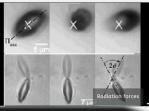


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	Early	Late
Student (Master, PhD)	400	450
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Accompanying person (gala & excursion)	75	75

Registration fees include for maximum of two oral presentations: the conference attendance, conference abstract book and one copy of the JQRST special issue for corresponding authors, lunches and coffee breaks, welcome diner, LIP 2014 excursion and gala dinner

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Important dates

Abstract submission opens	.November 1st, 2013
Abstract submission ends	.March 1st, 2014
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Papers, ranging from theory to practice, are invited with particular emphasis being placed on the following topics:

- Beam shape description,
- Near fields and morphology-dependent-resonances,
- Far-field scattering,
- Time-resolved scattering,
- Complex shaped particles and aggregates,
- Multiple scattering in dense media,
- Optical forces and other mechanical effects of light,
- Optical particle sizing and characterization methods.

Applications may range from multiphase flow characterization, to plasma and soft matter physics, nanosciences, aerosol science and atmospheric environment, biomedical optical engineering.

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