IEEE 802.1 Interim meeting

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Welcome to Stuttgart
IEEE 802.1 May Interim 2017

• Meeting dates:
  – Monday, May 15th – Thursday, May 18th 2017

• Location:
  – Stuttgart, Germany

• Venue:
  – Althoff Hotel am Schloßgarten

• Host:
  – Hirschmann Automation and Control GmbH
Meeting Hotel

• Althoff Hotel am Schlossgarten, Stuttgart  
  – https://www.hotelschlossgarten.com  
• Hotel room rates  
  – Room block with 60 rooms at 180 EUR per night available  
  – Breakfast at an additional 26 EUR per night  
  – Prices include WiFi, 1 bottle of water and Tax  
  – Cancellation fee  
    • Up to 24 hours prior to the reservation: no fee  
    • Less than 24 hours prior to the reservation: 80% of the room cost  
    • Not showing up without cancellation: 100% of the room cost  
• Room block guaranteed until end of early registration (March 18th 2017)
Meeting Registration Fee

• Early registration
  – will be at EUR 510
  – is currently assumed to be open until March 18\textsuperscript{th} 2017
• Standard registration
  – will be at EUR 710
  – is currently assumed to be open from March 19\textsuperscript{th} – May 7\textsuperscript{th} 2017
• Late/on Site registration
  – will be at EUR 810
  – is currently assumed to open after May 7\textsuperscript{th} 2017
• Registration fee will be independent from staying at the meeting hotel
• Registration fee
  – covers coffee breaks, lunch, meeting rooms, AV, WiFi, ...
  – Includes VAT
• Registration Page: TBA
Visa

• Citizens of certain countries and territories need a visa to visit Germany
  – Please visit the following webpage of the German Federal Foreign Office to determine if you require a Visa: http://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/EN/EinreiseUndAufenthalt/Visabestimmungen_node.html
  – Hirschmann Automation and Control GmbH can provide you with a letter inviting you to attend the May 2017 IEEE 802.1 Interim meeting
  – Please ensure to apply for a Visa in good time
Getting to Stuttgart

Stuttgart can be easily reached

• by plane:
  – The Stuttgart airport offers a few direct transatlantic flights
  – There are frequent flights to Stuttgart from large international airports like London, Frankfurt or Munich
  – This allows Stuttgart to be easily reached by air

• by train:
  – The Hauptbahnhof Stuttgart is ranked 8th in the list of the most frequented long-distance railway stations of the Deutsche Bahn. With a daily count of 1280 train stops it offers an easy way to get to Stuttgart by public transportation
  – Getting to the Stuttgart main station from the airport
    • takes about 30 minutes by S-Bahn
    • trains run every 10-20 minutes
  – A good way to get to Stuttgart is to fly into Frankfurt and then take the train from Frankfurt directly to Stuttgart central station

• by car:
  – Stuttgart is located very close to the highways A8 and A81, allowing for easy and comfortable travel to Stuttgart by car
  – ...however, traffic in and out of Stuttgart during rush hours is awful and should be avoided
Sights around Stuttgart

The area around Stuttgart offers quite a lot of interesting sights and things to do. Amongst them are castle ruins, historic castles...
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... and interesting museums (i.e. Staatsgallerie Stuttgart, Mercedes-Benz Museum, Porsche Museum, and others)
More Information on Stuttgart

More information about Stuttgart and the area around it can be found at

https://www.stuttgart-tourist.de/
We are looking forward to welcoming you to Stuttgart