

3rd CIRCULAR for the

*"17th International Workshop on Laser Ranging" and the
"23rd General Assembly of the International Laser Ranging Service"*

Theme: Extending the Range

The "Bundesamt fuer Kartographie und Geodaesie" (Geodetic Observatory Wettzell and TIGO), the „Research Group Satellite Geodesy of the Technische Universitaet Muenchen“ and the International Laser Ranging Service (ILRS) are pleased to announce that the 17th International Workshop on Laser Ranging is scheduled to be held in Bad Kötzing (Germany) during the week of May 16-20, 2011.

Workshop Outline:

The aim of the Workshop is to bring together for stimulating discussion and problem-solving the scientists and technologists who have an interest in the laser ranging technique and its wide-ranging scientific applications.

Workshop Logistics:

The workshop program is now posted on our website:

<http://www.fs.wettzell.de/veranstaltungen/slr/17thlaserworkshop/index.html>

and will be updated as changes become necessary over the next week. Please take note of important workshop information as listed below.

1. Registration is open at the conference venue "Haus des Gastes" on Sunday, May 15 between 15:00 – 19:00. The registration fee is 150 Euro. Unfortunately we can accept cash only at the registration desk. A local map with conference venue and nearby ATMs is printed below.

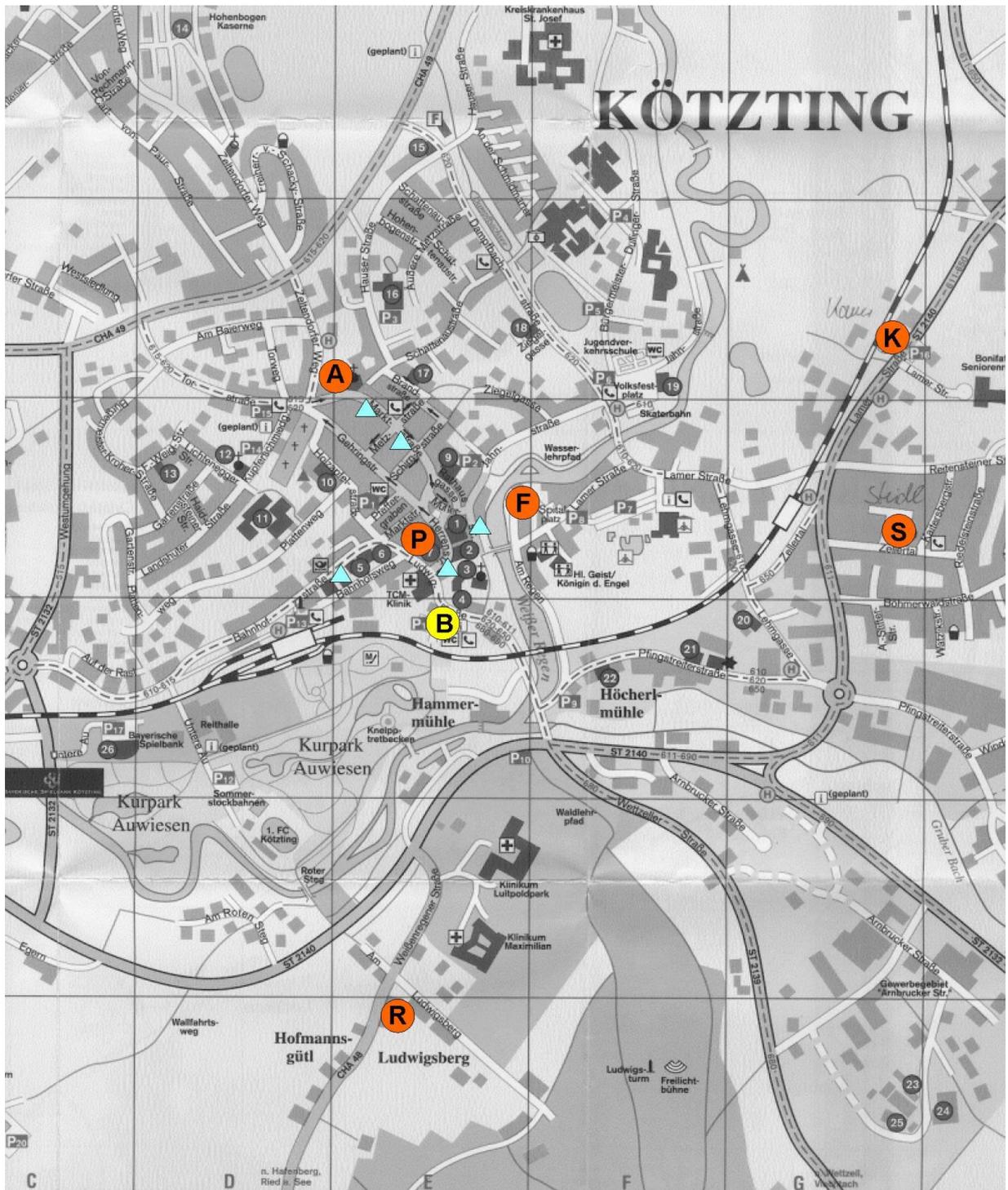
Between 17:00 – 19:00 there is an opportunity for the participants to meet for initial discussions at an informal "Ice Breaker" near the registration area.

Program Chairs are asked to attend the Program Committee Meeting at the Registration site between 18:00 – 19:00 to sort out last minute changes.

Bus transport between the conference venue and the hotels around Bad Kötzing is provided. Schedules are posted on the website next week and can be enquired at the respective hotels and at the registration desk.

Important Notice for poster presentation:

Due to the large number of poster presentations, we have to restrict the size of posters to **A0 portrait**, which translates into **85 cm width** and **120 cm height**.



- P** Hotel zur Post, Venue
- A** Hotel Amberger Hof
- S** Pension Steidl
- R** Pension Raab
- K** Pension Kauer
- F** Ferienresidenz am weißen Regen
- B** Shuttle bus stop
- ▲ Bank / cash machine