

# Invitation to the Summer School "INNOVATIONS ON RAW MATERIALS"

4 - 9 September 2017, Banská Štiavnica, Slovakia

We would like to cordially invite you to a Summer School in Banská Štiavnica (Slovakia) to be held from 4th to 9th September 2017. The Summer School **Innovations on Raw Materials** is an initiative supported by the Faculty BERG (Technical University of Košice, Slovakia), TU Bergakademie Freiberg (Germany), and the city of Banská Štiavnica.

The program of the Summer School combines both theoretical lectures and practical issues of raw materials obtaining, with special emphasis on innovations. All the program activities besides the informative subjects, should lead to networking and developing future international relationships.

## Preliminary program:

- September 4, 2017: Opening. Banská Štiavnica "Mother of Innovations on Raw Material Exploration" – lectures
- September 5, 2017: Raw materials in Europe - lectures.
- September 6, 2017: Expected trends in technology for obtaining raw materials - lectures.
- September 7, 2017: Innovations - from idea to implementation - lectures & seminar; evening social program: Schachtág ("Jump through the leather")
- September 8, 2017: Walking in the historical gallery "Glanzenberg", evening social program: historical parade "Salamanders"
- September 9, 2017: Excursions in the surroundings of Banská Štiavnica - In the footsteps of historical water reservoirs - "Tajchs".

The Summer School program provides unique opportunity to the participants to learn more in recent and future trends in raw materials from various perspectives. Major part of the Summer School expenses, including accommodation and transportation from and to Bratislava airport (if necessary), will be covered by the organizers. The number of registrations is limited.

For more information and registration, please contact prof. Pavol Rybár ([pavol.rybar@tuke.sk](mailto:pavol.rybar@tuke.sk)), the representative of GeoTour organization – an organizer of the Summer School.

We look forward to meeting you at the Summer School and sharing your experiences in wonderful historic mining town of Banská Štiavnica.

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