



FOR[®] ARCH

27th INTERNATIONAL BUILDING TRADE FAIR

FOR[®] STAV

1st TRADE FAIR FOR CONSTRUCTION CHEMICALS, FASTENERS AND SAFETY EQUIPMENT

FOR[®] THERM

7th TRADE FAIR FOR HEATING, ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF ENERGY AND AIR CONDITIONING

FOR[®] WOOD

11th TRADE FAIR FOR WOODEN BUILDINGS AND UTILISATION OF WOOD FOR CONSTRUCTION

BAZĚNY, SAUNY & SPA

11th TRADE FAIR FOR SWIMMING POOLS, NATURAL SWIMMING PONDS TECHNOLOGY AND SAUNAS

FINAL
REPORT

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INTRODUCTORY WORD



On Saturday, 24 September, the already twenty-seventh edition of the largest international building trade fair in the Czech Republic FOR ARCH 2016, where 841 exhibitors from 15 countries of the world presented their news on the area of 39,203 square metres, closed its gates. The visitors' interest in the trade fair was again very high, and for the days of the trade fair the event was visited by more than 71,000 people. It was for the first time at all, when instead of one core focus of the event those interested could follow five different daily topics which were further supported by consulting activities of the independent Building Advisory Centre following up to and accompanying the trade fair event. The expositions of the exhibitors of the FOR ARCH Trade Fair and of the simultaneously held trade fairs FOR STAV, FOR THERM, FOR WOOD and BAZÉNY, SAUNY & SPA were already traditionally completed with a rich and varied accompanying programme. Professionals and businesspersons, as well as the general public could visit various conferences, seminars, lectures, bilateral business negotiations and workshops which were prepared for them at the PVA EXPO PRAGUE Exhibition Centre in Letňany. Besides them, also many important architectonic competitions were held - such as Young Architect Awards (YAA) and Building of the Year, competition presentation of building trades and crafts known as SUSO, and awards were taken over also by winners of the GRAND PRIX 2016 competition for the best exhibit.

“FOR ARCH is a trade fair where both the general public and businesspersons come to find inspiration. Therefore, this year's edition was an ideal place for presentation of our new and innovative offer of comprehensive energy solutions for households,” said Pavel Cyrani, Member of the Board of Directors of the ČEZ Group, which is the general partner of the trade fair. The energy saving household of the future from ČEZ, which was presented at the trade fair, included photovoltaic panels for roof installations, together with batteries for electricity storage, modern gas boilers and white consumers, heat pumps for both heating and air conditioning, in combination with building materials of the 21st century supplied by Saint-Gobain.

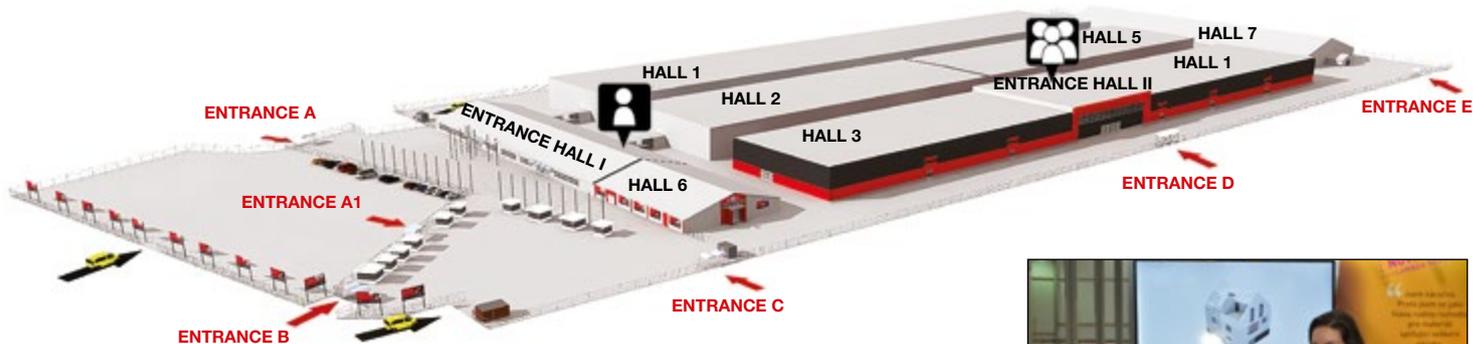
Martin František Přivětivý, Business Team Director of the FOR ARCH Trade Fair

The Czech Ford is a proud titular partner of ABF a.s. and as such it has a possibility of presenting its cars at all large events held in the areas of the PVA EXPO PRAGUE. We are very glad to use this privilege because we have already verified that both trade fair visitors and exhibiting firms are very interested in our models during individual trade fair events. For this reason we try to present especially our latest news suitable for business purposes as well as for private and family use to our potential customers. Moreover, these cars are always equipped with modern technologies – and even in this area we can see suitable harmony with the exhibitions held at PVA EXPO PRAGUE. For this reason we consider the cooperation with the ABF company to be ideal symbiosis in which we want to continue, of course.

Libor Beneš, Marketing Manager, FORD MOTOR COMPANY, s.r.o.



