Report from the Chairmen

The XIX IMEKO World Congress took place at the FIL Meeting Centre in Lisbon, Portugal, between the 6th and the 11th September 2009.

The program of the Congress included:

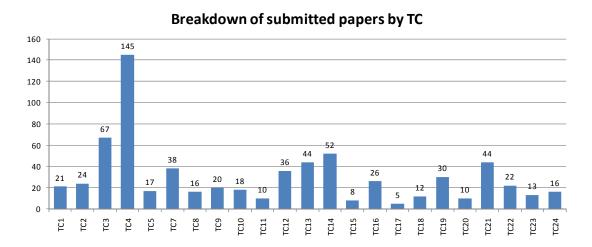
- 76 oral sessions, 44 with the duration of 2 hours and 32 of 1.5 hours, totaling 136 hours
- 4 poster sessions of two hours, totaling 8 hours
- 4 workshops and 4 round tables
- 5 invited talks
- meetings of all the TCs
- 2 technical visits
- 10 exhibitors
- 2 social events
 - Reception party (Monday, Sept 7th)
 - Congress banquet (Thursday, Sept 10th).

The György Striker Junior Paper Award (USD 2.000), attributed to one junior author below the age of 35 years, whose paper reflects a deep understanding knowledge of the Congress theme, describing a novelty in technology or application, received 22 applications. The winner was Ryota Kudo from Japan, with the paper entitled "Fundamental Verification for 2-Dimensional Super-Resolution Optical Inspection for Semiconductor Defects By Using Standing Wave Illumination Shift".

Some statistics follow.

• SUBMITTED PAPERS

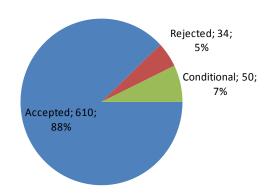
The total number of submitted papers to the IMEKO XIX World Congress was 694.

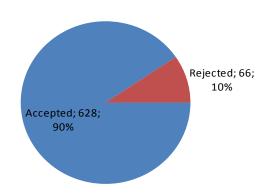


REVISION PROCESS

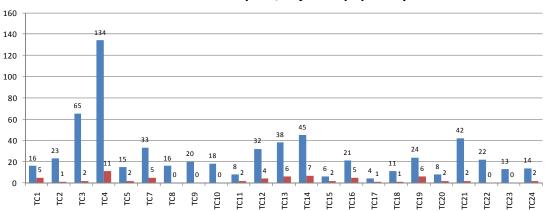
Initial Review Process

Final Review Process

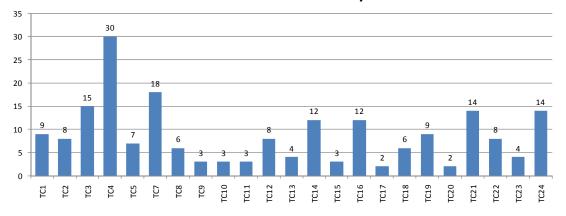




Breakdown of Accepted/Rejected papers by TC

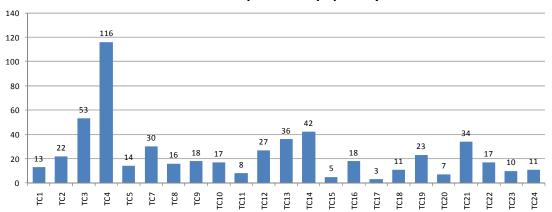


Breakdown of Reviewers by TC

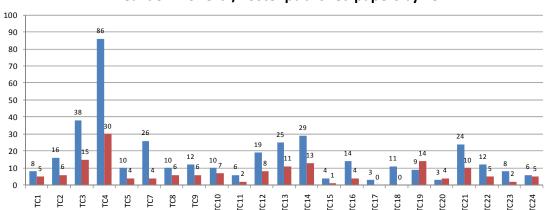


PUBLISHED FINAL PAPERS

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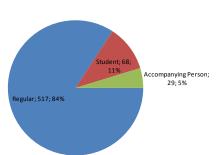


