



## **FISAIC Presidium, Liberec 10 – 14 September 2015**

### **I N F O R M A T I O N**

#### **Participants' roll call**

The roll call of the participants of FISAIC Presidium will take place at the reception of Babylon Hotel, Nitranská Street No.1, 460 12 Liberec, where the participants will receive instructions regarding the accommodation, meals and program of FISAIC Presidium. [www.BabylonLiberec.cz](http://www.BabylonLiberec.cz)

#### **Accommodation, meals and meetings of FISAIC Presidium**

Accommodation, meals and meetings shall be at Congress Center Babylon and BABYLON HOTEL\*\*\*\* that provides comfortable accommodation in a distinguished style and with maximum care for its guests. Babylon Hotel is situated near the Liberec center and the railway and bus stations.

#### **Preliminary program**

It is attached to the invitation. The participants will receive the final program after their arrival to Liberec.

#### **Participation fee**

The participation fee is 360 EUR for one person and entire stay, in a double-bed or multi-bed room. The participation fee for a single-bed room is 430 EUR for one person and entire stay.

**The registration will not be accepted until the participation fee is credited to our account no later than on 31 May 2015.**

#### **Insurance**

Each participant procures his/her own travel and stay insurance.

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***FISAIC Presidium will take place in the North Bohemian city of Liberec.***

[www.liberec.cz](http://www.liberec.cz) [www.visitliberec.eu](http://www.visitliberec.eu)

Liberec is situated in the Liberec Basin between Ještěd Mount and Jizera Mountains. It is situated close to the state border with Germany and Poland. Its history started with trade routes leading through this place. A small village first mentioned in 1352 was gradually transformed into a vassal town during the 15<sup>th</sup> century and the first half of the 16<sup>th</sup> century, which was confirmed in writing by Emperor Rudolf II in 1577. Thanks to exceptional activities, the first stone buildings were constructed at the end of the 16<sup>th</sup> century and gave the city its typical look for a long time.

**Babylon Entertainment Center** <http://www.centrumbabylon.cz/zabava.html>

Babylon Center – a unique family fun project - is one of the major Liberec attractions. This large roofed complex built at the place of a former factory is in fact “a small town under one roof.” Babylon Center’s major attractions include a large aqua park with a system of pools and chutes, a fun-fair with many typical activities and “iQpark” with many remarkable exhibits, detailed models of human anatomy, different rebuses, puzzles, etc. Babylon Center also houses different types of restaurants, stores, a bowling alley and a hotel. **The accommodation price includes one time-unlimited admission to the aqua park, iQpark, fun-fair and iQlandia.**

**Ještěd cable car** [www.jested.cz](http://www.jested.cz)

Ještěd Mount, which is 1,012m high, represents Liberec’s landmark. The Ještěd cable car is one of the most interesting transport means in Liberec and the only cable car in the Czech Republic that belongs to Czech Railways (CR). One cable car can transport 35 passengers and go as fast as 36 km per hour. The cable car route is 1,183m long and its height difference is 402m.

**Harrachov Glass Factory** [www.sklarnaharrachov.cz](http://www.sklarnaharrachov.cz)

The glass factory is a traditional handmade producer of luxurious stemware and chandeliers. It is the oldest glass factory in Bohemia.

During the excursion, you will have a chance to see up close glass-blowers at work and to watch the entire glass-making technology. The excursion also includes a visit to a unique 100-year-old historical glass-cutting room powered with transmissions and a water turbine. All this is almost in the original state and fully functioning. The excursion includes a professional guide.

**Sychrov Castle** [www.zamek-sychrov.cz](http://www.zamek-sychrov.cz)

Sychrov Castle is located in Sychrov village in the Liberec Region, 16km south of Liberec and 6km northwest from Turnov. It is a state castle opened to the public since the year 1950; the castle is a unique example of a neo-Gothic aristocratic residence of the second half of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. Besides the castle building with the original furniture, there is also a large castle garden. The castle became the national cultural monument in 1995.

**Giant Barrel in Libverda** [www.obrisud.cz](http://www.obrisud.cz)

The restaurant Giant Barrel is one of the most popular places of Jizera Mountains. Its visitors love not only the incredible panoramic view of Jizera Mountains but also the remarkable building in the shape of barrel that is 14.15m long, 11.4m high and 10.5m wide. It is made of wood and its volume is over 10,000 hl. Inside the barrel are a

restaurant and a dance hall. Outside are two terraces with a beautiful view of the surroundings.