

Program of the Russian- German Workshop “Regional laser centers: opportunities for international cooperation”

November 22nd, 2006
Berlin, Russian House for Science and Culture
Friedrichstraße 176-179, 10117 Berlin

Participants from Russia: representatives of Moscow, Moscow distr., Kaluga distr., S. Petersburg, Samara distr., Saratov distr., Ryazan distr., Ural distr., Laser Association and RF Ministry of Education and Science (about 20 persons totally)

Expected Participants from Germany: representatives of WLT, representatives of “OptecNet Deutschland”, regional Networks, EOS, regional associations and administrations, experts in laser technologies

9⁰⁰ – 10⁰⁰: participants recording

10⁰⁰ Welcome Address

- *Prof. I. Kovsh*, LAS President

- *Hans-Georg Kauert*, Senatsverwaltung f. Wirtschaft, Arbeit und Frauen, Leiter der Abteilung Wirtschafts-und Technologiepolitik, Wirtschaftsordnung

10⁰⁰ – 12⁰⁰: plenary session

- Greetings of Russian Federation Ambassador and representatives of the Senate of Berlin;

- *Prof. W. Sandner*, MBI Director, WLT Vice-President

“Photonics – one of the most important technological platforms of XXI century”;

- *Prof. I. Kovsh*, LAS President

“Laser technologies in Russia”

- *Dr. B. Weidner*, OptecNet Deutschland e.V., OpTecBB e.V.

“Regional Networks for optical Technologies in Germany: aims, structures, efficiency”

12⁰⁰ – 13⁰⁰: Lunch

13⁰⁰ – 15⁰⁰: 1st working session “Specifics of local economy and laser technologies introducing in regions of Russia. Regional laser centers programs”

Reporters:

Dr. I. Samartsev, Director of “IRE-Polus” Company, Fryazino, Moscow distr;

Dr. S. Smirnov, Director of S. Petersburg Regional Laser Center;

Prof. G. Mikaelyan, Director of “Inject” Company, Saratov;

Dr. K. Melikhov, Counseleor of the Governor of Samara distr.

Dr. S. Penkin, Director of Department of the Ministry for Industry and Science of Sverdlovsk Distr.

Dr. S. Khilov, Gen. Designer of “Laservariorakurs” Company, Ryazan;

Dr. E. Kul’batskiy, Gen. Director of “Rastr-Technology” Company, Kaluga

Prof. A. Soldatov, Director of Tomsk Regional Laser Center;

15⁰⁰ – 15⁰⁰: Coffee-break

15²⁰ – 17⁰⁰: 2nd working session. “Accumulated experience and today’s opportunities of German – Russian scientific – technical and innovation cooperation in the field of lasers and optical technologies, including cooperation in frame of EU programs”

Reporters:

Prof. L. Govorov, President of Moscow Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Dr. G. Kopachev, Head of Sector of the RF Ministry for Education and Science

K. Nowitzki, representative of Laser Zentrum Hannover e.V., CEO of the European Optical Society, member of “Photonics 21” EU Technology Platform

18⁰⁰ – 20⁰⁰: Reception for workshop participants

Working languages: German and Russian with synchronous translation

Visits of Russian experts to the R&D centers of Berlin- Adlershof are planned for November 23rd of November