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Impressions
The 11th International DYMAT Conference took place in Lugano, Switzerland, and was hosted by the DynaMat Laboratory of the University of Applied Sciences of Southern Switzerland, SUPSI.

After 30 years of history, the DYMAT International Conference persists in the focus of the international scientific community. The conference continues to promote research into the dynamic behavior of materials through the discussion of progress, the analysis of new challenges and the exchange of new ideas in and related to the field.

The Conference has attracted 250 participants from 32 countries of 5 continents.

The DYMAT proceedings are published as an issue of the »European Physical Journal - Web of Conferences« (EPJ-WoC), Vol. 94 (2015) having 1030 pages, while a selection of papers is published in an issue of the »European Physical Journal - Special Topics« (EPJ-ST), entitled “Dynamic Behaviour of Materials at High Strain Rates: Experiment, Modelling and Simulation”. Out of more than 230 submitted abstracts,
186 manuscripts went into the proceedings and 17 manuscripts are published in the journal EPJ-ST as volume number 224.

Finally, Carlo Albertini and Ron Armstrong were the two recipients of the John S. Rinehart Award 2015.