



The 3rd Carl R. Loper Conference on Processing of Metallic Materials through Casting and Solidification

22-25 of September 2024, at the “Transilvania” University of Brasov, Romania

Dear reader,

The 3rd Carl R. Loper Conference is approaching rapidly, and as organizers, we're thrilled to extend a warm welcome to you. The conference is scheduled to take place from September 22nd to 25th, 2024, at the AULA of the “Transilvania” University of Brasov, Romania.

We're eager to share some updates about the conference with you. For more detailed information, please visit our website at <http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>. There, you'll find everything you need to know about the event. Let's delve into what we have in store for you.

Conference venue: Sergiu T. Chiriacescu Aula of Transilvania University



Accommodation

Recommended hotels:

- **Aro Palace Hotel**, 5*: <https://aro-palace.ro/en/>
Booking via phone (24 / 7): +40 268 478 800 / +40 720 000 548
Booking via e-mail (M to F): rezervari@aro-palace.ro
- **Radisson Blu**, 5*: <https://www.radissonhotels.com/ro-ro/hoteluri/radisson-blu-aurum-brasov>
Booking via phone (24 / 7): +40 372 310 000
Booking via e-mail (M to F): info.brasov@radissonblu.com
- **Ambient Hotel**, 4*: <https://www.hotelambient.ro/en/>
• Booking via phone (24 / 7): +40 268 471 747; +40 368 401 104
• Booking via e-mail (M to F): office@hotelambient.ro

IMPORTANT NOTICE: the number of rooms blocked for the conference is limited. By booking via phone or e-mail, to get the special rate, please mention: **PARTICIPANT AT THE CARL LOPER CONFERENCE!** The special rate is valid only for the number of rooms blocked for the conference.

Rooms are blocked until July 15th, 2024. Please book the hotel as soon as possible.



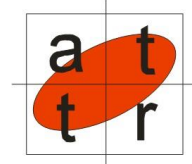
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Preliminary Conference Program
22 – 25 September 2024, Brasov, Romania

Day		Time	Action
22.09.2024	Sunday	16:00 – 19:00	Registration
		19:00	Get together – Informal cocktail
23.09.2024	Monday	08:00 –	Registration
		09:00 - 13:15	Opening word Conference - Session 1
		13:15 - 14:30	Lunch
		14:30 – 19:10	Conference - Session 2
		19:15	Dinner
24.09.2024	Tuesday	08:30 - 12:45	Conference - Session 3
		12:45 - 13:30	Frugal lunch
		13:30 – 18:00	Fascinating Brasov County
		18:00 -	Informal dinner (in & outdoor)
25.09.2024	Wednesday	09:00 – 13:10	Conference - Session 4
		13:15 - 14:30	Lunch
		14:30 - 18:10	Conference - Session 5 Closing word
		19:30 -	Farewell dinner

Pre-conference optional program for the attenders at the 64th International Foundry Conference in Portoroz, Slovenia. We intend to organize a trip by bus from Portoroz to Brasov, via Balaton Lake in Hungary and the city of Timisoara in Romania. Start of the trip: Friday, September 20th and arrival in Brasov on Sunday, September 22nd.

Post-conference optional program, 26 - 27.09.2024, Fascinating Transylvania

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REGISTRATION and FEES

Registration is open until August 31st, 2024.
Before registering, please read the participation regulations.

Participant Fees	EUR	RON
Participant standard	400	2000
Participant - Student, MA, PhD	200	1000
Speaker*	300	1500
Speaker - Student, MA, PhD	150	750
Keynote Speaker	Free	Free
Accompanying person**	300	1500
Pre-conference optional program	EUR	RON
Portoroz-Balaton-Timisoara-Brasov 20-22.09.2024	TBD	TBD

Post-conference optional program	EUR	RON
Fascinating Transylvania, 26-27.09.2024	TBD	TBD

* Speaker - one person per paper

** by "Accompanying person" is understood a family member or partner, non-participant to the scientific program.

The fee doesn't include the cost of accommodation.

