

# **39th SCANDINAVIAN SYMPOSIUM ON PHYSICAL ACOUSTICS**

GEILO HOTEL 31 January – 3 February 2016

#### Invitation

The Norwegian Physical Society (NFS) is happy to announce this symposium, which is the 39th in the series. The theme for the meeting will as usual be physical acoustics, with emphasis on hydroacoustics, nonlinear acoustics, ultrasound, general sound propagation and applications in technology, medicine and fisheries. This invitation is sent to persons we think may be interested in attending, and we encourage further distribution to others that we have not reached in this way.

## Purpose

The purpose of these meetings is primarily to stimulate contacts and exchange information between different Scandinavian teams working in this research area. Although the symposium is Scandinavian, foreign participants are most welcome, and the meeting language will be English. As usual, we expect a rather informal tone, the main goal being to create contacts, not only during sessions, but also by social activities, indoors and outdoors (cross country and downhill skiing). The meeting normally attracts about 50 participants holding about 25 talks throughout 5 sessions.

## Accommodation

A block of rooms have been reserved at the hotel at the reduced rate of NOK 1045 per day per person for a single room, and NOK 750 per day per person in a double room. This includes three meals per day.

## Geilo

Geilo is one of the main sites for downhill skiing in Norway. There are also good paths for cross-country skiing.

## Program

We plan to follow the same schedule as for earlier meetings: Arrival on Sunday, with opening of the meeting in the evening. There will be morning and afternoon sessions on Monday and Tuesday, and a morning session on Wednesday. Contributed talks of 15-25 minutes length are welcome. The final program will be distributed to the participants by the beginning of January 2016. Please post this invitation, to inform your colleagues.

## Registration

Those who wish to participate are kindly requested to register as soon as possible, **and no later than December 20.** Please indicate time of arrival and departure, single/double room, any accompanying persons, and the title of the talk if you intend to give one. There is no registration fee, and the participants are expected to pay their bills directly to the hotel at the end of the stay. Stays outside of the meeting period have to be arranged by direct contact with the hotel:

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