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### **EDITORIAL DR. CLAUS ANDRESEN, CEO WORLDSKILLS LEIPZIG 2013**

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you to the first edition of our Member Newsletter. We are now a little more than 11 months before the Competition and are very much focused on how we can make WorldSkills Leipzig 2013 the most exciting Competition ever. Looking at the results of Provisional Registration, we estimate that more than 1000 Competitors will come to Leipzig next year.

There's still another 350 days until WorldSkills Leipzig 2013 will be opening its doors to the world and the preparations for the 42nd WorldSkills Competition are really taking shape. We have a highly motivated team in Leipzig working closely with WorldSkills International and expanding upon previous successful Competitions to organise and launch "the most exciting Competition ever". "Enthusiasm" is the guiding theme of WorldSkills Leipzig 2013 while the word "Discover" is the centrepiece of our campaign claim. And we can promise you that there will be a lot to discover! We are all looking forward to seeing you in Leipzig!

















#### FIND OUT MORE ABOUT OUR PACKAGES!

The information and details about WorldSkills Leipzig 2013 accommodation packages were announced at the General Assembly in Jeju, Korea. Members are encouraged to book packages online once they are officially launched on 1st September, 2012. The following table shows the price range of our packages and the package brochure is now available for download from our website!

Package Price Range From То 2.690 € (single) Competitor/Team Leader 1.960 € (twin) 3.030 € Technical Delegate/Assistant 4.010 € Chief Expert/Deputy 2.200 € (twin) 4.010 € (single) 2.200 € (twin) 4.010 € (single) **Expert** Interpreter 2.200 € (twin) 4.010 € (single) 2.520 € Official Delegate 3.320 € Official Observer 2.520 € 3.320 € Observer 1.060 € 3.330 €

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# FIND OUT MORE ABOUT OUR VOLUNTEER PROGRAMM!

WorldSkills Leipzig 2013 is searching for Volunteers. There are 12 different volunteering sectors, such as accreditation, visitors services, One School One Country and protocol, to name just a few of the volunteering opportunities. Applicants should be a minimum of 18 years and be available at least from 3 to 6 of July 2013. There is no requirement of any specific knowledge about WorldSkills before the official training. The volunteers will receive two training













sessions in order to be prepared for their missions and various tasks prior to the Competition. Find out more about our Volunteer Program on our <u>website!</u>



## AN AMAZING CITY, AN EXCELLENT VENUE

Leipzig is a German economic metropolis with historic roots. Trade fairs have been held here for over 800 years. After the fall of the Berlin Wall the cradle of East Germany's peaceful revolution went on to become the innovation powerhouse of East German industry. Siemens, BMW, Porsche, Amazon, DHL and the solar power industry were all early arrivals.

The Saxon metropolis has a diverse cultural scene. Leipzig delights lovers of classical music with the choir of St Thomas's, the Gewandhaus Orchestra and the Bach Festival. For those who prefer something more modern there is the Wave-Gotik-Treffen festival, the cool TH!NK? open air festival and great concerts featuring international stars. For art lovers from all over the world Leipzig has long been the city that sets tomorrow's trends in contemporary art.

















The Leipziger Messe (Leipzig Fair Exhibition Centre) is the venue of WorldSkills Leipzig 2013. The origins of the fair date back to 1165. Today, Leipziger Messe is one of the world's most modern trade fair centres. Up to 30 trade and general interest fairs and 100 congresses and events a year are held in its 181,300 square metres of exhibition space and impressive glass hall event location. Every year, nearly 11,000 exhibitors present their goods and services to 1.3 million visitors from all over the world.



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