



Austrian Society for
Non-Destructive Testing

8th International Conference on Certification and Standardization in NDT

5 years EN ISO 9712 - What's next / how to go on?

2nd Call for Papers



Vienna, 6th and 7th
June 2017

EF European Federation for
Non-Destructive Testing
NDT



PREFACE

The Austrian Society for NDT (ÖGfZP) is pleased to announce the 8th Certification 2017 in Vienna, 6 to 7 June 2017.

„5 years EN ISO 9712 - What's next / how to go on?“

In this subject, the Austrian Society will organize the most effective Certification Conference, influencing the start of the revision of EN ISO 9712.

The ÖGfZP will make every effort to bring together the NDT experts of ISO TC 135, CEN TC 138, NDT training and certification companies, as well as the concerned industrial representatives!

It is not too soon to begin planning your own personal involvement in this 8th Certification 2017 Conference on NDT in Vienna.

2nd CALL FOR PAPERS

All involved international NDT experts and those interested in dealing with NDT standardisation as well as qualification and certification of NDT personnel are cordially invited to attend as speaker or participant.

The Program Committee of Certification 2017 encourages you to submit a paper which gives all of us your personal view of necessary or desirable changes and adaptations of this standard.

This conference will influence the revision of ISO 9712 and contribute to making it a realizable and high-quality global standard of NDT personnel certification. It also offers you a valuable opportunity to exchange the latest international experiences in this field.

MAIN CONFERENCE TOPICS

- ▶ Standardization
- ▶ Regulation
- ▶ NDT Personnel Certification
- ▶ Harmonization of qualification examinations
- ▶ Examination specimen and Examination questions
- ▶ Training
- ▶ NDT quality systems and personnel certification in industry
- ▶ Approval of NDT contractors
- ▶ Accreditation

Other objectives of the event include:

- ▶ To inform attendees about recent changes to the EN ISO 9712 standard
- ▶ To describe the past, present and future of NDT personnel certification from various perspectives

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- ▶ You are invited to submit abstracts in accordance to the below mentioned guidelines.
- ▶ Registration of papers will only be considered if they are submitted completely, i.e. together with all requested data and the abstract.
- ▶ Authors should register only one paper.
- ▶ English being the conference language, the contributions have to be submitted and presented in English. Translation into other languages will not be provided.
- ▶ Please send your paper submission and the abstract (about 300 words) to office@oegfzp.at, until **20 February 2017** the latest.
- ▶ Authors have to classify the topic of their speech.
- ▶ Presentations will be oral (20 min. incl. discussion).
- ▶ Authors will be informed about the acceptance of their contributions in February 2017.
- ▶ Authors whose paper was accepted have to register via online-form www.oegfzp.at/de/certification.php
- ▶ The full paper, formatted according to the template, must be on hand in the ÖGfZP as an electronic file by 30 April 2017.
- ▶ The template for preparing the manuscripts will be sent to accepted authors and will be published at our website.
- ▶ The proceedings will be available at the conference.



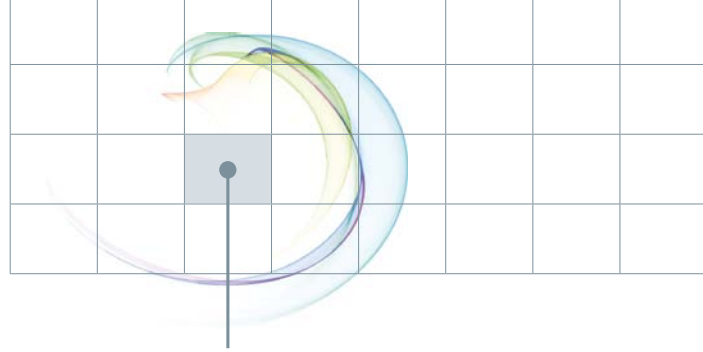
Dr. Stefan Haas,
President ÖGfZP



Gerhard Aufricht,
Vice President,
Certification 2017
organizer

DEADLINES

- ▶ Abstract submission: 20 February 2017
 - ▶ Notification of acceptance: February 2017
 - ▶ Full paper submission: 30 April 2017
 - ▶ Latest payment of the registration fee: 30 April 2017
- The registration is binding and non-refundable.



KEYSPEAKER

Internationally well-known experts have expressed their support as a key speaker.

Clausing Terry (USA)	What is psychometric examination and why is it important?
Farley Mike (Past ICNDT President)	Certification 2017 – perspectives from ICNDT
Holstein Ralf (DGZfP Training Centers)	Five Years of Practice with ISO 9712:2012 in Germany, Austria and Switzerland; Opportunities – Issues – Future
Levy Robert (CEN TC 138 Chairman)	National status of the implementation of EN ISO 9712
Martin Etienne (Cofrend, EFNDT BoD)	EN 9712: From common basis to specific applications
Mullin Alexander (ICNDT/WG 1 Chairman)	Efforts made by ICNDT WG1 on improvement of ISO 9712:2012
Sajeesh Babu (ICNDT President)	Developments of Personnel Certification in accordance with ISO 9712:2012 in Asia Pacific Region – Future & Trends
Trampus Peter (EFNDT President)	NDT personnel qualification and certification – The European way

PROGRAMME COMMITTEE

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GENERAL INFORMATION

THE VENUE

The congress will be held at the Austrian Economic Chamber (Wirtschaftskammer Österreich) which is situated adjacent to the city centre of Vienna.

Austrian Economic Chamber
Wiedner Hauptstraße 63
1040 Vienna, Austria



ACCOMODATION

We have special conditions for the following hotels (Code: Certification 2017). Please note that early booking is necessary.

Motel One***

Elisabethstraße 5
1010 Vienna
www.motel-one.com

Hotel Erzherzog Rainer****

Wiedner Hauptstraße 27-29
1040 Vienna
www.schick-hotels.com

Holiday Inn Vienna City****

Margaretenstraße 53
1050 Vienna
www.ihg.com

CONFERENCE LANGUAGE

All technical papers will be presented in English, simultaneous translation will not be provided.

CONFERENCE MATERIALS

Proceedings The proceedings will be published as USB stick and will be available at the conference

Abstracts At the conference, participants will get a booklet with all abstracts of the programme contributions.

FEES AND REGISTRATION

Please register at the Internet address www.oegfzp.at/de/certification.php

The amount of the participation fee depends on the receipt of payment by ÖGfZP. All fees will be charged in Euro.

Persons who have not paid their registration fee the access will not be permitted.

440 €	Speaker	(payment by 17 March 2017)
490 €	Participant early registration	(payment by 30 April 2017)
590 €	Participant	(payment after 30 April 2017)
340 €	Participant day ticket	(for 6 or 7 June 2017)

The fee (incl. VAT) includes the conference attendance, morning and afternoon refreshments, lunch, proceedings on USB stick and the participation in the conference evening.

EXHIBITION

The conference will be accompanied by an exhibition. Interested companies we offer a poster wall to present their company. To place your orders please contact the Conference Secretariat.

Fee: 200 € plus VAT (entrance to the conference is not included in the fee).

SPONSORSHIP

Are you interested in becoming a „Certification 2017 sponsor“? Please contact the Conference Secretariat.

ABOUT VIENNA

Vienna, also described as Europe's cultural capital, is a metropolis with unique charm, vibrancy and flair. It boasts outstanding infrastructure, is clean and safe, and has all the inspiration that you could wish for in order to discover this wonderful part of Europe. Historical and contemporary sights as well as cultural events are just a short journey away from the venue. One of the most beautiful towns in the world invites you to absorb the impressions of our capital in the spring.



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