Thursday – 06.05.2010						
8:50	9:00	**Opening Address**				
9:00	9.30	Markus Korn	European Commission			*Ingredients for successful Photonics proposals*
SESSION: Quantum Wells for Mid-Infrared Laser Emission						
9:30	10:15	James Gupta	National Research Council	Canada	Invited	*GaSb-based Interband Laser Diodes for Hydrocarbon Gas Sensing Beyond 3 µm*
10:15	11:00	Yves Rouillard	University of Montpellier	France	Invited	*Incursion into the 3-4 µm range with quantum well lasers*
11:00	11:20	Coffee break				
11:20	11:40	Tony Krier	Lancaster University	UK	Contributed	*Mid-infrared GaInSb/AlGaInSb Strained Quantum Well Laser Diodes grown on GaAs*
11:40	12:00	Lars Nähle	nanoplus GmbH	Germany	Contributed	*DFB Laser Diodes for Sensing Applications beyond 3 µm*
12:00	12:20	Kristijonas Vizbaras	Technische Universität Munich	Germany	Contributed	*Recent Progress on Electrically-Pumped Single-Mode GaSb-based VCSELs Emitting around 2.3 µm and 2.6 µm*
12:20	12:40	Martin de La Mare	Lancaster University	UK	Contributed	*Mid-Infrared Photoluminescence of InAsNSb/InAs Multi Quantum Wells Grown by Molecular Beam Epitaxy*
12:40	13:00	Robert Kudrawiec	Wrocław University of Technology	Poland	Contributed	*The concept of new dilute nitrides for quantum wells emitting in mid-infrared spectral range*
13.20	13.20	Soile Suomalainen	Tampere University of Technology	Finland	Contributed	*GaSb-based Distributed Feedback Laser Fabricated by Nanoimprint Lithography*
13:20	14:05	Lunch				
SESSION: Interband Cascade Lasers						
14:05	14:50	Igor Vurgaftman	Naval Research Laboratory	USA	Invited	*Interband cascade lasers for gas sensing in the 3-4 µm band*
14:50	15:10	Adam Bauer	University of Wuerzburg	Germany	Contributed	*Interband Cascade Lasers for Hydrocarbon-Sensing Applications*
15:10	15:30	Marcin Motyka	Wrocław University of Technology	Poland	Contributed	*Fourier mode modulation spectroscopy characterization of mid-infrared semiconductor structures*
15:30	15:50	Coffee break				
SESSION: Applications - Part I						
15:50	16:35	Peter Kaspersen	Norsk Elektro Optikk AS	Norway	Invited	*Challenges of Mid-Infrared Spectroscopy in Emission Control*
16:35	17:20	Stefan Lundqvist	Siemens AB	Sweden	Invited	*Process control applications in the Mid Infrared*
17:20	17:40	Bernhard Basnar	Vienna University of Technology	Austria	Contributed	*Intracavity gas sensing using quantum cascade lasers with chromic transducers*
17:40	18:00	Yargo Bonetti	ETH Zurich	Switzerland	Contributed	*IrSens: Integrated Sensing Platform for Gases and Liquids in the Near and Mid-Infrared Range*
18:00	20:00	**Conference Dinner**				

Friday – 07.05.2010						
SESSION: Quantum Cascade Lasers						
9:00	9:45	Carlo Sirtori	Université Denis Diderot, Paris	France	Invited	*Quantum cascade lasers: a unifying concept for laser action in the 3 to 300 μm wavelength range*
9:45	10:30	Ted Masselink	The Humboldt University of Berlin	Germany	Invited	*Short-wavelength InP-based QCLs*
10:30	12:00	**Coffee and Poster Session**				
12:00	12:20	Kamil Kosiel	Institute of Electron Technology, Warsaw	Poland	Contributed	*GaAs/AlGaAs (~9.4 μm) Quantum Cascade Lasers Operating at the Room-Temperature*
12:20	12:40	Michał Wasiak	Technical University of Lodz	Poland	Contributed	*Numerical modelling of thermal properties of mounting and processing modification of quantum cascade lasers structures*
12:40	13:00	Thomas Slight	University of Glasgow	UK	Contributed	*Single Wavelength InGaAs/AlAsSb Quantum Cascade Lasers with Emission in the 3–4 μm Range*
13:00	14:00	Lunch				
14:00	14:45	Alexei Baranov	University of Montpellier	France	Invited	*Antimonides - alternative materials for quantum cascade lasers*
14:45	15:05	Kamil Pierściński	Institute of Electron Technology, Warsaw	Poland	Contributed	*Thermoreflectance Analysis of AlGaAs/GaAs Quantum Cascade Lasers*
15:05	15:25	Anna Wójcik-Jedlińska	Institute of Electron Technology, Warsaw	Poland	Contributed	*Microphotoluminescence characterisation of quantum cascade lasers*
15:25	15:40	Cofee break				
SESSION: Applications - Part II						
15:40	16:25	Frank Tittel	Rice University	USA	Invited	*Recent advances in mid- infrared semiconductor laser based trace gas sensor technologies*
16:25	17:10	Gerard Wysocki	Princeton University	USA	Invited	*Molecular dispersion spectroscopy in the mid-IR – new approach to sensitive chemical detection*
17:10	17:30	Paweł Kluczyński	Siemens AB	Sweden	Contributed	*A Faraday modulation spectrometer for detection of nitric oxide using a room temperature cw DFB QCL*
17:30	17:50	Bernhard Lendl	Vienna University of Technology	Austria	Contributed	*Liquid Phase Spectroscopy With A Widely Tunable External-Cavity Quantum Cascade Laser*
17:50	18:00	**Closing Address**				

Saturday – 08.05.2010		
10:00	14:30	Touristic programme - guided tour over the most interesting places of Wroclaw downtown

List of Poster Presentations:

GaInAsSb/AlGaInAsSb quantum well lasers for emission around 3.0 µm
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Nanosecond Time Resolved Characterization Of A Commercially Available Broadband Pulsed External-Cavity Quantum Cascade Laser
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High Quality Epitaxial Growth Of Interband-Cascade-Lasers
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Trace Detection: A new Source of Cold Species, Application to theMid-Infrared Spectral Range
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Interband Cascade and Quantum Cascade based Monomode Emitters for Hydrocarbon Sensing
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Voltage Tunability of Quantum Cascade Lasers
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Industrial Trace-Gas Analyzer for Phosgene Monitoring Based on QCL Absorption Spectroscopy
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Study and development of a multi-species buried probe for gas spectroscopy with bidirectional antimonide-based laser diodes.
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Photoluminescence and photoreflectance of AlGaAs/GaAs superlattices for mid and far infrared
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Optical properties of GaSb - based type II quantum wells emitting in the middle infrared spectral range
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Band gap discontinuities and photoluminescence thermal quenching of GaInAsSb/Al(In)GaAsSb quantum wells
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Photoreflectance spectroscopy of InN(Sb)As layers dedicated for mid-infrared emitters
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Band structure of GaInNAsSb/InGaAs/InP quantum wells studied by modulation spectroscopy
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Influence of pulse mode operating conditions on T_{max} in $Al_{0.45}Ga_{0.55}As$/GaAs quantum cascade lasers
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