

Co-operation with practice

- New Faculty website aimed at co-operation with practice (editor: PhDr. Kvetoslava Rešetová, Ph.D.):

Intensive co-operation with practice is essential for a research university. It markedly enhances both educational and research activities by reflecting the current demand for providing unique solutions to acute engineering problems, accelerating the transfer of knowledge and simultaneously bringing financial benefits. It is the Faculty contribution to meeting the Lisbon strategy. Along with learned and acknowledged top University experts, also involved in the project are the Faculty students. Doctoral students in particular can thus directly focus their theses on the research projects applied in the industrial sector. Forms of the Faculty-practice co-operation are of various types: contractual projects from practice, research and innovation projects established together with partners from industry, involvement of small and medium-sized companies into international projects, student practice and mobility in the companies both at home and abroad and support for the establishment of small Faculty-related companies etc.

The screenshot displays the website for the Faculty of Materials Science and Technology in Trnava (MTF) at the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava (STU). The page is titled "Development and EU Structural Funds" and is dated Tuesday, 17. December 2013. The header includes the STU logo, the faculty name, and a search bar. A navigation menu lists various sections like Faculties, AIS, STU, Institutes, Divisions, Phone directory, Webmail, and Alumni. The main content area features a sidebar with "INFORMATION FOR" (Students, Applicants, Graduates, Registrar's Section) and "INFORMATION ABOUT" (Faculty, Accreditation, Development, University Scientific Park, Research, International Relations, Conferences, Internal Relations). The main text describes the MTF's mission and its focus on research, development, and innovation, supported by EU structural funds. It highlights the faculty's commitment to sustainable development and knowledge dissemination. A contact section identifies Prof. Dr. Ing. Jozef Peterka as the contact person. The footer includes a date of 03.09.2013 and a print/share button. The browser's taskbar at the bottom shows several open windows, including "Nová správa: skuska...", "5_AR2013_DEVELOP...", "Dianie na MTF 2013 -...", and "TLACOVA SPRAVA [...]".

Company Presentations at MTF STU in 2013:

- 09/04/2013 **ESAB Slovakia, s.r.o.** - seminar within the cycle devoted to the issues of welding and weldability.
- 09/04/2013 Meeting between representatives from the Embassy of Portugal, representatives of companies operating in the **Plastics Industry in Portugal and Slovakia** and representatives of the Slovak Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the Automotive Cluster Western Slovakia.
- 25/04/2013 **JAVYS, a.s. Bratislava** – presentation on the “Concept of the nuclear power plants decommissioning”.
- 14/10/2013 **Festo** – presentation on the "Trends in electro-pneumatics for automation".
- 21/10/2013 **SECO** - seminar of the SECO Tools Group Company on “Milling strategies II”; Lecturer, Patrick De Vos, MSc. Manager of Engineering Education.
- 27/11/2013 **Matador Holding a.s.** – lecture by doc. Ing. Štefan Rosina, PhD. – Chair of the Board of Directors, in co-operation with Junior Chamber International - Slovakia within the cycle "Idea turned to success".
- 11/12/2013 **Lloyd's Register Quality Assurance** – lecture by RNDr. Juraj Kliment – Senior Auditor for the automotive industry.

Regular meetings with experts from practice within the programme “Dialogues with practice” guaranteed by the Institute of Industrial Engineering and Management:

- 25/02/2013 PhDr. Branislav Hunčík, PhD., CHRO (Chief HR Officer – Penta Investments, s. r. o., Prague) - Lecture: **Key indicators of efficiency.**
- 27/05/2013 Ing. Milan Šesták (General Manager Emerson, a.s. President of the Slovak Society for Quality) - Lecture: **Supply chain built on the demands of customers.**
- 30/09/2013 Ing. Juraj Janáč (Volkswagen Slovakia, a.s.) – Lecture: **Modern elements of logistics applied in the automotive industry in Slovakia.**
- 28/10/2013 Silvia Drahošová (IPMA level A®), Jana Hurtová (IPMA level A®, PRINCE2® Foundation, P3O® Foundation) – Lecture: **Project Manager WANTED! (What is the job of a project manager about?)**
- 02/12/2013 Ing. Jozef Hnát, PhD. (University of Žilina) - Lecture: **Digital company and its practical utilisation in the automotive industry**