FOR ARCH | FOR STAV | FOR THERM | FOR WOOD | BAZÉNY, SAUNY & SPA



CONSTRUCTIONS, WASTE SYSTEMS, WOODEN BUILDINGS | **HALL 1** |

SWIMMING POOLS, SAUNAS, SPA, SANITARY SYSTEMS, SECURITY | **HALL 2** |

WINDOWS, GATES, DOORS, SHADING TECHNOLOGY, FENCES | **HALL 3** |

ELECTRICAL TECHNOLOGIES, BOILERS, HEAT PUMPS | **HALL 4** |

STONE, DOORS, FLOORS, STAIRCASES, INTERIORS | **HALL 5** |

SUSO – COMPETITION PRESENTATION OF BUILDING TRADES AND CRAFTS | **HALL 6** |

FIREPLACES, STOVES, HEAT PUMPS, HEATING SYSTEMS | **HALL 7** |

CONGRESS HALL  | CONFERENCE CENTRE – HALLS 1, 2, 3 

STATISTICS



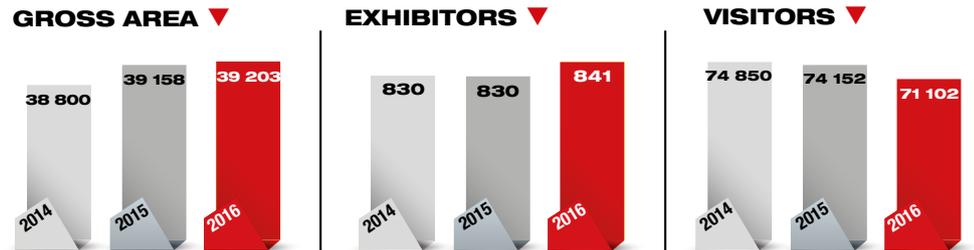
BASIC STATISTICAL DATA OF THE SIMULTANEOUSLY HELD TRADE FAIRS "FOR ARCH 2016"

Number of exhibitors: **841**
Number of foreign exhibitors: **67**
Number of countries: **15**
Net exhibition area (in sq m): **20,860**
Gross exhibition area (in sq m): **39,203**
Number of visitors: **71,102**
Number of accredited journalists: **167**

ACCOMPANYING PROGRAMME 2016

It was possible to visit **34 conferences and specialised seminars**
Lectures were given by **85 renowned professionals**
The programme was attended by more than **1257 specialised participants**
The accompanying programme lasted **altogether for 111 hours**

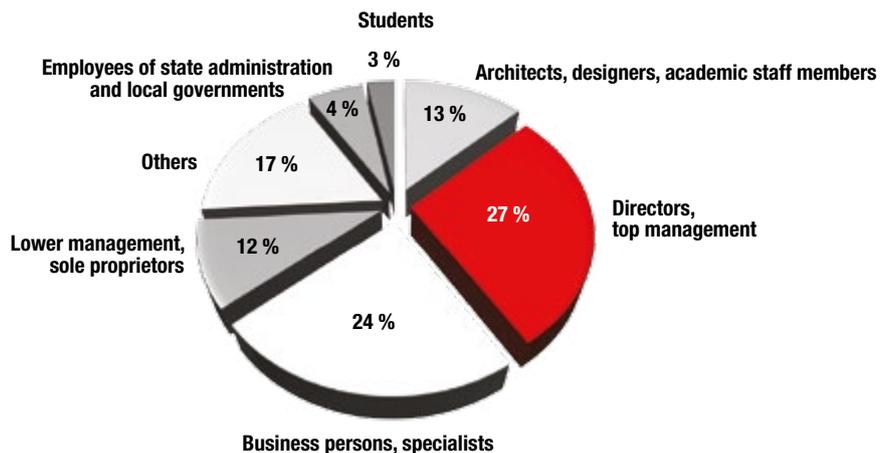
COMPARISON OF LAST EDITIONS OF THE TRADE FAIR



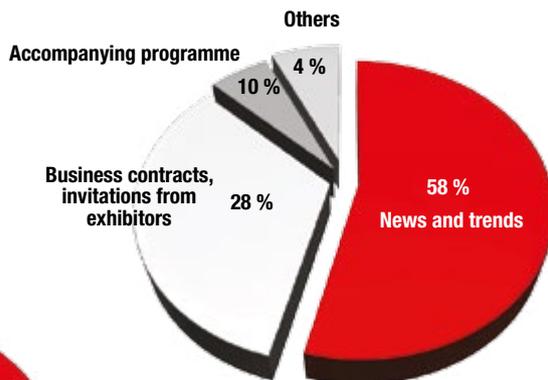
The capacity of the PVA EXPO PRAGUE Exhibition Centre was exhausted by the FOR ARCH 2016 Trade Fair.



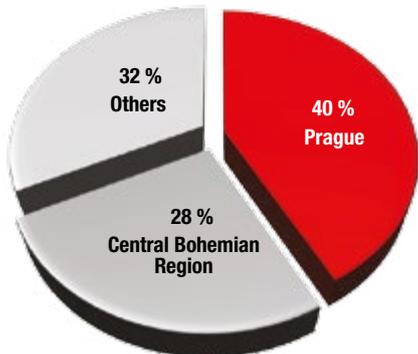
TYPICAL TRADE FAIR VISITORS



REASONS FOR VISITING



PLACE OF RESIDENCE





**TRADE FAIR
MANAGER**
KATEŘINA
MAŠTALIŘOVÁ

This year's edition of the trade fair showed again that FOR ARCH is the most frequently visited building trade fair in the Czech Republic, not only from the viewpoint of the number of visitors, but mainly also thanks to the extensive interest of the exhibitors themselves. I personally had the privilege of welcoming several new firms to the building section, and after the trade fair they were leaving the Exhibition Centre very satisfied and with a happy smile. And the same held also for regularly participating firms, their exhibition areas grow from one year to another one, they build more sophisticated expositions and address visitors with a wider offer of products or services. I am also very pleased by the growing interest on the part of associations and state institutions. The regularly exhibiting State Environmental Fund of the Czech Republic was physically supported this year also by the Ministry for Regional Development of the Czech Republic, together with the State Fund for Housing Development. I believe that FOR ARCH was, is and will be a source of useful business opportunities for all and that next year we will meet again in a large number of exhibitors and visitors.

SAID ABOUT US...

We are a long-term regular exhibitor at the FOR ARCH Building Trade Fair and we have taken part in this event this year too. Our regular participation assures us every year that the FOR ARCH Trade Fair is number one in the field of building trade fairs, in terms of its organisation, media publicity or large number of visitors. The large number of visitors pleased us very much, as every year; we were extremely busy at our stand, especially on the busiest days, such as Friday or Saturday. The quality of the contacts obtained from the exhibition is very high, and we can only state that the visitors coming to see the trade fair presentations are the corresponding target group for the firms from the building industry. This means that also in 2017 the visitors can look forward to the stand of G SERVIS CZ, s.r.o.!