Speaker registration fee includes:

- Access to all Conference Scientific Sessions
- Oral presentation
- Book of abstracts
- Coffee and lunch breaks
- All social events included in the conference program
- Ability to submit papers to IJMC

Authors are offered to the opportunity to submit CRL papers based upon non-previously published works. A special issue (SI:CRL2024) category will be established. If accepted the collected papers will be published in a CRL focus section of a future IJMC issue

Standard registration fee includes:

- Access to all Conference Scientific Sessions
- Book of abstracts
- Coffee and lunch breaks
- All social events included in the conference program

Accompanying person registration fee includes:

- All social events included in the conference program

Pre-conference optional program (20-22.09.2024) includes:

- Transportation by first class bus on the route: Portoroz – Balaton – Timisoara – Brasov
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner during the journey
- Two overnights in 3 or 4 stars hotels
- Guide

Post-conference optional program (Fascinating Transylvania, 26-27.09.2024) includes:

- Transportation by first class bus with professional guide
- Breakfast, lunch, and dinner during the journey
- One overnight

Registration form

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Deadline for registration - 31/08/2024

After filling in the registration form, please send it to: 3rd-CR-Loper-Conference@unitbv.ro

* Indicates a compulsory question

E-mail address* _____

Name* _____

Surname* _____

Company/Institution* _____

Phone number* _____

Invoicing details

Company/Institution* _____

Address* _____

VAT identification number* _____

I would like to register as:*

Participant Standard (without presentation) _____

Participant Student, MA, PhD (without presentation) _____

Speaker _____

Speaker Student, MA, PhD _____

Keynote speaker _____

Accompany person: I will be accompanied by the following person(s):

("Accompanying person" is a family member or partner, non-participant to the scientific program of the conference).

Name* _____

Name* _____

Surname* _____

Surname* _____

Pre-conference program (20-22.09.2024)

I want to participate to the pre-conference program, alone or together with my accompanying person; number of participants: _____

Post-conference program (26-27.09.2024)

I want to participate to the post-conference program, alone or together with my accompanying person; number of participants: _____

Herewith I declare that I have read the Participation Regulation in **the 3rd Carl Loper Conference** and accept the terms and conditions contained therein. Yes / No _____

I agree to receive to the e-mail address provided by me a newsletter with information about the 3rd Carl Loper Conference or other events organized by ATTR or UniTbv.

A confirmation of registration and the most important information about the conference will be sent to the e-mail address provided. Please check the junk or spam box. The confirmation may be automatically directed there.

Methods of payment

Payments should be done by bank transfer to the ATTR account in maximum 10 days after receiving the invoice. All payments must be made in EUR or RON.

Account of ATTR:
BCR – Banca Comerciala Romana

Swift code: RNCBROBUXXX
EUR Account: RO74 RNCB 0072 0496 9607 0002
RON Account: RO04 RNCB 0072 0496 9607 0001
Ref. No.: "Participation in the 3rdCRL Conference, full name of the participant"

Notice: All bank costs have to be paid by the sender.

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Promotion packages

The organizers of the 3rd Carl R. Loper Conference are offering to the companies a large range of exhibiting and sponsoring packages, which are designed to promote the companies and to insure the financial means for the good organization of the conference. Please find below our offer and thank you in advance for your support.

MAIN SPONSOR 3000 € / 15000 RON (only one company)

- First cell in the exhibition area equipped with two tables and four chairs, panels for displaying posters, power 220 V;
- Special thanks from the organizers and a 10 minutes slot during the opening ceremony
- Four participants with free participation to the full social program of the conference
- Setting MS logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference
- Setting MS banner (roll-up banner) in a visible place during the event in the conference venue. Banner (roll-up banner) must be provided by MS.
- Handing out of the MS promotional materials together with the conference map (brochures or other promotional materials must be provided by sponsor).
- One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- One page interview with the company's representative, published in the conference booklet (interview must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Free advertisement in one of the issues of the Romanian Foundry Journal in 2024 or 2025 (polychrome or B&W, article or advertise).
- Free subscription for 4 issues of the RFJ published after the conference (2024-2025)

SPONSOR, 800 € / 4000 RON

- Company's logo on the website of the conference
<http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>.
- Setting Sponsor's logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference
- Setting Sponsor's banner (roll-up banner) in a visible place during the event in the conference venue. Banner (roll-up banner) must be provided by sponsor.
- Naming the Sponsor during official part of celebration of conference.
- Handing out of Sponsor's promotional materials together with the conference map (brochures or other promotional materials must be provided by sponsor).
- One participant with free participation to the full social program of the conference;
- Second participant with 25% discount on the standard participant fee to the full social program of the conference.
- One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Free advertisement in one of the issues of the Romanian Foundry Journal in 2024 or 2025 (polychrome or B&W, article or advertise).
- Free subscription for 4 issues of the RFJ published after the conference (2024-2025)

*Posters, roll-up banners or any other advertising or technical elements must be provided by the sponsor

**Each participant will receive at registration a bag containing all documents of the conference, which may include any kind of advertising material of the sponsor (leaflet, brochure, memory stick, technical documentation, etc.) in A4 dimension or smaller. The advertising material must be delivered to the organizers by Friday, 20.09.2024.

