



SOMP2015

Society of Mining Professors | Societät der Bergbaukunde



June 21-26, 2015

Technical University Bergakademie Freiberg, Germany

WELCOME TO SOMP 2015 IN FREIBERG (SAXONY) – IN THE HEART OF GERMANY

Ladies and Gentlemen.

We kindly invite you to the Symposium of the **Society of Mining Professors** (Societät der Bergbaukunde). During this conference we celebrate the 25 year anniversary of the re-establishment of the Society of Mining Professors in the year 1990.

SOMP2015 will be held in Freiberg in the Federal State of Saxony – an important mining region. Our mining tradition goes far back to the year 1163 when silver was first discovered in Freiberg. Based on this mining laws were introduced and the first mining authority was established here.

In the year 1765 the Technical University Bergakademie Freiberg was founded as the oldest mining university in the world. Substantial research and education in the field of mining and metallurgy lead to technical innovations, back then up until today.

Exchange of knowledge and experiences as well as discussions between international experts form the basis of developing new and efficient technological solutions for processes along the value chain. Take the chance and join SOMP2015.

Regards and Glückauf!

Carsten Drebenstedt, Helmut Mischo

Pre-Conference Program (optional)

June 19 - 21 International Conference of Mining and Metallurgy
(Forum of BioGeoMetallurgy and Forum of Young Scientists)

Sat | Jun. 20 Night of Science

SOMP Conference

Sun | Jun. 21 Arrival, Welcome Evening at Famous Freiberg Mineral Exhibition
Evening-Registration

Mon | Jun. 22 Registration
Council Meeting, Meetings of Delegates
Opening Session, Keynote Sessions
Evening: SOMP Gala Dinner at Traditional Freiberg Brewery

Tue | Jun. 23 Annual Meeting
Conference Sessions
Evening: Boat Tour alongside the City of Dresden, Dinner onboard

Wed | Jun. 24 Conference Sessions
Closing Session and Hand Over to Host of SOMP 2016
Evening: BBQ above the Roofs of Freiberg

Excursions and Post Conference Event (optional)

Thu | Jun. 25 Excursion to Underground Salt / Potash Mine (K plus S)

Fri | Jun. 26 Excursion to Lignite Open Pit Mine (Vattenfall)

June 26 - 28 Mining Festival at the Old City Center of Feiberg



...see you at *SOMP2015*

Conference Management

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Conference Fee

SOMP Members	600 €
Young SOMP Members	300 €
Retired/Emeritus SOMP Members	300 €
Spouse/Accompanying People	200 €
PHD Students (Conference Sessions only)	100 €

Conference Venue

Städtischer Festsaal
Ratskeller Freiberg
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