



International Conference of Cosmetology Slovakia 2008

Annual Conference of the SSC and the CSC

1-3 October 2008, Bratislava

The **Slovak Society of Cosmetology** and the **Czech Society of Cosmetology**, both members of the IFSCC, are traditionally alternating in organization of their Annual Scientific Conference.

This year the conference was organized by the Slovak Society of Cosmetology (SSC). It was held on October, 1-3, 2008, in the Baronka Hotel in Bratislava under the name of ICC-Slovakia 2008. The co-organizers were the Czech Society of Cosmetology (CSC) and the Association of manufacturers, importers, exporters and distributors of cosmetic products and raw materials (PROKOS – member of COLIPA) from Czech Republic and Institute of Biotechnology and Food Science, Slovak University of Technology Bratislava from Slovakia.

Almost 150 participants from Slovakia, Czech Republic and 8 other European countries obtained the area for exchanging of ideas and opinions on current state in the cosmetic legislation, raw materials, technologies and packaging for the cosmetic, toiletry and perfume industries, laboratory equipment, as well as in the cosmetic market. It was a honour for the organisers, me, to welcome *Dr. Ing. Jacek Arct*, president of the Polish Society of Cosmetic Chemists, too.

Scientific Program

The scientific program consisted from the lectures and posters. Official languages of the Conference were English, Slovak and Czech, with simultaneously interpretation to English and Slovak. Conference contributions were published in Conference proceedings. The programme comprised 21 presenters. 10 of them were par-

ticipants from Czech Republic, 4 from Poland, 3 from Slovakia, 1 from France, 1 from Germany, 2 from The Netherlands.

The topic of this conference was »Cosmetic science, ingredients and packages for the next decade ...«.

There were 6 sections of lectures during the Conference:

- *Cosmetic Active Ingredients & Carriers of Active Ingredients*
- *Nature & Cosmetics*
- *Cosmetic Products Quality and Safety & Skin Permeability*
- *Disinfection & New Preservatives & New Thickeners*
- *Psychorheology & UV Photoprotection*
- *Miscellaneous*

Exhibition

An exhibition of suppliers was taking place at the venue of the Hotel Baronka in Bratislava parallel to the Conference. 10 international companies showed their new ingredients and packaging products, as well as services for transport and storage.

Social Programme

The Conference provided an excellent opportunity for all the participants not only to discuss about the future direction



Picture: View in the conference room during the scientific sessions



Picture: Mr. Jacek Arct, president of the Polish Society of Cosmetic Chemists, under his presentation; Mrs. Hojerova, president of the Slovak Society of Cosmetology (mid); Mr. J. Smidrkal, Conference scientific vice-president (left, committee member of the Czech Society of Cosmetology).

of cosmetology, manufacture and marketing of cosmetics, but also the opportunity for non-formal meetings in pleasant atmosphere of the Baronka hotel.

Extraordinary interesting were two social events, both organized on 2nd October:

1. The trip to Bratislava surroundings Cervený Kamen Castle, and
2. the Gala dinner, which included the



Picture: View to the ICC-Slovakia 2008 exhibition.



Picture: Some of the participants at the trip to Cervený Kamen Castle.

tasting of Slovak wines with *Prof. Fedor Malik*, the world-known Slovak enologist.

The ICC-Slovakia 2008 was highly appreciated by all participants. Summarizing, it was noted, that ICC-Slovakia 2008 was undoubtedly one of the best conferences of both societies held to date!

Next Year Conference

The next Annual Conference of the SSC and the CSC will be held in **Luhacovice, Czech Republic**, on **October 7-10, 2009**.

