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The Seventh Workshop  
Graph Embeddings and Maps on Surfaces

30 July–4 August 2017  
Podbanské, Tatra Mountains, Slovakia

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and

Slovak Mathematical Society

organise the Workshop

## Graph Embeddings and Maps on Surfaces – GEMS 2017

The Workshop is the seventh edition in the series of Slovak GEMS workshops (Donovaly '94, Banská Bystrica '97, Bratislava '01, Stará Lesná '05, Tále '09, Smolenice '13) and will be held in Hotel Permon, Podbanské, in the High Tatra mountains from **30 July to 4 August 2017**.

The programme will consist of one-hour invited lectures and 20-minute contributed talks.

Invited speakers (confirmed):

**Marston Conder**, University of Auckland, New Zealand  
**Robert Jajcay**, Comenius University, Bratislava, Slovakia  
**Klavdija Kutnar**, University Primorska, Koper, Slovenia  
**Cheryl Praeger**, University of Western Australia, Perth, Australia  
**Egon Schulte**, Northeastern University, Boston, U.S.A.  
**Pablo Spiga**, University of Milano-Bicocca, Milano, Italy  
**Alexander Zvonkin**, University of Bordeaux, Bordeaux France

Contributed talks are expected to be related to one of the following areas:

Embeddings of graphs on surfaces  
Symmetrical embeddings, regular maps  
Group actions on graphs  
Representativity and graph minors  
Convex polytopes and polytopal graphs  
Dessins d'enfants  
Enumeration of maps

Expenses per participant (conference fee, accommodation and full board) should not exceed €600 (single room) and €450 (shared accommodation in a double room) A more detailed information about cost and payment will be provided in the second announcement and on the web page of the Workshop.

The registration deadline is **31 May 2017**.

A registration form together with further information will be available on the (regularly updated) Workshop home page <http://gems.savbb.sk>.

Looking forward to seeing you at GEMS 2017,

Roman Nedela, Martin Škoviera and Jozef Širáň, organisers