G SERVIS CZ, s.r.o. - Designs of Family Houses | Jan Hloušek, Company Director

The 27th International Building Trade Fair FOR ARCH provided Xella CZ, s.r.o., manufacturing the complete Ytong building system, with an opportunity of presenting again not only all elements of the system in its exposition, but especially the system news, such as thermally insulating moulded brick Lambda YQ, making it possible to construct, as single-layer masonry, low-energy as well as passive houses without any additional thermal insulations. This building material with excellent thermally insulating characteristics thus meets requirements for the houses of future generations. The visitors of the Ytong exposition could see all elements of the building system, including innovations, as the already above mentioned Lambda YQ moulded brick, YQ U-profile, pillar moulded brick and both internal and external plasters. All elements of the Ytong system were presented as a part of the fragment which was built up within the framework of the Xella exposition.

According to the structure of visitors it is possible to conclude that the FOR ARCH Building Trade Fair has already its inherent position within the structure of the trade fairs, not only at the PVA EXPO PRAGUE Exhibition Centre, but within the entire Czech Republic. Visitors were coming with a clear aim of making themselves familiar with all possibilities offered by the Ytong building system. They asked professionals from the circles of technical advisors fully specific questions, confirming that they already made a final decision about what system to use for their construction works. An important part of the trade fair is also the final round of the SUSO competition which presents how the young "building apprentices" are able to cope, in a limited time, with such tasks as walling of the prescribed competition fragment always from the specified material, including the Ytong system. Great credits of the success of the building trade fair surely belong to the trade fair management team, including its leaders, ensuring excellent conditions for preparation and implementation of the expositions.

Xella CZ, s.r.o. | Luděk Suchomel, Marketing Manager of the Company

Every year, the FOR ARCH Trade Fair brings its exhibitors an opportunity of presenting new products and services. And the same held this year too. Exhibitors from the sector of fillings of holes, shading technology and firm interior parts used the opportunity of confirming that they always have a lot of innovations to present and that they can enrich the existing product range with hot news.

Every year we have a possibility of welcoming, at the trade fair, the firms which have not exhibited at our Centre for a long time as well as trade fair newcomers. This year they were, for example, such firms as: Hörmann Česká republika, s.r.o., ISOTRA a.s., SAPELI, a.s., Tousek spol. s r.o., JANOŠÍK OKNA-DVEŘE s.r.o., RESKO TACHOV s.r.o., PECHAR s.r.o. or BOCA Group, a.s. Just 2 firms - Hörmann and ISOTRA offered us presentation of products on an area of almost 360 m², which is a great success. Here it is possible to see that the firms are not afraid of investing in a more extensive and more sophisticated design of presentation of the company and its products.

This year we have followed up to the successful cooperation with the Association of Manufacturers of Shading Technology and Accessories (SVST), within the framework of the Consultation Centre for Windows and Shading Technology. The Consultation Centre was implemented in cooperation with the STAVOKONZULT company and the Czech Institute of Fillings of Holes (ČIOV), and visitors could obtain comprehensive information on fillings of holes there. Besides these activities, there were held two lectures which informed end customers about shading technologies, their advantages and possibilities. We had also a possibility of getting information about the assembly of windows from the viewpoint of both the builder and technical supervision.

On the whole, I would evaluate the trade fair event as successful, especially thanks to positive references from exhibitors directly at the trade fair - they are always an important indicator for us confirming that we do our work well. It seems that the interest in exhibitions has a growing trend, and therefore I firmly believe that this development will continue also in the years to come.

At the end I would like to thank for pleasant cooperation to all exhibitors, professional and media partners and I would like to wish them a lot of business success and contracted deals, made not only at our trade fair.

SAID ABOUT US...

The company "Hörmann Česká republika" took part in the FOR ARCH Trade Fair for the first time, and we were surprised by the great professionalism of exhibitors and by the level of organisation of the entire trade fair. Also the number of corporate customers, as well as potential end clients exceeded our expectations and the trade fair as such fulfilled our expectations. We are planning our next participation in 2018 and we do not exclude the possibility that we will take part already earlier, i.e. at the FOR ARCH 2017 Trade Fair.

Hörmann Česká republika s.r.o. | Ing. Vít Kareš, Executive Officer of the Company

We have been taking part in the FOR ARCH Trade Fair on a regular basis for several years and we perceive its rising level, as well as the increasing interest of visitors in particular products and technical innovations. Also for this reason we try to come every year with the best what we can offer our clients. The prestige of the trade fair leads us, every year, to a modern design of the stand as well as of the entire presentation. In terms of the stand appearance, we have followed up to the new image of our Brno SAPELI CENTRE this year, which underwent a general renovation in summer and obtained a fully new design. At our stand people could see all model series from our product range, a wide choice of surfaces as well as various designs of doors. At the trade fair we have also officially started the sale of new safety doors RC3 GOLIAS. These are two-rabbit safety and fire doors for flats that reduce the risk of intrusion by 80 %, are resistant to fire for at least 30 minutes and moreover they can be optimally matched with the other interior doors by customers.

SAPELI, a.s. | Ing. Iva Pakostová, Marketing



**TRADE FAIR
MANAGER**
Bc. LUCIE
HRADILOVÁ





**TRADE FAIR
MANAGER**
DITA
ŠTĚPÁNOVÁ

The **ELEKTRO** sector has recorded, in recent years, a stable interest of exhibitors in presentation of products or services, especially from such sectors as electrical installations, illumination technology and smart living.

“Smart House” which is able, thanks to its structure and technologies used, to ensure maximum comfort and energy-effective environment for its inhabitants, was one of the current topics of this year’s accompanying programme.