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

1. Cosmetic Active Ingredients & Carriers of Active Ingredients

»Focus on the Mediterranean active ingredients«; *L. Pellegrini, M. Pellegrini* (Gelyma, Marseille, France)

»Active ingredients in cosmetics«, *J. Smidrkal^a, V. Krs^b, V. Filip^a, L. Polakova^a, T. Karlova^a*

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»Ion pairs in cosmetology – new data«; *J. Arct^{a,b}, M. Chetkowska^{a,c}, K. Kasiura^{a,b}* (^a Warsaw University of Technology, Faculty of Chemistry; ^b Academy of Cosmetics and Health Care, Warsaw; ^c Dermika Ltd., Warsaw, Poland)

»3D-tara matrix – the novel delivery system for cosmetic actives«; *M. Siekierski* (Provital Polska Sp.z o.o., Lubon, Poland)

2. Nature & Cosmetics

»Cosmetics – Return to nature – Trends and opportunities«; *J. Veverkova^a, J. Reigata^b, G. Rovati^b*

(^a Faravelli s.r.o., Prague, Czech Republic; ^b Giusto Faravelli SpA, Milano, Italy)

»A.M.I. – Eco extracts«; *V. Kopecky* (ACE Trade s.r.o., Ústí nad Orlicí, Czech Republic)

»Natural active ingredient resveratrol in clinical medicine«; *J. Wendlova* (Clinical Osteology Ambulance, FNŠP akad. L. Derera Bratislava, Slovakia)

»Wacker-Belsil® silicone waxes for personal care«; (Author: *G. Beer*, Wacker Chemie AG, Munich, Germany)

Speaker: *J. Verlinden* (Wacker Chemie Benelux B.V. Krommenie, Netherlands)

3. Cosmetic Products Quality and Safety & Skin Permeability

»Questionnaire survey about consumption of cosmetics by the young generation«; *A. Vachova, Z. Panovska, D. Lukesova* (Faculty of Food and Biochemical Technology, ICT, Prague, Czech Republic)

»How to formulate products for sensitive skin?«; *K. Pytkowska, J. Arct* (Academy of Cosmetics and Health Care, Warsaw, Poland)

»Safety assessment of cosmetics using results of alternative methods«; *D. Jirova^a, E. Stepankova^b, L. Kubac^c, H. Bendova^a, E. Horcikova^b, J. Akerman^c, K. Kejlova^a, M. Radlova^a*

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»Skin permeability – influences and evaluation«; *J. Hojerova, M. Borekova, L. Orsagova, S. Pazourekova, K. Cerni* (Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology, STU, Bratislava, Slovakia)

4. Disinfection & New Preservatives & New Thickeners

»HUWA-SAN® – the peroxide disinfection for cosmetic industry«; *O. Horsky* (ACE Trade s.r.o., Ústí nad Orlicí, Czech Republic)

»NEOLONE™ – new, efficient and safe preservative solutions for personal care formulations«; *M. Drozdowski* (Rohm and Haas Polska Sp.z o.o., Warsaw, Poland)

»Application of 3V liquid thickeners in cosmetic formulation«; *S. Dzendzo* (3V Deutschland GmbH, Weil der Stadt, Germany)

»High Performance Products from Renewable Resources«; *Julia Ivanov* (Akzo Nobel, Amsterdam, The Netherlands)

5. Psychorheology & UV Photoprotection

»The influence of stabilizers and TiO₂ content on psychorheology of cosmetic emulsions«; *T. Moravkova^{a,b}, P. Stern^b, A. Vachova^a, Z. Panovska^a, J. Pokorny^a*

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»Polymeric UV filter – an effective and human health safe additive for photoprotective emulsions«; *L. Kubac^a, J. Akerman^b, J. Horalek^b, D. Jirova^c, H. Bendova^c, K. Kejlova^c, E. Stepankova^d, E. Horcikova^d*

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»*In vitro* evaluation of SPF and critical wavelength of sun protection products«; *J. Hojerova, A. Medovcikova, V. Strbova, P. Mularcikova* (Faculty of Chemical and Food Technology, STU, Bratislava, Slovakia)

6. Miscellaneous

»The perception of smell and their evaluation«; *Z. Panovska, D. Lukesova, A. Vachova, B. Bohackova* (Faculty of Food and Biochemical Technology, ICT, Prague, Czech Republic)

»Effective transport and storage of cosmetic raw materials and products«; *K. Tison* (Schoeller Arca Systems s.r.o., Bratislava, Slovakia)

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