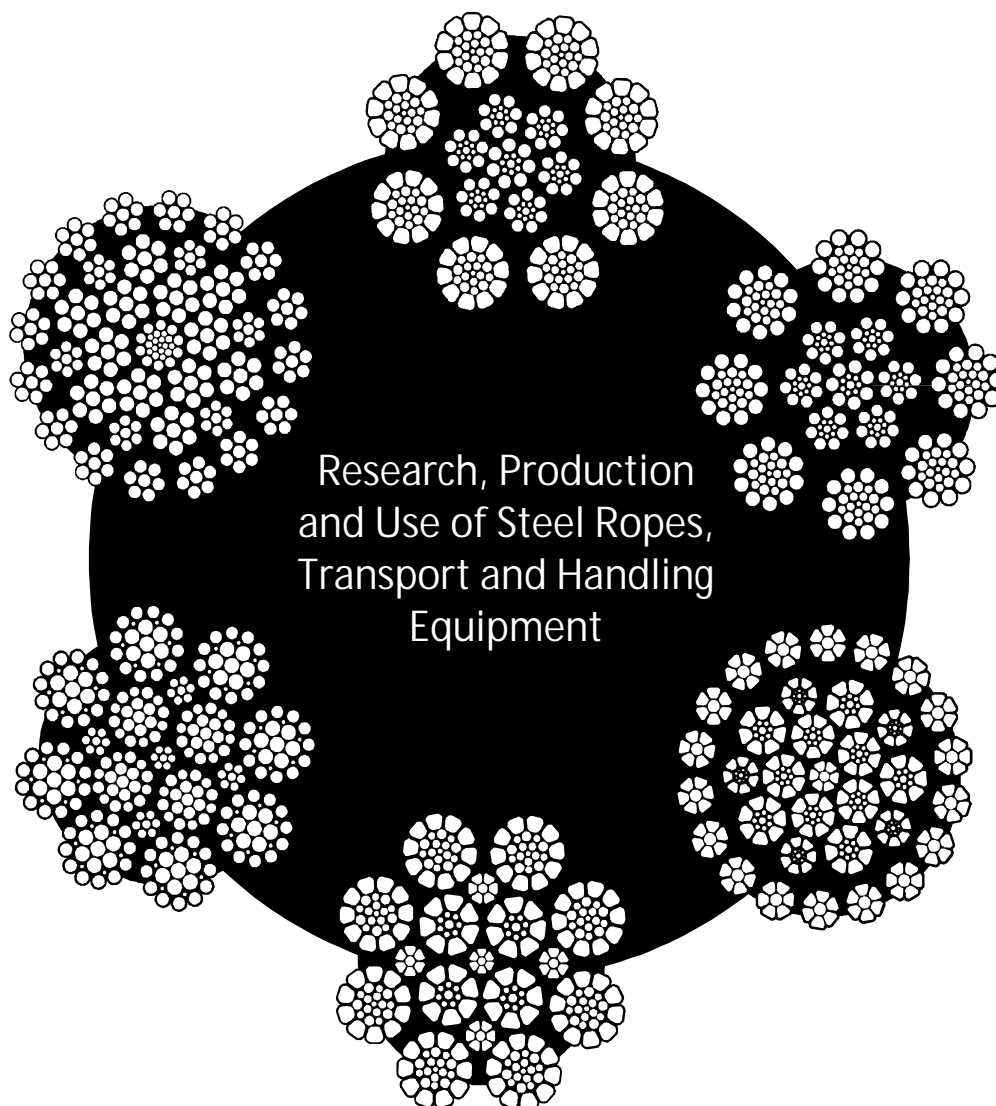




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XXII. International Conference VVaPOL 2025



23–26 September 2025

Grand Hotel PERMON
High Tatras – Podbanské

Circular Letter 1

SCIENTIFIC SCOPE OF THE CONFERENCE

Session 1: Research, production and use of steel ropes

- Research, production and use of steel rope structures;
- Theoretical approaches to rope and vertical transport;
- Materials and properties of wires for steel ropes production;
- Mechanical stress of steel ropes in operation;
- Practical applications of steel ropes;
- Service life and quality evaluation of steel ropes;
- Steel ropes safety;
- Monitoring, maintenance, control and testing of steel ropes and ropeways;
- Use of steel ropes in the operation of cranes, lifts, ropeways and hoisting machines;
- Lubricants, lubrication and anticorrosive protection of steel ropes;
- Other related areas.

