

# Invitation

Dear Congress participants,

We kindly invite you to attend the World Laserology Congress opening lecture, which will take place in *Vilnius University Old Campus, seminar room 239 at 10:00*. On behalf of the Organisers we are looking to welcoming you in the event.

Congress secretariat

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of the Joint Congress of International Phototherapy Association (IPTA-5), International Society for Laser Surgery and Medicine ( ISLSM), World Federation of Societies for Laser Medicine and Surgery (WFSLMS) we are most pleased to invite you to the Congress on the 19 -21 September, 2013, at the "Radisson Blu Hotel Lietuva" Congress Centre, Vilnius Lithuania.

This Congress in Lithuania represents a gathering of the World experts in Photomedicine and Biomedical optics. The Lithuanian Physical Society, Lithuanian Association of Laser Medicine and Laser and Light Science and Technology Association are honored to welcome all of you to this Congress. The Baltic Sea countries support the Congress by "ScanBalt" network.

Lithuania will take Presidency on European Union in 2013 autumn and warmly meet advanced biomedical optics creators and applicators, their societies from each country and continent of the Globe. We hope to establish an outstanding interaction between the attendees, associations in a unique location and an unforgettable atmosphere where friendship, intelligence and scientific know-how are blended.

Warm regards,



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