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Abstract Submission Deadline for abstracts Notification to authors **Registration Opens Deadline early registration** Deadline full paper

1 February 2014 18 March 2014 1 June 2014 1 June 2014 1 July 2014

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SOFT 2014

Fusion is the energy-producing process which takes place continuously in the sun and the stars. Today, we are closer than ever to creating that same power here on the earth. Fusion will produce minimal waste and offers an almost limitless supply of safe, dependable energy.

The Symposium on Fusion Technology is the leading event to exchange information on design, construction and operation of fusion experiments and on the technology for present fusion machines and future power plants. With the construction of ITER well under way, fusion research is making a significant step forward. SOFT includes oral and poster presentations as well as industrial and R&D exhibitions.

Around 800 participants, active in universities, research laboratories all over ther world, are expected. Scientists, engineers, manufacturers and students are offered an opportunity to exchange views, visions and experiences and to establish fruitful contacts.

Abstracts of Contributed Papers

Authors are invited to submit one-page abstracts on any of the given topics. The International Organizing Committee will select the papers for oral and poster presentation on the basis of the abstracts.

Invited Papers

A number of eminent experts will be invited to give presentations at the Symposium.

Topics

SOFT-2014 will include contributions on the following topics:

- A Experimental Fusion Devices and Supporting Facilities
- B Plasma Heating and Current Drive
- C Plasma Engineering and Control
- D Diagnostics, Data Acquisition and Remote Participation
- E Magnets and Power Supplies
- F Plasma Facing Components
- G Vessel/In-Vessel Engineering and Remote Handling
- H Fuel Cycle and Breeding Blankets
- I Materials Technology
- J Power Plants Safety and Environment, Socio-Economics and Technology Transfer
- K Laser and Accelerator Technologies

Proceedings

Invited and contributed papers will, subject to peer review and evaluation, be published by a refereed international journal.

Registration Type	FEE	
	Early Bird until July 1st, 2014	Regular from July 2nd, 2014
Regular participants	EUR 650	EUR 770
Students	EUR 400	EUR 400

Registration fee includes attendance to the scientific sessions, congress documentation, coffee breaks, social events and tours

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Tradition and modernity go hand in hand in this "small" big city with touches of the Belle Époque that has a top-flight cultural agenda with its international film and jazz festivals and its first-class cultural programme.

More than that, San Sebastian is the world capital of the "pintxo" (small tapa). Gastronomy rivals nature as the most attractive feature of this city that is world famous for its cuisine and chefs, boasting 16 Michelin stars.

San Sebastian is the capital city of Guipuzcoa, a long-standing and very active region as regards technological development and innovation

Venue



Kursaal - Palacio de Congresos Avda. de Zurriola, 1 20002 Donostia - San Sebastián

The Kursaal venue is a stunning piece of architecture by Rafael Moneo, in service since 1999. In the words of its creator, it resembles two colossal translucent "stranded rocks".