About thirty exhibitors presented their innovations to visitors in Hall 4, e.g. the genuinely Czech specialist in relays - the TECO company or the HDL Automation company supplying both individual modules and complete automation systems of buildings, the world leader in the field of electrotechnical installations “LEGRAND”, as well as K&V elektro, PRE, CITY ILLUMINATIONS, ACW, EATON, HAIDY, SCHNEIDER, YATUN, OSMONT and many others. This year it was for the first time when such companies as Elektro-System-Technik, ELVIS, iCORNER, ROPREOSO, Soo-light, via elektra or PRUŽINY PRAHA and many others presented their offers at the trade fair.

New trade fair branch – Security and IT & cybernetic protection

A large innovation of the FOR ARCH Trade Fair in 2017 will be the new branch dealing with current trends and technologies in the field of security technology, systems of protection of buildings, security services, and last but not least with always more and more current IT and cybernetic protection.

I would like to thank to exhibitors as well as to professional and media partners for cooperation and I will look forward to our meeting during the next edition of the FOR ARCH Trade Fair which is to be held on 19-23 September 2017. Those interested in the branches of electro as well as security, IT & cybernetic protection are invited to Hall 4, where they can find a wide offer of products, technologies and services in the sectors A, B.



SAID ABOUT US...

We take part in the International Building Trade Fair FOR ARCH on a regular basis, and therefore we can compare not only the quality of the organisational team, which is responsible for preparation of this great event, but especially the rising number and quality of visitors coming to our stand. This year the trade fair offered all what should be offered by an international trade fair of this scale – a wide group of high-quality exhibitors, promotion as well as a large number of visitors. One can see that most visitors who came to visit the ABB exposition have a specific idea of their living, interesting questions as well as comments, and this is the best feedback for us. This is evidenced also by the positive results of the survey which we prepare for this trade fair every year. We presented a new concept to visitors, entitled “One House, One Design”, which stands for a comprehensive offer of electrical installations for the entire house under one brand, which was assessed very positively by the visitors.

ABB s.r.o., Electrotechnical Products Division | Jiří Plachý, Sales and Marketing Director

I would like to assess participation at the FOR ARCH 2016 Trade Fair for our firm ELKOV elektro a.s. We have focused our exposition especially on presentation of interior illumination. We were very pleased by the interest and participation in the FOR ARCH Trade Fair. The interest in lighting fittings was great, which assured us that the extension of the product range with interior lighting fittings is a right decision. We assess the entire trade fair very positively. I would also like to praise the highly professional approach of the organiser, i.e. the ABF company.

ELKOV elektro a.s. | Iva Ostrá, Product Manager



The seventh edition of the FOR THERM Trade Fair which was held simultaneously with the International Building Trade Fair FOR ARCH, followed up to previous editions and in terms of its size it belongs among the largest domestic trade fairs focused on the branch of heating, alternative sources of energy and air handling system technology. On the total exhibition area exceeding 3000 m² it was possible to see firms from the Czech Republic as well as abroad. In terms of the exhibition area and number of exhibitors the FOR THERM Trade Fair belongs among the largest domestic trade fairs of heating technology and this year was not an exception either.

Also this year the trade fair was attended by leading firms: Association of Heating Equipment Companies, ATMOS, Banador, Bosch Termotechnika – Buderus Division, Dakon and Junkers, FENIX, HAAS+SOHN, IVAR CS, Czech Pellets Cluster, KORADO, OPOP, PZP Heating, Regulus, ROMOTOP, Stiebel Eltron, Thermona, Vaillant and others.

The wide accompanying programme was prepared with participation of our specialised partners: Association for the Use of Heat Pumps, the Guild of Stove Builders, the Guild of Heating Fitters and Plumbers, specialised portals TZB-info and E-STAV, STP together with REHVA.

The FOR THERM exhibitors succeeded in the GRAND PRIX competition. The awards were granted to the following firms: Bosch Termotechnika, s.r.o. – Buderus Business Division, for the condensing boiler Buderus Logamax plus GB192iT; NIBE ENERGY SYSTEMS, for the heat pump NIBE F2120 of the air-water type. Honourable mentions were granted to the firms ELEKTRODESIGN ventilátory, spol. s r.o., for ECOAIR DESIGN ECOWATT, and Hein & spol. – keramické závody, spol. s r.o., for the tile fireplace “SOLID”.

I would like to express my thanks for cooperation and participation in the FOR THERM Trade Fair. I will be looking forward to the next year's edition of the trade fair.

SAID ABOUT US...

Participation in the FOR THERM Trade Fair is almost an obligation for both our association and our members. During the years we have already started to perceive it as an imaginary start of preparations for the heating season. It is not a coincidence that many of our members plan to present their innovations for the first time to the public just at FOR THERM and this year's edition was not an exception either. FOR THERM is so important event for us that within the framework of its occasion we organised the general meeting of member companies. The Czech Pellets Cluster and its members occupied the record-breaking 630 square metres of the exhibition area and presented more than 70 types of thermal devices, technologies and fuels.

Czech Pellets Cluster | Ing. Vladimír Stupavský, Chairman

We, as the Romotop company, assess this year's FOR ARCH – FOR THERM Trade Fair very positively again. We were satisfied with both its organisation and services. Among visitors it was possible to register a large number of foreigners, which indicates an excellent promotion in foreign countries as well. A great compliment for the ordering of beautiful weather. We would like to thank to the organisers, we wish them a lot of success, satisfied exhibitors as well as visitors and we are looking forward to our meeting in 2017.

