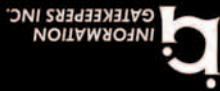


## Invitation

The members of the ICPOF and the organizing committee extend a warm welcome to everyone to join us at the **International Conference on Plastic Optical Fibers 2007** to be held in **Turin, Italy**.

The International Conference on Plastic Optical Fibers 2007 is the major opportunity to keep up-to-date on the latest research results and technological developments on all the aspects that involve POF.

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## Scope

The 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Plastic Optical Fibers will address the following main topics:

- Materials and technologies
- Fibers and cabling
- Components and devices
- Communication applications
- Automotive applications
- Sensors and illumination
- Standards and measurements

Original papers that have not been previously presented and that describe new technical contributions to the areas covered by the technical descriptions in the aforementioned scope will be accepted for presentation for the POF Conference 2007.

Papers should be submitted electronically.

The authors will be requested to submit a one page abstract written in English. Detailed instructions for preparation and submission of papers will be available through the [www.pofconference2007.com](http://www.pofconference2007.com) website.

## Important dates:

Abstract submission deadline:	<b>15 April</b>	<b>2007</b>
Acceptance notification:	<b>31 May</b>	<b>2007</b>
Full manuscript submission deadline:	<b>31 July</b>	<b>2007</b>
Conference pre-registration deadline:	<b>10 August</b>	<b>2007</b>



## Venue information

The ICPOF 2007 Conference and Exhibition will be held at the Lingotto Fiere Exhibition Centre ([www.lingottofiere.it](http://www.lingottofiere.it)) in southern Turin.

## The city of Turin

Turin, in north-western Italy, has recently become famous worldwide for the Winter Olympics 2006; but Turin is one of the most important Italian industrial cities, born in the age of the Roman empire and then becoming the capital of the Duchy of Savoy's realm. Turin then became the first European mainly baroque capital, and the first capital of the Kingdom of Italy. The main source of information about the city of Turin is the [www.comune.torino.it](http://www.comune.torino.it) website.