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The Alexander Popov Odessa National Academy of Telecommunications (ONAT)

Face-to-face Training on

New and Advanced Technologies of Digital Television and Related Video Applications Odessa, Ukraine, 3-6 November 2015

INFORMATION NOTE

1. INTRODUCTION

This workshop aims to introduce participants to modern and advanced digital television systems and standards, in particular systems of digital production and broadcasting, media information compression, image quality assessment and management, and sound accompaniment. It will focus on topics that address digital television legal framework; standard definition television (SDTV); high definition television (HDTV) ultra high definition television (UHDTV); stereoscopic and multi-angle television; multimedia and interactive video applications; video information and digital cinema systems, development strategy for companies working in the field of digital television and determination of tariffs for digital television services.

2. VENUE OF THE WORKSHOP

The Alexander Popov Odessa National Academy of Telecommunications (ONAT)
Assembly Hall, main academic building

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3. COORDINATORS

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4. ON-SITE REGISTRATION AND WORKING HOURS

On-site registration of participants will start on 3 November 2015, Tuesday, at 8:30 a.m. at the

workshop venue.

Tuesday, 3 November 2015, from 9h.00 to 15h.30

Wednesday, 4 November 2015, from 9h.00 to 15h.30

Thursday, 5 November 2015, from 9h.00 to 15h.30

Friday, 6 November 2015, from 9h.00 to 13h.15

5. VISA FORMALITIES

Those participants who need an entry visa for Ukraine, should apply in advance to the Ukrainian consulate in their country for information on visa requirements.

To receive visa support, the participants are kindly requested to send the visa support request form to the workshop coordinator Ms. Irina Politova at email: rdd@onat.edu.ua **not later than 21 October 2015.**

6. ACCOMMODATION

Participants should book directly with hotels. When choosing a hotel for accommodation, participants are kindly requested to the list of proposed hotels.

7. LIST OF PROPOSED HOTELS

All recommended hotels are located in the centre of Odessa.

Hotel "Deribas"

27, Deribasovskaya St., Odessa, 65026, Ukraine

tel: +38(048)700-05-21

E-mail: booking@hotel-deribas.com

Web-site: <http://www.hotel-deribas.com/>

Room Category	Single/Double room	
Econom	600/650 UAH	27,2/29,4 USD
Standard	700/800 UAH	31,7/36,2 USD
Business	800/900 UAH	36,2 /40,7 USD
Business+	900/1000 UAH	40,7/45,3 USD

Hotel "Royal Street" ***

27, Deribasovskaya St., Odessa, 65026, Ukraine

Tel.: +38 (048) 777 2 999

Tel/fax: +38 (048) 784 26 45

E-mail: <http://royalstreet.com.ua/>

Room Category	Single/Double room	
Economy Suite	500/560 UAH	23,8 /26,6 USD
Standard Suite	620/700 UAH	29,5/33,3 USD
Advanced Standard	800/900 UAH	38,0/42,8 USD
Semi Deluxe Suite	940/1040 UAH	44,7/49,5 USD
Luxury Suite	1200/1300 UAH	57,1/61,9 USD

Hotel «Guest house»

6, Ekaterininskaya St., Odessa, Ukraine

Tel.: +38 (048) 737 44 00

Tel/fax: +38 (048) 737 44 60

E-mail: gostiniy-dvor@mail.ru

Website: <http://gostinniydvor.com/>

Room Category	Single/Double room	
Economy Suite	450 UAH	21,4 USD
Standard Suite	720 UAH	34,2 USD
Semi Deluxe Suite	850 UAH	40,5 USD
Luxury Suite	1050 UAH	50,0 USD

Breakfast is included in room price.

Hotel "Frapolli" ****

13, Deribasovskaya st., Odessa, 65026, Ukraine

Tel.: +38 (048) 772 85 58

Fax: +38 (0482) 35 68 00 (09)

E-mail: frapolli@mail.ru

Website: www.frapolli-hotel.com

Room Category	Single/Double room	
Economy Suite	840/840 UAH	40,0/40,0 USD
Standard Suite	1185/1385 UAH	56,4/65,8 USD
Advanced Standard	1475/1675 UAH	70,2/79,7 USD
Semi Deluxe Suite	1590/1790 UAH	75,7/85,2 USD
Luxury Suite	1740/1940 UAH	82,8/92,3 USD

Hotel "Continental" ****

5 Deribasovskaya st., Odessa, 65026, Ukraine

Tel.: +38 (048) 786 03 99, +38 (048) 786 01 55

Fax: +38 (048) 786 05 50

E-mail: office@continental-hotel.com.ua

Website: <http://www.continental-hotel.com.ua/>

Room Category	Single/Double room	
Standard Suite	800 UAH	38,1 USD
Comfort Suite	960 UAH	45,7 USD
Semi Deluxe Suite	1540 UAH	73,3 USD
Luxury Suite	2160 UAH	102,8 USD

The room price includes VAT and breakfast.

Hotel "Londonskaya" *****

11, Primorsky blvd., Odessa, 65026, Ukraine

Tel.: +38 (048)738 01 02; +38(048)738 01 03

Fax: +38 (048) 738 01 11

E-mail: hotel@londred.com

Website: londred.com

Room Category	Single/Double room	
Standard	1900 UAH	86,0 USD
Advanced	3040 UAH	137,6 USD
Advanced executive	3515 UAH	159,1 USD
Semi Deluxe Suite	5510 UAH	249,3 USD

It is also possible to provide a limited number of places of residence in living facility O.S. Popov ONAT (price 180 UAH / person. Equivalent 8,1 USD).

The information about the hotel apartments and their cost are provided as of October 2, 2015. More information can be found on hotel web-sites or on reference phone numbers.

8. DETAILS OF ARRIVAL AND TRANSPORT

The recommended hotels, located in the center of Odessa, can be reached from the airport by taxi or bus №117. The Alexander Popov Odessa National Academy of Telecommunications can be reached from the airport by direct bus №168.

9. CURRENCY

Currency unit of Ukraine is hryvnia. As of 2 October 2015, the exchange rate of Ukrainian hryvnia is as following:

1 USD = 21.81 UAH.

Banks are opened from 9:00 a.m. till 18:00 p.m., Monday to Friday. Currency exchange is carried out by all the banks and exchange offices. The major credit cards are accepted by most shops, large hotels, and some travel agencies.

Information on the current rate of hryvnia is available at <http://www.bank.gov.ua/control/uk/allinfo>.

10. ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

- A. Voltage power in Ukraine - 220V / 50 Hz.
- B. Electric plugs are standard two-pin plugs of European continental type.

11. LANGUAGES

The workshop will be conducted in Russian with simultaneous interpretation into English.

12. SECURITY

Current security situation in Odessa is relatively stable.

13. MEDICAL AND HEALTH

Participants are required to have medical insurance. Medical station is located close to the venue of the workshop (in the building of Odessa National Academy of Telecommunications).

14. WEATHER

Odessa has a temperate continental climate. In November, the average daily temperature is +10.0° C, the average temperature at night +6.7° C.

15. INTERNET

Participants will be provided with the wireless Internet access in the venue of the workshop.