ROMOTOP spol. s r.o. | Tomáš Káňa, Business and Marketing Manager



**TRADE FAIR
MANAGER**
MATĚJ
CHVOJKŮ





**TRADE FAIR
MANAGER**
MICHAELA
DUŠKOVÁ

The interest in living in wooden buildings in the Czech Republic increases year by year; and that is why the visitors coming to the 11th edition of the FOR WOOD Trade Fair came into their own. At the trade fair focused on wooden buildings and use of wood for constructions it was possible to see presentations of the firms which are leaders in their branches, for example ATRIUM, CIUR, DOMY D.N.E.S., HAAS FERTIGBAU, HPM TEC, NEMA, RD RÝMAŘOV, RD ALLSTAV and many others. Newcomers were such firms as DEK PANEL, D.E.E.D., GOO PAN, LUCERN, POP BUILDING, PURLIVE, TOTEM and others. They provided the visitors with information about which material from the available range is the best one, which technology should be used and how to design a functional wooden building in the best possible way. Like every year, professional auspices were granted by the ASSOCIATION OF SUPPLIERS OF PREFABRICATED HOUSES.

An innovation for 2017 is placement of the wooden building branch in Hall 5, sectors C, D. I would like to thank all exhibitors for their participation at this year's edition. I am looking forward to the meeting at the PVA EXPO PRAGUE Exhibition Centre from 19 to 23 September 2017.



SAID ABOUT US...

We took part in the FOR ARCH 2016 Trade Fair for the first time and it was clear to us at once that such a prestigious trade fair will surely attract many people, both professionals and the general public. We presented the PURLIVE building system in which the visitors demonstrated their enormous interest, for which we are glad and we would like to thank, on behalf of our entire team, to organisers for the trouble-free course and promotion of the entire trade fair.

We are looking forward to our meeting next year.

Purlive s.r.o. | Petr Studený, Marketing

Our firm has not exhibited at the FOR ARCH Trade Fair for long years because after the last experience the trade fair did not make great sense or use for us. This year, however, we have decided at the last moment that we would take part in the trade fair and we would try how the trade fair has changed from those years, or whether everything has remained the same. And now we are able to state that in our opinion FOR ARCH underwent great development ahead and we were surprised in a very pleasant way.

It was possible to perceive the organisation and promotion of the trade fair. We were pleased to see that the entire Exhibition Centre was full of exhibitors, whether in the halls or in outdoor expositions, which means that every visitor to the trade fair could find their best while obtaining a lot of new information from the market.

We believe that next year we will meet at the trade fair again.

DŘEVOOBCHOD K&C KARLOVY VARY a.s. | Tomáš Hloupý, Marketing

Not only the wide offer of services and equipment for wellness and spa facilities, but also various possibilities of professional discussions, lectures and presentations, all these programmes were a part of this year's specialised trade fair which offers, every year, professional background for businesspersons, operators as well as normal users and owners of wellness and spa operations. We are glad to be able to offer suitable environment for meeting there for discussions and exchange of experience and presentation of innovations and trends.

An important event was again the international conference focused on HOTEL WELLNESS & SPA, which hosted, among other personalities, MARIO SANTINI, a unique Italian architect, who has been dealing with designs and implementation of wellness centres and at the same time with the new trend in the world of saunas – experience sauna use for a number of years. Thanks to his enthusiasm for wellness he tries to apply and interconnect the architecture and style in the sector.

I was very glad to hear the decision of the Jury of the prestigious GRAND PRIX competition, when the company

BERNDORF BÄDERBAU obtained the honourable mention for the massaging whirlpool representing extension of production of classical swimming pools and water attractions with a rehabilitation device for horses.

I would like to use this way to thank all exhibiting firms and professional partners. I am looking forward to meeting you on the occasion of the next year's edition.



**TRADE FAIR
MANAGER**
Ing. MARKÉTA
PAVLÍČKOVÁ



SAID ABOUT US...

The Board of Directors positively assessed the conference within the framework of the Trade Fair focused on the topic "Making the swimming pools and aquaparks more attractive. Legislation of operation of public and family swimming pools, interpretation of the new European standard".

The conference was attended by more than 60 participants who then visited the common stand and made a tour of the trade fair. The co-exhibitors at our common stand expressed their satisfaction with this concept and with organisation of the entire trade fair.

Association of Swimming Pools and Saunas of the Czech Republic - ABAS ČR
| Ing. Pavel Košnar, Chairman of the Board of Directors

We were satisfied with the course of the trade fair. The trade fair enables us to meet our business partners and clients on the one hand, and also to find new potential customers interested in our products.

I am looking forward to cooperation next year, I wish a lot of success, satisfied exhibitors as well as visitors.

BERNDORF BÄDERBAU, s.r.o. | PhDr. Dana Cieslarová, Controlling



OPENING CEREMONY

The set of the FOR ARCH, FOR STAV, FOR THERM, FOR WOOD and BAZĚNY, SAUNY & SPA Trade Fairs was ceremonially opened on 20 September 2016. The ribbon was ceremonially cut, after the introductory speeches, by Andrej Babiš, Minister of Finance; Karla Šlechtová, Minister for Regional Development; Richard Brabec, Minister of the Environment; and for ABF, a.s. by Pavel Sehnal, Chairman of the Board of Directors. The official opening was immediately followed up by the Conference of Directors of Project Design Companies, which started the specialised accompanying programme of the trade fairs.

GALA EVENING

Like every year, the second trade fair day was completed by the popular Gala Evening for exhibitors and important partners of the entire set of the trade fairs. More than 450 guests met in the Congress Hall of the PVA EXPO PRAGUE Exhibition Centre.

After 7 p.m., moderator Daniela Písařovicová commenced the programme during which the firms were awarded for the most innovative product in the GRAND PRIX competition, and also the firms which received the diploma for the most impressive exposition in the TOP EXPO competition enjoyed their time on the stage. The top of the social Gala Evening was announcement of the results of the competitions Architect of the Year and Architect to Community.

The official programme was followed by entertainment which was divided into two parts - on the ground floor and on the first floor where it was possible to enjoy a rich buffet party and the entertainment programme "Na Stojáka" ("Standing") offered by Karel Hynek. Within the framework of the programme it was also possible to watch the performance of the ladies' clarinet quartet CANTARINA CLARINETE. It was possible to taste Moravian wines, the best-known cognacs, light stylish cigars or admire impressive cars of the Ford brand.



