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The Second Croatian Symposium of Chartered Geodetic Engineers

The Croatian Chamber of Chartered Geodetic Engineers organized the II. Symposium of Chartered Geodetic Engineers from 23rd to 25th October 2009 in Opatija, a well known sea resort.



The program entitled "Geodesy and geoinformatics in designing, construction and management of the state and utility infrastructure" gathered a great number of experts in Geodesy and Geoinformatics and over 500 chartered geodetic engineers of the Croatian Chamber of Chartered Geodetic Engineers, businessmen, employers, scientists...

The programme was very diverse as following main topics

demonstrate: "Geodesy in designing, construction and maintenance of traffic infrastructure", "Technical Solutions for geodetic surveying of infrastructural facilities", "Utility and infrastructural geoinformatic systems – construction and use and "Technical regulations and legal regulations of cadastre of water pipes and utility records".

CONCLUSIONS:

1. Geodesy and geoinformatics have greatly contributed to the implementation of infrastructural projects and their subsequent exploitation.
2. The construction of infrastructural geoinformation systems may greatly improve the management process thereof. The key role in creation of such systems should be vested in geodetic experts or geoinformatic experts.
3. Geoinformatics is a scientific discipline that due to its special characteristics justifies the need for specialized education of staff.
4. The preconditions for greater technical security of land records shall be provided by introducing CROPOS services, new geodetic dates and new cartographic projection HTRS96/TM.
5. The Professional training program must provide education and training of new methods and technologies in geodesy and geoinformatics, all aimed at increasing the quality level of the work and competitiveness of chartered geodetic engineers.



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6. The increase in a level of public authorities to be transferred to chartered geodetic engineers will not only lead to great savings, but to alleviation of a shortage of required staff in the system of the state administration and stimulation of state administration reform.
7. The use of existing technical regulations and legal regulations of water cadastres and utility records is to be intensified and some better quality solutions are to be produced.

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CLGE was represented by its Secretary General, Jean-Yves Pirlot (here together with Branko Klekovitch, President of the Croatian Chamber of Geodetic Engineers). He was warmly welcomed and brings unforgettable impressions back to Brussels. Although the aim of the mission was to support the new Croatian principal CLGE member, the short stay in Opatija showed that the Croatian Chamber and the Adriatic sea resort are more than fit to organize / receive the spring CLGE GA of 2011.