Breakdown of Oral/Poster published papers by TC

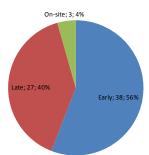


REGISTRATIONS

Breakdown of Registrations



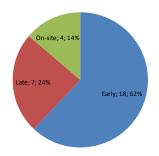
Breakdown of Student Registrations



Breakdown of Regular Registrations



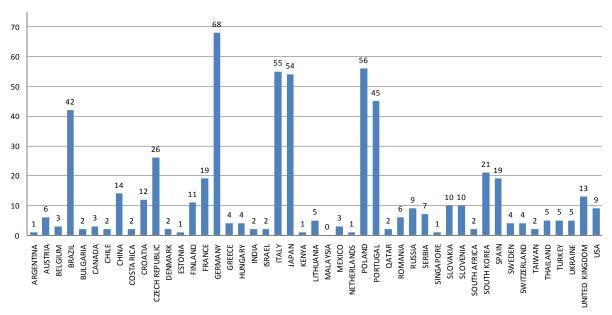
Breakdown of Accompanying Person Registrations



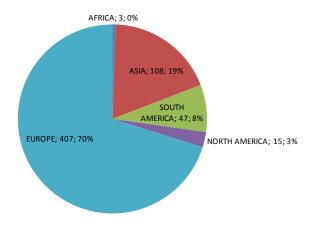
PARTICIPANTS

The total number of participants in the IMEKO XIX World Congress was 580. This number does not include the accompanying persons and the no shows.





Breakdown of Participants by Continent



• PRESENTED PAPERS

The papers were presented by authors from Europe, North and South America, and Asia. The breakdown was:

Europe: 72.2%

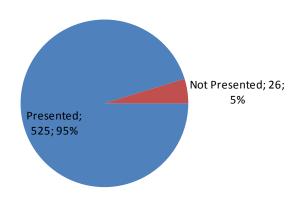
North America: 2.7%

South America: 9.5%

Asia: 15.6%

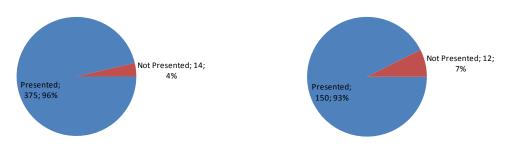
In what concerns the age of the presenting authors, the data gathered during the sessions indicate that about 34% were younger than 35 years, 42% were between 35 and 50 years old and 24% older than 50 years.

Presented/Not Presented

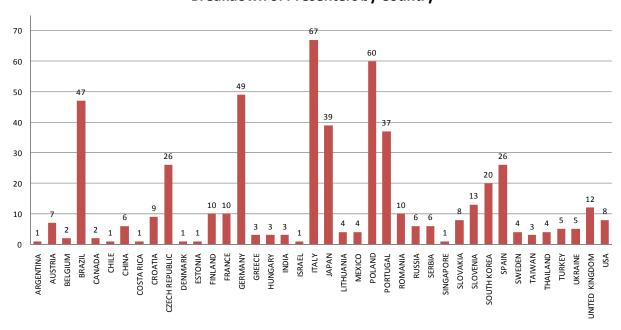


Oral Papers Presented/ Not Presented

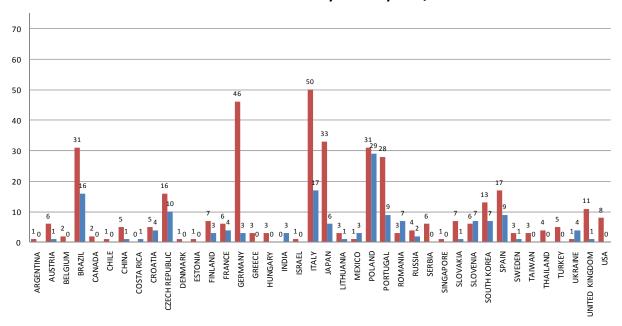
Poster Papers Presented/Not Presented



Breakdown of Presenters by Country



Breakdown of Presenters by Country Oral/Poster



The chairmen and the Organizing Committee thank all the participants and all the people that contributed and supported the congress.

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