Image of the Past, Reflection of the Present
The Daguerreobase Project: A Meeting for New Content Providers

Národní technické muzeum, Praha / National Technical Museum, Prague
Kostelní 42, Praha 7

22–23 January 2014

Wednesday 22 January

9:30 registration

10:00 Welcome
Director General NTM Karel Ksandr,
Director of the Museum of media Hynek Stříteský

10:15 The Daguerreobase Project - Sharing Europe's Earliest Photographs
Agnes Wijers (Daguerreobase Project Leader), Sabine Cauberghs, Tamara Berghmans

Samples of Czech daguerreotypes in Central European context
Petra Trnková (IAH, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague)

11:15 BREAK

11:45 Daguerreotypes in central and eastern Europe

Daguerreotypes in Slovakia: a research project underway
Bohunka Koklesová (VSVU Bratislava)

Unknown Heritage. Daguerreotype and daguerreotypes in Poland
Malgorzata Grabczewska (Warsaw)

12:45 LUNCH BREAK

14:15 History of the Daguerreotype in Hungary as seen through the Daguerreotype Collection of the Hungarian National Museum
Katalin Bognár (Hungarian National Museum, Budapest)

Public and private collections of daguerreotypes in Serbia
Milanka Todic (Faculty of Applied Arts, Belgrade)
15:15 BREAK

15:45 Methods of restoration, preservation and storage of Daguerreotypes
(Projec t of the Program of The National Cultural Identity)
Libor Jůn, Petra Vávrová (Film and Television Faculty, Academy of Performing Arts)

Conservation of daguerreotypes in the Albertina collection
Andreas Gruber (Vienna)

Daguerrotype process today
Ondřej Přibyl (photographer, Prague)

17:30 Conclusions

(optional)
Guided tour through new exhibition in the NTM (Petr Kliment, Tomáš Štanzel)

The exhibition can be also viewed during the day.

Thursday 23 January

9:30 - 14:00
Excursion to the modern depository facilities of the NTM in Čelákovice, including display of daguerrotypes.