

<b>MONDAY, 13<sup>th</sup> June</b>		
<b>OPEN SESSION</b>		
9.00-9.20	<b>Congress opening</b> Excmo. and Magfco. Rector of the Polytechnic University of Valencia <i>V. Krstelj, M. Farley, President of Congress, Emilio Romero</i>	
Time	<b>Invited Communications</b>	
9.20-9.40	Working Together culture within EFNDT <i>Vjera Krstelj (President EFNDT)</i>	
9.40-10.00	NDT Personnel Certification 2011 - a scene setting overview from an ICNDT perspective <i>Mike Farley (President ICNDT)</i>	
10.00-10.40	Exhibition opening and coffee	
<b>Session 1. QUALIFICATION, CERTIFICATION &amp; ACCREDITATION - A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE</b>		
Chairman session: John Thompson		
Time	Communication	Authors
10.40-11.20	Qualification, certification and accreditation systems for NDT personnel - Problems and solutions	<i>John R. Thompson</i>
11.20-13.30	<i>G. Rong (China) , A. Mullin (Russia) , H. Neeson (Africa), J. Rufino (Southamerica), M. Purschke (Europe), N.Ooka (Japan), S. Babu (Australia &amp; Singapore)</i>	
13.30-14.40	LUNCH	
<b>Session 2. Standardization</b>		
Chairman session: Mattias Purschke		
Time	Invited Communications	Author
14.40-15.00	Progress of EN ISO DIS 9712	<i>P. Fallouey</i>
15.00-15.20	An introduction to ISO/IEC DIS 17011, 17024 and 17040	<i>J. Thompson</i>
Time	Communication	Authors
15.20-15.40	Towards Scientific Establishment and Validation of Quality Standards for Digital Thermal Neutron Imaging	<i>M. Jacob Radebe, F. De Beer, E. Sideras-Haddad, G. Nothnagel</i>
15.40-16.00	Guided Waves: standardization and certification	<i>A. Demma, D. Alleyne</i>
16.00-16.20	Standardisation for NDT on railway transport in Russia	<i>G.Ya. Dymkin, A.V Shevelev., I.Z Etingen.</i>
16.20-16.40	COFFEE	
<b>Session 3. Training</b>		
Chairman session: Jesús Serrano		
Time	Communication	Authors
16.40-17.00	Phased Array Training in Olympus NDT	<i>Michael Moles</i>
17.00-17.20	NDT Training in the industrial sector railway maintenance in Germany	<i>Ralf Holstein</i>
17.20-17.40	Training and Practical Experience: a New Look	<i>John H. Zirnhelt</i>
17.40-18.00	Role of operator Training and certification for the reliability of NDT	<i>Ralf Holstein</i>
18.00-18.20	Examination and training samples, imitating object under working conditions.	<i>Kopytov S. G., Solovieva M. O., Batov G. P.</i>
18:30- 21:00	Valencia Guided Tour	
21:00	Congress Dinner. Mar de Bamboo restaurant	

<b>TUESDAY, 14<sup>th</sup> June</b>		
<b>Session 4. NDT Personnel Certification I</b>		
<b>Chairman session: Patrick Fallouey</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Invited Communication</b>	<b>Author</b>
9.00-9.20	The use of psychometrics in qualification examinations	<i>Michael Jones</i>
<b>Time</b>	<b>Communication</b>	<b>Authors</b>
9.20-9.40	Challenges for the NDT personnel certification in Portugal	<i>L. Vieira Gomes, Claudia Almeida, M<sup>o</sup>. José Teixeira</i>
9.40-10.00	Visual testing of welds during welders qualification. Shall be examiner certified as NDT specialist?	<i>Nadezda Volkova, Alexander Mullin</i>
10.00-10.20	Advanced at examination programmes	<i>Stephen Lavender</i>
10.20-10.40	On the implementation of ISO 20807 qualification and approval for limited applications of NDT - and/or the implementation of ISO TS 11774 on performance based qualification	<i>John R. Thompson</i>
10.40-11.00	<b>COFFEE</b>	
<b>Session 5. NDT Personnel Certification II</b>		
<b>Chairman session: Alexander Mullin</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Communication</b>	<b>Authors</b>
11.00-11.20	Certification matters	<i>Stephen Lavender</i>
11.20-11.40	NDT Laboratory Accreditation	<i>Nikša Krnić, Mikhail Leonidovic Kazakevich</i>
11.40-12.00	Improving Certification Standard for Higher and Equivalent Levels of Personnel Competences	<i>István Skopál</i>
12.00-12.20	NDT Personnel Certification for Railway Industrial Sector in Russia	<i>Dymkin G.Ya., Konshina V.N., Nikitina M.O.</i>
12.20-12.40	Guided Wave Testing method: definition of syllabus and certification scheme.	<i>Edoardo Piccinini, Gabriele Noli</i>
12.40-13.00	How it can improve the certification system? The French experience	<i>Thomas Didier</i>
13.00-13.20	Qualification and Training of NDT Field-Service Personnel	<i>Stefan Frank, Hans Rauschenbach</i>
13.20-14.40	<b>LUNCH</b>	
<b>Session 6. Employer certification</b>		
<b>Chairman session: Emilio Romero</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Invited Communication</b>	<b>Authors</b>
14.40-15.20	The work of the European Forum of National Aerospace NDT Boards	<i>Luigi Merletti</i>
<b>Time</b>	<b>Communication</b>	<b>Authors</b>
15.20-15.40	Employer-Based Certification Programmes	<i>Stephen Lavender</i>
15.40-16.10	<b>COFFEE</b>	
<b>OPEN WORKSHOP ON RECOGNITION OF NDT PERSONNEL CERTIFICATION &amp; ACCREDITATION OF PCB</b>		
<b>Chairman of the workshop: John Thompson</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Communication</b>	<b>Authors</b>
16.15-18.00	What's wrong with our qualification, certification and accreditation system, and can we fix it? What do you think?	Panel: ICNDT WG1 members