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About IOS Conference

The **IOS Conference** brings together the core pillars of Poland's and Europe's photonics ecosystem – advanced research groups, high-tech companies, and emerging technology leaders driving innovation in optics, optoelectronics, lasers, and photonic materials.

The technical scope of IOS reflects the breadth and depth of the national photonics landscape. It includes:

- **Infrared and semiconductor photodetectors** – development of mid-IR and long-IR detector technologies, epitaxial materials, integrated detection modules, and high-performance sensing systems for environmental, industrial, medical, and defense applications.
- **Integrated optics and photonic integrated circuits (PICs)** – research into waveguide structures, planar and strip photonic platforms, mid-IR PIC technologies, and scalable solutions for next-generation sensing, spectroscopy, and communications.
- **Laser technologies and photonic sources** – high-power and tunable laser systems, pulsed sources, nonlinear optical systems, and laser-based applications in metrology, manufacturing, and diagnostics.
- **Fiber optics and photonic crystal fibers** – design and fabrication of specialty fibers for sensing, telecommunications, high-power delivery, and nonlinear optics, including photonic crystal, hollow-core, and functionalized fibers.
- **Advanced photonic materials** – novel semiconductors, glass compositions, thin films, metasurfaces, epitaxial structures, and engineered materials for photonic integration and sensing.
- **Optoelectronic and gas-sensing technologies** – development of optical, photoacoustic, and spectroscopic sensors for industrial safety, environmental monitoring, and smart-infrastructure systems.
- **Micro- and nanoscale photonic fabrication** – microstructuring, lithography, waveguide fabrication, and device prototyping across research facilities and technology centers.
- **Quantum and nano-photonics** – emerging research in quantum light sources, nonlinear effects, and nanostructured photonic systems.
- IOS gathers these communities to present cutting-edge results, discuss challenges in photonic engineering, showcase breakthrough devices and materials, and build collaboration between academia, R&D centers, and industry.

The conference highlights both fundamental research and real-world applications – from integrated photonic platforms and advanced sensors to laser systems, smart materials, and next-generation fiber technologies.

IOS serves as a strategic meeting point for companies, researchers, and technologists shaping the future of photonics in Europe.

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Why Sponsor the IOS Conference?

Sponsoring the IOS Conference provides direct access to an advanced technical, scientific, and business community working in optics, optoelectronics, photonics, and laser technologies. It is an opportunity to network with industry leaders, researchers, engineers, and decision-makers from research institutes and technology companies.

Your support helps reduce participation costs for attendees – especially young researchers and students – which increases conference accessibility and strengthens the scientific community.

Audience

Conference attendees include:

- Researchers and engineers from universities and R&D laboratories
- Photonics startups and high-tech companies
- Manufacturers of optical, laser, and photonic components
- Government agencies, regulatory bodies, and applied-science institutions

Expected attendance: : 50–100 participants from, the broader Central and Eastern European region, as well as invited international guests – including representatives from Asia collaborating with leading Polish photonics institutions.

Typical participant profiles:

- R&D engineers
- CTOs and technical managers
- Project leaders and application engineers
- Professors and PhD students
- Specialists in laser and photonic system integration

Key Reasons to Sponsor

- **Brand Visibility** – exposure on the conference website, printed materials, banners, digital screens, and the conference mobile app.
- **Networking Opportunities** – direct access to researchers, technologists, companies, and decision-makers; option to organize focused meetings.
- **Content Marketing** – distribute promotional materials, samples, brochures, or branded gifts in the conference welcome package.
- **Exclusive Sessions** – higher-tier sponsors may host a sponsored session, keynote, workshop, or technical tutorial.
- **Support for the Scientific Community** – help fund travel grants and student awards, demonstrating your company's commitment to fostering innovation.

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Sponsorship Levels

Proposed Sponsorship Tiers

Level	Value (netto)	Sponsor Benefits
Gold Sponsor	10,000 PLN	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Opportunity to present the company during a scientific session• Large logo displayed between scientific presentations• Logo on the conference welcome page• Logo in the “Sponsors” section on the conference website• Logo in conference materials• Roll-ups/banners in the conference hall• Roll-up in a high-traffic area• Logo on lanyards/badges• Exhibition booth• Promotional materials included in the welcome bag
Silver Sponsor	5,000 PLN	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Small logo displayed between scientific presentations• Logo in the “Sponsors” section on the conference website• Logo in conference materials• Roll-ups/banners in the conference hall• Exhibition booth• Promotional materials included in the welcome bag
Bronze Sponsor	2,500 PLN	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Logo in the “Sponsors” section on the conference website• Roll-ups/banners in the conference hall• Exhibition booth• Promotional materials included in the welcome bag
In-Kind Contributor	Negotiated	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support via services, equipment, logistics, or media• Logo and acknowledgement on the conference website• Branding proportional to the contribution• Option to sponsor specific conference operations (e.g., livestreaming, equipment, attendee gifts)

Additional Notes

Participation of company employees is paid separately:

- **Accommodation in a single room:** 4,200 PLN
- **Accommodation in a shared double room:** 3,200 PLN

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Benefits for All Sponsors

Regardless of sponsorship level, every sponsor receives:

- Logo and website link on the official IOS Conference webpage
- Mention in all conference publications (program, brochures, email announcements)
- Ability to distribute promotional materials in attendee bags
- Access to networking areas
- Display of sponsor logo on screens during session breaks

Financial Terms

- Sponsorship agreement must be signed and confirmed before the specified deadline.
- Invoices are issued by the IOS Conference organizing institution.
- Flexible payment options (deposit + final payment) available upon request.
- For in-kind sponsorship, the value of services will be assessed and included in the agreement.

Sponsorship Application Process

- The potential sponsor contacts the organizing committee via email or phone.
- Organizers send the sponsorship intent form and draft agreement.
- After signing, the sponsor completes the payment or confirms in-kind contribution.
- Sponsor provides branding materials: high-resolution logo, graphics, ad text, and booth specifications (if applicable).
- Organizers prepare promotional materials and apply branding according to the sponsorship level.

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Why IOS Conference?

- **Highly specialized focus** – optics, lasers, photonics, and optoelectronics attract a sophisticated technical audience.
- **Strong scientific impact** – large presence of active researchers encourages industry–academia collaboration.
- **Regional visibility** – one of the leading photonics conferences in Central Europe, offering substantial exposure.
- **Industry relevance** – strong representation from laser manufacturers, optical-component suppliers, integrators, and high-tech companies.
- **Innovation ecosystem** – sponsors gain access to emerging technologies, talent, and R&D partnerships.

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