The traditional competition for the best exhibit or technology was attended by 41 registered exhibits. The assessed criteria included technical parameters, materials, progressive technologies, energy saving potential, environmental views, and last but not least also the strengths and position on the market of the product.

After careful study of the background materials concerning registered exhibits and on the basis of presentation of exhibits by representatives of the exhibiting firms in their expositions on the first day of organisation of the trade fairs the Jury decided to award **GRAND PRIX** to 5 exhibits within the framework of the entire set and HONOURABLE MENTIONS to 6 exhibits. Both the GRAND PRIX awards and HONOURABLE MENTIONS are without any more detailed specification of the order.

GRAND PRIX 2016 AWARDS

Bosch Termotechnika s.r.o.

– obchodní divize Buderus

Condensing boiler Buderus Logamax plus GB192iT

FRAJT s.r.o.

Glass panel with ceramic digital printing, double vision effect

INTERNORM-OKNO, s.r.o.

I-tec ventilation system

NIBE ENERGY SYSTEMS

NIBE F2120 heat pump

Saint-Gobain Construction Products CZ a.s., divize Rigips

Habito – plasterboard panel

TOP EXPO is a competition for the most impressive exposition which is at the same time also highly functional and meets criteria for communication with customers. Evaluation was made for all expositions in two categories – up to 60 sq m and above 60 sq m. The 6 most impressive expositions were awarded and at the same time 1 honourable mention was granted.

TOP EXPO 2016 AWARDS – kategorie do 60 m²

GOLDBECK Prefabeton s.r.o.

PALIS Plzeň, spol. s r.o.

Krbystyle, s.r.o.

TOP EXPO 2016 AWARDS – kategorie nad 60 m²

HELUZ cihlářský průmysl v.o.s.

PRESBETON Nova, s.r.o.

ISOTRA a.s.

The ceremonial announcement of the winning exhibits of the GRAND PRIX competition as well as of the best expositions “TOP EXPO” took place within the framework of the of the social Gala Evening which was organised in the Congress Hall of the PVA EXPO PRAGUE Exhibition Centre. The organiser of the two competitions is ABF, a.s.

GRAND PRIX 2016 HONOURABLE MENTION

BERNDORF BÄDERBAU s.r.o.

Massage whirlpool for a horse

České vysoké učení technické v Praze

Rolling fluid bladeless turbine

ELEKTRODESIGN ventilátory spol. s r.o.

ECOAIR Design Ecowatt

Hein & spol. – keramické závody, spol. s r.o.

SOLID tile fireplace

PIEDRA UNO a.s.

Floating paving system PIEDRA

Schiedel, s.r.o.

Schiedel KombiGas stack

GRAND
PRIXTOP
EXPO

JURY OF ASSESSORS:

- **CHAIRMAN:**

doc. Ing. Michal Kabrhel, Ph.D.

Czech Technical University in Prague, Faculty of Civil Engineering

- **MEMBERS:**

Ing. Ladislav Brett

Czech Chamber of Chartered Engineers and Technicians Engaged in Construction

Ing. Pavel Košnar

Association of Swimming Pools and Saunas of the Czech Republic

Ing. Vladimír Galád

Independent Expert

JUDr. Ing. Ing. Mgr. Petr Měchura

Independent Expert





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Architecture out of time, the topic focused on architectonic and urban development studies, which does not perceive architecture from the purely useful, technical or aesthetical points of view. The competition overview documents the trends and development of the current architecture and it tries to get students of architecture and young architects under 33 years of age involved in creation of high-quality public areas and to initiate discussion between the general and professional public.

Title Young Architect Award 2016
Haydarpaşa: Performance space | Bc. Michaela Benešová



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“ARCHITECT OF THE YEAR '16” – The aim is the support of quality and professional as well as community involvement in the field of architecture in the Czech Republic. The prize is awarded to a person or persons who contributed, during the last period of 5 years, through their innovative approach in a significant way to the development of architecture in the Czech Republic by particular creative or organisational acts, not only in the field of designs of houses, constructions of towns and cities and landscape creation, but also through theoretical, educational, promotional, publishing and popularisation work. The announcement of the results took place at the Gala Evening of the FOR ARCH Trade Fair on 21 September 2016.

Architekt roku 2016 award
MgA. Marcela Steinbachová

For excellent own creation and education of both the professional and general public in the field of architecture.

Honourable Mention of the Jury
Michal Škoda

For almost twenty years of presentation of art in the field of Chief Curator of the House of Art in České Budějovice. For an exceptional decision to dedicate the gallery premises to presentation of architecture.

Architekt obci 2016 award – “Architect to Community”
Město Litomyšl a Ing. arch. Zdeňka Vydrová

Regulation plan of the Mariánská street and concept of treatment of the Partyzánská street

The award for cooperation between the architect and the community was organised for the first time this year by the Union of Towns and Municipalities of the Czech Republic in cooperation with the Ministry for Regional Development and the magazine “Moderní obec” within the framework of the Architect of the Year award.



SUSO

Apprentices of the 2nd grades of joiner and bricklayer branches have been meeting for 20 years to compare their skills within the framework of gradual competition rounds, and in the final round held on the occasion of the FOR ARCH Trade Fair their competition is still extended with contest branches of stone cutters and stone sculptors, and on an exhibition basis also with such branches as glassworker, tinsmith, parquet layer and floor layer, cooper, roofer or carpenter. This year's edition had 20 participating schools from all over the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

"I am very glad that we can present crafts and trades in such an extent just at the FOR ARCH Trade Fair. We hope that what visitors can see here with their own eyes is a sufficient presentation of beauty and necessity of trades and crafts on today's market," said, among other things, Tomáš Kotrč, Chief Executive Officer of ABF, who handed over the prizes to the best pairs of bricklayers and joiners of this year's competition edition.



