

## Dear colleagues,

The present newsletter is incorporated in the Imaging & Microscopy issue that will be available at the International Microscopy Congress, IMC 2014, in Prague. The organization of this meeting has been strongly supported by the EMS, starting with the support for the Prague bid by the General Council. By not organizing an EMS Extension this year, EMS further focuses a large portion of its meeting support on the IMC event. The 2014 EMS General Assembly will take place in Prague at lunchtime on Wednesday, after the EMS Outstanding Paper Award

ceremony, and 58 young EMS members will receive a scholarship to pay for their early bird student registration fee.

For the second half of 2014, 10 applications for EMS sponsored events were received. After careful comparison the Board decided to sponsor 5 more events yielding a total of 10 sponsored events in 2014. The newly selected meetings are:

- Summer School on Advanced Aberration-Corrected STEM, July 4-7, Daresbury, UK
- 9th International conference on charged particle optics (CPO), August 31 - September 5, Brno, Czech Republic

- Workshop on EM and cryoEM methods at ECIS2014, September 4-7, Haifa, Israel
- XV International Conference on Electron Microscopy EM2014, September 15-18, Kraków, Poland
- Second Conference on *In-Situ* and Correlative Electron Microscopy (CIS-CEM 2), October 15, Saarbrücken, Germany

The next big event in microscopy will be the 16th European Microscopy Congress in Lyon, France organised by the European Microscopy Society with the French Society of Microscopies (SFµ). The Congress will be held from August 28th to September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016 at the Lyon Convention Center (see figure) under the chairmanship of Dr. Thierry Epicier. Lyon is a historic city designated as a Unesco world heritage. It is a place of traditions like silk-weaving, culinary arts, and the birthplace of cinema. The Lyon Region has developed a dynamic industrial network based on intelligence and research. We look forward to welcoming you there to enjoy the "French Touch"!



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