

FEEG-Symposium September 20th, 2025

Location: WIFI Oberösterreich, Wiener Strasse 150, A-4021 Linz/Austria

Preliminary Program

- 8:15 to 9:00** **Registration** of all participants in the lobby of the main auditorium (room number D401, panorama hall)
- 9:00** **Welcome and Opening Ceremony**
- Dra. Ilaria Adamo - Chairman of FEEG
 - WIFI Oberösterreich (Training Center) and ÖGemG (Austrian Gemmological Association)
- 9:30** **First presentation: Dra. Ilaria Adamo**, Istituto Gemmologico Italiano/Milano: *Turquoise: natural, treated and simulants*
- 10:15** **Second presentation: Univ.Prof. Dr. Lutz Nasdala**, Department of Mineralogy and Crystallography, University of Vienna/Austria: *Luminescence spectroscopy of coloured gemstones.*
- 11:00** **Third presentation: Mr. Branko Deljanin**, Gemmological Research Industries/Canada, *A historical review of lab grown diamonds and their detection, including latest CVD production, treatments and cutting in India*
- 12:00 to 13:30:** **Coffee and lunch break including fingerfood, drinks and snacks** in the lobby of the main auditorium
- 13:30** **Fourth presentation: Dr. Tom Stephan**, German Gemmological Association/Idar-Oberstein, Germany: *Imperial Topaz – An Overview on its History, Formation, Sources and Treatments.*
- 14:15** **Fifth presentation: Univ.Prof. Dr. Clemens Schwarzingner**, Institute for Chemical Technology of Organic Materials/Center of Scientific Gemmology, University of Linz/Austria: *Commercial cutting or Precision cuts – what is the influence on a gemstone?*
- 15:00** **Coffee break** in the lobby of the main auditorium
- 15:30** **Sixth presentation: N.N., title to be defined**
- 16:15** **Seventh presentation: Paul Rose, MA**, Paul Rose Film/Vienna, Austria: *Zillertal garnets from the heart of the Tyrol/Austria (documentary film)*
- 17:00** **Graduation Ceremony**
Opening and introduction: Dr. Tom Stephan – Chairman of the Examination Committee
- 18:00 to 19:00:** **Toast to success** in the lobby of the main auditorium
Celebrating the graduates and their diplomas, including all accompanying persons and guests
- 19:30** **Festive Dinner** in the main restaurant (ground floor)



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