Tomáš Kotrč, MBA, Chief Executive Officer of ABF, a.s.



Stone cutter and stone sculptor

Cooperation with children's homes – A part of the jubilee 20th edition of the competition was also cooperation with five children's homes in the Czech Republic and one in Slovakia. At the gradual rounds and during the final round, young joiners handed over exterior benches to them. Altogether more than 10 benches were handed over and all of them were made by future craftsmen - joiners within the framework of the contest specification.

Stone cutters on the stage again – Already for several years the visitors have had an opportunity of seeing, within the framework of the SUSO competition event, the contest of young stone cutters from the following schools: Secondary School for Stone Cutters and Sculptors – Hořice and ACADEMY - Higher Vocational School, Secondary Comprehensive School and Secondary Technical School for Industry and Art in Světlá nad Sázavou, who have worked on the topic "Broad Bean" this year.

Award of the Stavebnictví magazine, the main media partner – Secondary Technical School of Námestovo

The Award of the Association of the Czech Furniture Manufacturers and ABF for the Pedagogue of the Joiner Branch, was granted for technical preparation of young joiners to Marek Kočí from the Secondary School of Art and Crafts, Nový Zlíchov, Prague 5.

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WINNERS OF THE 20th EDITION

• BRICKLAYER BRANCH

Marek Gruchala, Jakub Kormančík – Secondary Technical School of Námestovo

• JOINER BRANCH

Jan Tomášek, Ondřej Růžička – Secondary School of Art and Crafts, Nový Zlíchov, Prague 5

• STONE CUTTER AND SCULPTOR BRANCHES

Filip Matoušek – Secondary School for Stone Cutters and Sculptors, Hořice

STARS OF THE 20th EDITION

Awards for the most successful schools:

Secondary School of Art and Crafts, Nový Zlíchov, Prague 5 (joiner branch)

Secondary Technical School of Námestovo (bricklayer branch)

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Discipline consisting in the walling of the corner external wall by using ground bricks of Porotherm - Wienerberger cihlářský průmysl



Joiners are finishing an outdoor bench.



CONFERENCE OF DIRECTORS OF PROJECT DESIGN COMPANIES 2016

The Conference of Directors of Project Design Companies 2016 commenced the International Building Trade Fair FOR ARCH for the third time in a sequence. More than four hundred directors of project design and architectonic companies met in the course of the conference and took part in the discussion about the current state, key legislative changes and future of the sector. Leading representatives of the government had speeches in two sessions focused on construction and civil engineering. They clarified information about the electronic recording of sales, the Building Act, Environmental Impact Assessment and the Public Contracts Act to visitors. Project design issues in the field of civil engineering for this year and next year were discussed as well. Strategic plan of construction of the main traffic arteries and influences of the amendment to the EIA Act on the duration of preparation and construction of roads were also discussed with representatives of such state organisations as the Czech Road and Motorway Directorate, Railway Infrastructure Administration, Directorate of Waterways, State Fund for Transport Infrastructure and Ministry of Transport.

At the Conference of Directors of Project Design Companies it was also possible to get familiar with the latest Study of Project Design Companies 2016, drawn up by the analytic company “CEEC Research” in cooperation with the SGCP company (Weber Division), which summed up forecasts and, expectations as well as current issues of the entire market. It implies from its results that in the field of project design works the number of orders will continue to grow, the firms expect a growth of revenues as well, even in the long-term horizon.

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Organizer: Passive House Centre

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Organizer: ESTAV.cz portal

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Organizer: Svépomoci.cz s.r.o.

STATE PROGRAMMES FOR THE SUPPORT OF LIVING BY MMR AND SFRB

Organizer: Ministry for Regional Development of the Czech Republic and the State Fund for Housing Development

IMPROVEMENT OF ENERGY PERFORMANCE OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS WITH SUPPORT OF THE PROGRAMME “NEW GREEN LIGHT TO SAVINGS”

Organizer: State Environmental Fund of the Czech Republic

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Organizer: CZECH CHAMBER OF CHARTERED ENGINEERS AND TECHNICIANS ENGAGED IN CONSTRUCTION, Education and Information Centre

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Organizer: Topinfo s.r.o.

VENTILATION CONCEPT

Organizer: Foundation for Development of Architecture and Civil Engineering

EXHIBITIONS

STAVBA ROKU 2016 – “BUILDING OF THE YEAR”

– A public nation-wide non-anonymous competition; presentation of 15 nominations from the Czech Republic and 3 foreign nominations

Organizer: Foundation for Development of Architecture and Civil Engineering





NUMBER OF EXHIBITORS

Slovakia	19
Germany	15
Austria	6
Indonesia	5
Poland	5
Italy	4
China	2
France	2
South Korea	2
Ukraine	2
Belgium	1
Netherlands	1
United Arab Emirates	1
United Kingdom	1

Matchmaking Business Meetings – B2B business negotiations for professionals from the building industry

Already the fourth edition of the international business negotiations known as Matchmaking Business Meetings FOR ARCH was held at the Trade Fair on 22 September 2016. This year's participation was record-breaking; altogether 121 firms from 12 countries got registered. The negotiations were organised not only by ABF, a.s. (Trade Fair Administration) but also by the members of the Enterprise Europe Network (EEN) – Centre for Regional Development of the Czech Republic and Handwerkskammer Dresden with cooperation of partners from the EEN network and other institutions.

The event was attended by 64 Czech and 57 foreign firms, 20 of which being from Germany, 13 from Slovenia, 13 from Poland and there were also Italian and Spanish companies, and this year for the first time also firms from overseas – from Indonesia, Korea and the U.S.A. During one day, there were organised 258 meetings, and 30 meetings led to agreements upon mutual cooperation right in place, both at an international level and between Czech participants.