Session 2: Research, production and use of conveyors and handling equipment

- Research, production and use of conveyor belts, tyres and other composites;
- Theoretical approaches to transport and handling processes;
- Designing, modelling and simulation of transport and handling processes;
- Practical applications of transport and handling equipment and their structural elements;
- Drives, auxiliary and additional devices for transport and handling equipment;
- Measurements, sensors, monitoring and diagnostic systems for transport and handling processes;
- Technical and economical evaluation of material transport and handling;
- Automated and robotic systems and Industry 4.0 in material transport and handling;
- Safety and risks associated with the operation of transport and handling equipment;
- Maintenance of transport and handling equipment;
- Material handling in production, warehouses, and in packaging and waste management;
- Material handling in flexible production systems;
- Types and properties of manipulable materials;
- Material flow logistics;
- Other related areas.

REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS

Registration of conference participants and papers is done via an e-form at the conference website ana.ul.fberg.tuke.sk or by sending the participant application form to the e-mail vvapol.fberg@tuke.sk, or by post to the address given in the contacts.

PUBLISHING

Papers will be published in a Proceedings of Conference under assigned ISBN numbers in a printed form. The Proceedings of Conference will be sent to Web of Science for evaluation and potential indexing as well. The papers may be written in Slovak, Czech or English languages. More information on content and formal requirements will be published at ana.ul.fberg.tuke.sk. Please send the papers, prepared in template, to the email address: lubomir.ambrisko@tuke.sk.

Papers written in English language may be published in the Proceedings of Conference or in Transport & Logistics: the International Journal (ISSN 1451-107X). See for more information at <http://people.fberg.tuke.sk/tnl/index.php/tnl>.

NOTE

Publishing a paper is conditioned by a successful result of the review procedure and the author's active participation in the conference (with a presentation or a poster).

PRESENTATION OF COMPANIES

The conference offers an opportunity to present companies, for a fee, in form of presentations, exposition of showpieces or products and by advertising in the Proceedings of Conference or at the conference website.

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

23 September 2025, Tuesday	Presentation of the participants
24 September 2025, Wednesday	Conference opening and discussions in sessions
25 September 2025, Thursday	Discussions in sessions
26 September 2025, Friday	Excursion, closing the conference

REGISTRATION FEE

The registration fee for the participants is 369 EUR for those registered by 15 August 2025. For registration after 15 August 2025, the fee will amount to 399 EUR. The registration fee covers the costs of organising the conference, technical equipment, spa fee, Proceedings of Conference, conference materials and refreshment during discussions in sessions. Publishing a paper in the Proceedings of Conference will be conditioned by paying the registration fee.

The amount of the registration fee for PhD students is 269 EUR.

The registration fee for an accompanying person is 270 EUR.

The amount of the registration fee has been determined pursuant to Act No 526/90 Coll. on Prices. The registration fee is non-refundable in case of non-participation.

Payment particulars:

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Financial institution: Slovenská sporiteľňa, a.s.
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Variable symbol: VVaPOL 2025
A note for a recipient: Name and surname of the conference participant
A transfer fee – a fee for a foreign payment is not included in the fee amount.

ACCOMMODATION

The cost of accommodation is not included in the registration fee. Accommodation may only be booked in writing, via an email to kongres@hotelpermon.sk. The booking email must contain the following note: Participant of the VVaPOL 2025 Conference; this will guarantee a discount on the accommodation price. The booking email must also contain the dates of your stay, how many rooms you need, names of the participants in individual rooms and the invoicing data. Grand hotel Permon will accommodate the conference participants in double and triple rooms for 85 EUR/night/person. The price for accommodating a single person in a single-bed room or a double room is 140 EUR/night.

Accommodation must be booked and paid by 15 July 2025; after this date, the hotel cannot guarantee availability of accommodation.

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

- 15 June 2025- Registration of the participants and titles of their papers
- 11 July 2025- Delivery of a complete paper (as instructed)
- 11 July 2025- Booking and payment of accommodation in Grand Hotel Permon
- 1 September 2025- Sending the conference programme
- 15 August 2025- Delivery of a binding application form, payment of the registration fee of 369 EUR and other charges

We would like to ask the participants to respect the deadline for registration for the conference and the deadline for the delivery of complete papers; unfortunately, delayed registration and papers deliveries can't be processed in time.

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