EXHIBITOR 800 € / 4000 RON

The exhibition area consists of eight cells located on the ground floor, directly at the entrance of the Aula, as shown in the pictures below. The exhibition will be open from 9 am on Monday, September 23rd to 4 pm on Wednesday, September 25th, 2024.



The following facilities are offered to the exhibitors:

- Two tables and four chairs:
- Panels for displaying posters*
- Power 220 V
- Handing out of Exhibitor's promotional materials together with the conference map (brochures or other promotional materials must be provided by exhibitor)
- Setting Exhibitor's logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference
- One participant at the exhibition with free participation to the full social program of the conference
- Second participant at the exhibition with 25% discount on the standard participant fee to the full social program of the conference
- One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Free advertisement in one of the issues of the Romanian Foundry Journal in 2024 or 2025 (polychrome or B&W, article or advertise)
- Free subscription for 4 issues of the RFJ published after the conference (2024-2025)

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EXHIBITOR & SPONSOR, 1500 € / 7500 RON

The Exhibitor & Sponsor benefits of all facilities offered to sponsors and exhibitors. Additionally, the Exhibitor & Sponsor have priority by acquiring one of the cells for exhibition. The facilities offered to the Exhibitor & Sponsor are:

- Two tables and four chairs in the exhibition area
- Panels for displaying posters*
- Power 220 V
- Two participants with free participation to the full social program of the conference
- Third and fourth participant at the exhibition area with 25% discount from the standard participant fee to the full social program of the conference.
- Free subscription for 4 issues of the RFJ published after the conference (2024-2025)
- Company's logo on the website of the conference <http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>.
- Setting E&S logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference
- Setting E&S banner (roll-up banner) in a visible place during the event in the conference venue. Banner (roll-up banner) must be provided by E&S.
- Naming the E&S during official part of celebration of conference.
- Handing out of the E&S promotional materials together with the conference map (brochures or other promotional materials must be provided by sponsor).
- One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Free advertisement in one of the issues of the Romanian Foundry Journal in 2024 or 2025 (polychrome or B&W, article or advertise).
- Free subscription for 4 issues of the RFJ published after the conference (2024-2025)

COCKTAIL SPONSOR (22nd of September) - 800 € / 4000 RON

- Placing the company logo on the website of the conference <http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>
- Placing the information on sponsoring ("Cocktail sponsored by...") in the program of the conference and in the invitations for the cocktail
- Placement of company logo or banner in the cocktail area One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Setting Sponsor's logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference

LUNCH SPONSOR (23rd or 25th of September – one sponsor per day) - 1000 € / 5000 RON

- Placing the company logo on the website of the conference <http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>
- Placing the information on sponsoring ("Lunch sponsored by...") in the program of the conference and in the invitations for the lunch.
- Placement of company logo or banner in the restaurant area One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Setting Sponsor's logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference

COFFE BREAK SPONSOR (23rd and 25th of September – one per day) – 800 € / 400 RON

- Placing the company logo in the website of the conference <http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>
- Placing the information on sponsoring ("Coffee breaks sponsored by...") in the program of the conference.
- Placement of company logo or banner during coffee breaks
- Setting Sponsor's logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference

DINNER SPONSOR (23rd of September) – 1500 € / 7500 RON

- Placing the company logo on the website of the conference <http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>
- Placing the information on sponsoring (“Dinner sponsored by...”) in the program of the conference and in the invitations for the dinner
- Placement of company logo or banner in the restaurant area
- One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Setting Sponsor’s logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference

FAREWELL DINNER SPONSOR (25th of September) – 2000 € / 10000 RON

- Placing the company logo on the website of the conference <http://3rd-cr-loper-conference.unitbv.ro/>
- Placing the information on sponsoring (“Farewell Dinner sponsored by...”) in the program of the conference and in the invitations for the dinner
- Placement of company logo or banner in the restaurant area
- Welcome introduction to attenders during Farewell Dinner
- One page advertisement in the conference booklet (ad must be provided until July 31, 2024)
- Setting Sponsor’s logo with link on the Sponsors page on the website of the conference