The EEN network will organise international business negotiations not only in building branches also in 2017, for more detailed information please follow our web site: www.forarch.cz

The common exposition of Indonesian firms was opened by the Indonesian Ambassador with the delegation

The ceremonial opening of the FOR ARCH Trade Fair was attended also by the Indonesian delegation of high-level state representatives under the leadership of His Excellency, Ambassador of Indonesia, Mr. Aulia A. Rachman and General Director of the Department for the United States and European Matters from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Indonesia, Mr. Muhammad Anshor.

The exposition of the Indonesian firms at the trade fair presented especially high-quality Indonesian teak and new method of marking, which must be obligatorily used for all legally exported wood from that country. The stands of the exhibitors presented also presentations of traditional Indonesian furniture, whose popularity has been growing in recent years also in the Czech Republic and which attracted the interest of visitors for the entire term of the trade fair. The Embassy of Indonesia attracts also domestic investors or exhibitors to the B2B trade fair entitled TRADE EXPO INDONESIA, which is to be held on 12–16 October in Jakarta.

This was the successful beginning of the long-term cooperation between the PVA EXPO PRAGUE Exhibition Centre and the Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia. It means that we can look forward to the stands of Indonesian exhibitors also at future prepared trade fairs in Letňany.

German-Czech Craft Dialogue

How do traditional crafts look like in the digitalisation era? Why must craftsmen in Germany be able to completely connect a smart household and for what purpose do they use drones? These facts and many other interesting things were presented to participants of the German-Czech Craft Dialogue which was organised by the Association of Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises and Crafts of the Czech Republic together with the Dresden Chamber of Trades and Crafts on 22 September 2016 in the Congress Hall at the FOR ARCH 2016 Trade Fair. The event presented the latest world trends in the development of trades and crafts at participation of domestic and German masters of individual sectors, guild masters and representatives of both the governments.

The Introductory Word was presented by doc. Ing. Karel Havlíček, Ph.D., MBA, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Association of Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises and Crafts of the Czech Republic. It was possible to attend there various speeches and discussion contributions, for example from Hermann Winkler, Member of the European Parliament; Hansjörg König, representing the Minister of Finance of the Federal Republic of Germany; Dr. Jiří Kuděla, General Consul of the Czech Republic in Dresden; Dr. Jörg Dittrich, President of the Dresden Chamber of Trades and Crafts; Ing. Jiří Koliba, Deputy Minister of Industry and Trade; Petr Bannert, Ph.D., Director of the Department of Secondary and Higher Specialised Education and Institutional Training, Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports, and others.

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Large organisational changes are planned (among other things) for the next edition of the International Building Trade Fair FOR ARCH. FOR ARCH will not be divided according to branches into simultaneously held FOR STAV, FOR THERM, FOR WOOD and BAZÉNY, SAUNY & SPA Trade Fairs but it will be merged in one whole which is to roof all the existing topics under one name. This decision is focused on the fostering of the FOR ARCH brand, and at the same time it will serve for a better arrangement of the content of the event organised and more effective promotion. That is why all accompanying materials will newly be in a uniform graphic design, which will help visitors to orient there in a much easier way.





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of the International Building Trade Fair **FOR ARCH '17**

forum

An innovation of the International Building Trade Fair FOR ARCH 2017, which is to be held on 19–23 September 2017, will be the two-day **Technological forum**, taking place on 20–21 September 2017 in the Congress Hall, PVA EXPO PRAGUE.

That is why ABF, a.s. as the organiser of the event, will facilitate informal meetings of professionals with representatives of state administration and local governments. In cooperation with the Ministry for Regional development, Ministry of Industry and Trade, Ministry of the Environment, various subsidy programmes for the years to come will be presented, and then manufacturers will present their technological news. Leading manufacturers from the building industry, water use, electrical technologies, security and heating will present results of their own development to investors in short intervals – the latest technologies and products. This means that subsidy programmes and subsequently new technologies and their possible use will be presented to investors.

Objectives of the Technological Forum:

- **Presentation of subsidy programmes of the Ministry for Regional development, Ministry of Industry and Trade, Ministry of the Environment for the years to come**
- **To help municipalities to use modern technologies for savings, development and effective maintenance**
- **Presentation of new technologies from to firms of specific branches**
- **Intermediation of contacts with technicians, designers and architects**

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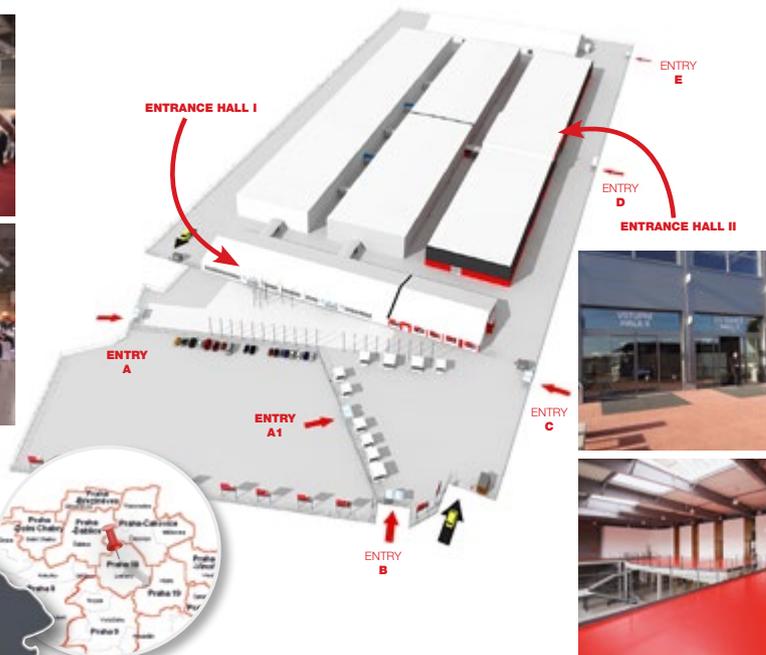


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