



Czech-British Technology and Innovation Days

3-6 November 2009, London

This four-day programme provides a unique networking forum for industry, academia, investors and those seeking R&D joint ventures in the field of advanced technologies & materials. It also showcases the latest developments. For more information about our series of Czech Technology Days – and this event in particular – please see www.czechtechnologydays.org.

Programme



November 3-4: Participation of Czech delegates in UK NanoForum & Emerging Technologies 2009

Venue: London Hilton on Park Lane Hotel

Thursday, November 5: London – Czech Seminar

Venue: Embassy of the Czech Republic to the United Kingdom
26 Kensington Palace Gardens, London W8 4QY

09:00 – 09:30 Registration of the participants

09:30 – 09:45 **Opening of the seminar – welcome addresses by**
H.E. Mr Michael Zantovsky, Ambassador of the Czech Republic to the UK
Nick Stuart, Head of Science & Innovation, UK Trade and Investment
Dana Hunatova, Ambassador-at-Large for Science, Technology and Education, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

The programme will be chaired by Petr Kalas, Advisor to the Prime Minister



Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Session I - Advanced Technologies

09:45 – 10:15 **Optical microstructures for security purposes**
Libor Kotacka, Optaglio Ltd

10:15 – 10:45 **R&D in the textile & processing industry**
Miroslav Vaclavik, Research Institute of Textile Machinery, Liberec PLC

10:45 – 11:15 **Nanofibre materials & machines**
Petr Sedo, Elmarco Ltd

11:15 – 11:30 **Coffee Break**



- 11:30 – 12:00** **Bonded high precision panels for optics**
Richard Pavlica, 5M Ltd
- 12:00 – 12:30** **Speech technology**
Pavel Ircing, University of West Bohemia, Plzen
- 12:30 – 13:00** **Machine perception**
Vaclav Hlavac, Czech Technical University, Prague

13:00 – 14:30 **Buffet Lunch**

Session II – Advanced Materials

- 14:30 – 15:00** **Crystal – Based Materials**
Jindrich Houzvicka, Crytur Ltd
- 15:00 – 15:30** **Nanomaterials in Hazards Removal**
Miroslav Cernik, Technical University Liberec
- 15:30 – 16:00** **Surface Science & Nanotechnology Research**
Tomas Sikola, Brno University of Technology
- 16:00 – 16:15** **Coffee break**
- 16:15 – 18:00** **Bilateral meetings with British researchers & companies**
Individual Czech & UK presentations
- 18:00 – 20:00** **Reception – drinks & light refreshments**
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Friday, November 6:

Visit to Surrey Research Park and the University of Surrey's research centres – Advanced Technology Institute and Centre for Vision, Speech & Signal Processing – in Guildford

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