forensic Science Centre “Ivan Vucetic” request the honour of your participation at the 6th EDEWG Conference in Dubrovnik, Croatia, from September 21st to September 24th 2010.



DUBROVNIK - PEARL OF THE ADRIATIC



Dubrovnik is an old city on the Adriatic Sea coast in the extreme south of Croatia. It is one of the most prominent tourist resorts of the Mediterranean, a seaport and the centre of the Dubrovnik-Neretva county. Its population was 43,770 in 2001. Dubrovnik is nicknamed “Pearl of the Adriatic” and is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. It is attractive any time of the year, for it is a city of hotels, beautiful landscapes, and an enviable ecological standard - geared to tourism. The walls

of Dubrovnik girdle a perfectly preserved complex of public and private, sacral and secular buildings representing all periods of the city’s history, beginning with its founding in the 7th century. Particular mention should be made of the city’s main street, Stradun, the Prince’s Palace, the church of St Vlaho, the Cathedral, three large monasteries, the Custom’s Office and the City Hall. The Republic of Dubrovnik was the centre of a separate political and territorial entity, and was proud of its culture, its achievements in commerce and especially of its freedom, preserved down so many tempestuous centuries.

ACCOMMODATION - HOTELS

HOTEL ARISTON*****

The main hotel is **Hotel Ariston**, a part of the Importanne Resort perfectly located on the cape of the western part on the Lapad Peninsula in Dubrovnik and providing splendid view of the Adriatic Sea. Hotel’s quiet surrounding provides also a direct access to the rocky beach. The hotel is 4 km from the Old City and can easily be reached by the shuttle busses from the city centre of Dubrovnik.

The distance to the Dubrovnik Airport is 20 km.

All rooms have a minibar, room safe, LCD TV, telephone, work desk, hair fan and cosmetic mirror. Most rooms have a balcony with sea view and seating area.

Prices:

Single room: 157 € per person per night

Double room: 105 € per person per night

*Breakfast and city tax included



HOTEL NEPTUN****

The optional accommodation is Hotel Neptun also a part of the Importantne Resort, located in the same building complex as Hotel Ariston.

Prices:

Single room: 131 € per person per night

Double room: 90 € per person per night

*Breakfast and city tax included



Hotel address:

The address for both hotels is the same:

Kardinala Stepinca 31

Dubrovnik, CROATIA

More info: <http://www.importanneresort.com/>

HOTEL RESERVATIONS / REGISTRATION FOR ANNUAL MEETING

A registration form for hotel reservations and meeting registrations is attached.

Please do not apply your hotel reservations directly to the hotel.

Registration services are provided by "KOMPAS" agency, and in order to obtain the best price, the reservation form must be sent as noted in registration form:

Web site: <http://www.kompas.hr/hr/EDEWG-Conference-2010.aspx>

E-mail address: enfsi-edewg-meeting@kompas.hr

Fax: +385 1 4878 759

Post mail: Kompas Zagreb, Trg N.S. Zrinskog 14, 10000 Zagreb, Croatia

After applying your registration form you will receive payment instructions from the agency.

MEETING VENUE

The meeting will be held in Hotel Ariston. The lunches will be served in the hotel's restaurant.

REGISTRATION FEES

Early conference registration fee (before May 15th, 2010)	250 €
Late conference registration fee (after May 15th, 2010)	300 €
Workshop fee (per workshop)	50 €

The conference fee includes the admission to the scientific sessions, coffee breaks and lunches, welcome cocktail and conference dinner at the hotel, excursion to Konavle, etc.

The registration and workshop fee must be paid prior to the conference by bank transfer. Payment in cash at the registration desk will only be accepted in exceptional circumstances and by prior arrangement with the LOC.

WORKSHOPS

During the conference, two workshops will be held covering the following subjects:

- Electrophotographic printing and toner analysis by Tobin Tanaka from the Canada Border Service Agency (CBSA),
- Inkjet printing and printer recognition by Rolf Fauser from BW Police Germany.

SCIENTIFIC SESSION

The scientific session of the conference will cover two full days. Besides the oral presentations, some space will be reserved for poster presentations. Depending on the number of oral and poster presentations sent in, the LOC would like to reserve the right to ask you to change your presentation from one format to the other.

BUSINESS MEETING

The Business Meeting is only open to EDEWG members, associate members and specially invited guests (written invitation only).

EXHIBITION

During the conference there will be also a commercial exhibition.

PAPERS - PRESENTATIONS POSTER SESSION

Participants are invited to present papers and posters.

Participants who would like to present a paper or a poster at the conference have to submit their abstracts in a digital form no later than **April 30th, 2010**.

The Abstract form is attached. Fill out this form and send it to: jgalekovic@mup.hr or nskavic@mup.hr

Papers should be submitted to the LOC on a CDROM or memory stick at registration. For the poster session, poster panels of size 70 x 100 centimetres will be available.

PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Tuesday, September 21st

08:00-09:00 Registration
09:00-10:30 Workshop 1
10:30-11:00 Coffee Break
11:00-12:30 Workshop 1
12:30-14:00 Lunch
14:00-15:30 Workshop 2
15:30-16:00 Coffee Break
16:00-17:30 Workshop 2
18:00-19:30 Registration
19:30-22:00 Welcome Reception at Hotel Ariston

Wednesday, September 22nd

08:00-09:00 Registration
09:00-09:20 Official Opening
09:20-10:30 Scientific Session
10:30-11:00 Coffee break
11:00-12:30 Scientific Session
12:30-12:45 Group photography
12.45-14.00 Lunch
14:00-16:00 Equipment Exhibition & Poster Session
(Coffee will be served in exhibition hall)
16:30 Excursion to Konavle Valley

Thursday, September 23rd

09:00-10:30 Scientific Session
10:30-11:00 Coffee break
11:00-12:30 Scientific Session
12:30-14:00 Lunch
14:00-15:30 Scientific Session
15:30-16:00 Coffee break
16:00-17:30 Scientific Session
19:30 Dinner at Hotel Ariston

Friday, September 24th

09:00-11:00 Sub-Group meetings
11:00-11:30 Coffee break
11:30-13:30 Business Meeting and Closing
13:30-14:30 Lunch
14:30 Steering Committee Meeting

SOCIAL EVENTS

Welcome Reception (at Hotel Ariston on September 21st 2010)

- dress code: casual,
- traditional and local beverage and snacks will be served.

Excursion to Konavle Valley (on September 22nd 2010)

Afternoon departure to Konavle Valley known for its rolling hills covered with vineyards, olive groves and elegant cypress trees giving a special grace to the landscape. The impressive surrounding mountains give shelter to picturesque villages that have preserved the old traditional architecture, exquisite cuisine and beautiful national costumes. Visit to an old watermill and village Ljuta, followed by a degustation of fresh warm traditionally-made bread, local cheeses, prosciutto ham, olives, wine and traditional spirits.

Dinner (at Hotel Ariston on September 23rd 2010)

- dress code: smart casual.

For a detailed offer on excursions for accompany persons, please visit: *web site will be available soon.*

GETTING THERE

Dubrovnik

The easiest way to reach Dubrovnik is by plane. Dubrovnik airport is located 17km from the town. Dubrovnik is connected to major European cities. There are direct flights from/to Frankfurt (Tuesday, Friday and Sunday), Paris (Wednesday and Sunday), Amsterdam (Monday), Rome (Tuesday and Saturday), Vienna (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday) and London (Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday). To other destinations Dubrovnik is linked through connecting flights with Zagreb.

Hotel Ariston & Neptun

The address of the hotels is:
Kardinala Stepinca 31
DUBROVNIK, HR 20000

The airport shuttle connects with the Dubrovnik main bus station, two kilometres from the resort. From there you can take a taxi or the city bus. Bus line 5 will take you directly to the hotels Ariston and Neptun.

A taxi direct from the airport to the hotels will cost around 35 €.

GENERAL INFORMATION

<http://www.kompas.hr>

<http://www.kompas.hr/hr/EDEWG-Conference-2010.aspx> - Croatian Homepage

<http://web.tzdubrovnik.hr> - The Dubrovnik Tourist Board

<http://www.inyourpocket.com/data/download/dubrovnik.pdf>

<http://www.croatiaairlines.hr> - Croatian Airline Company