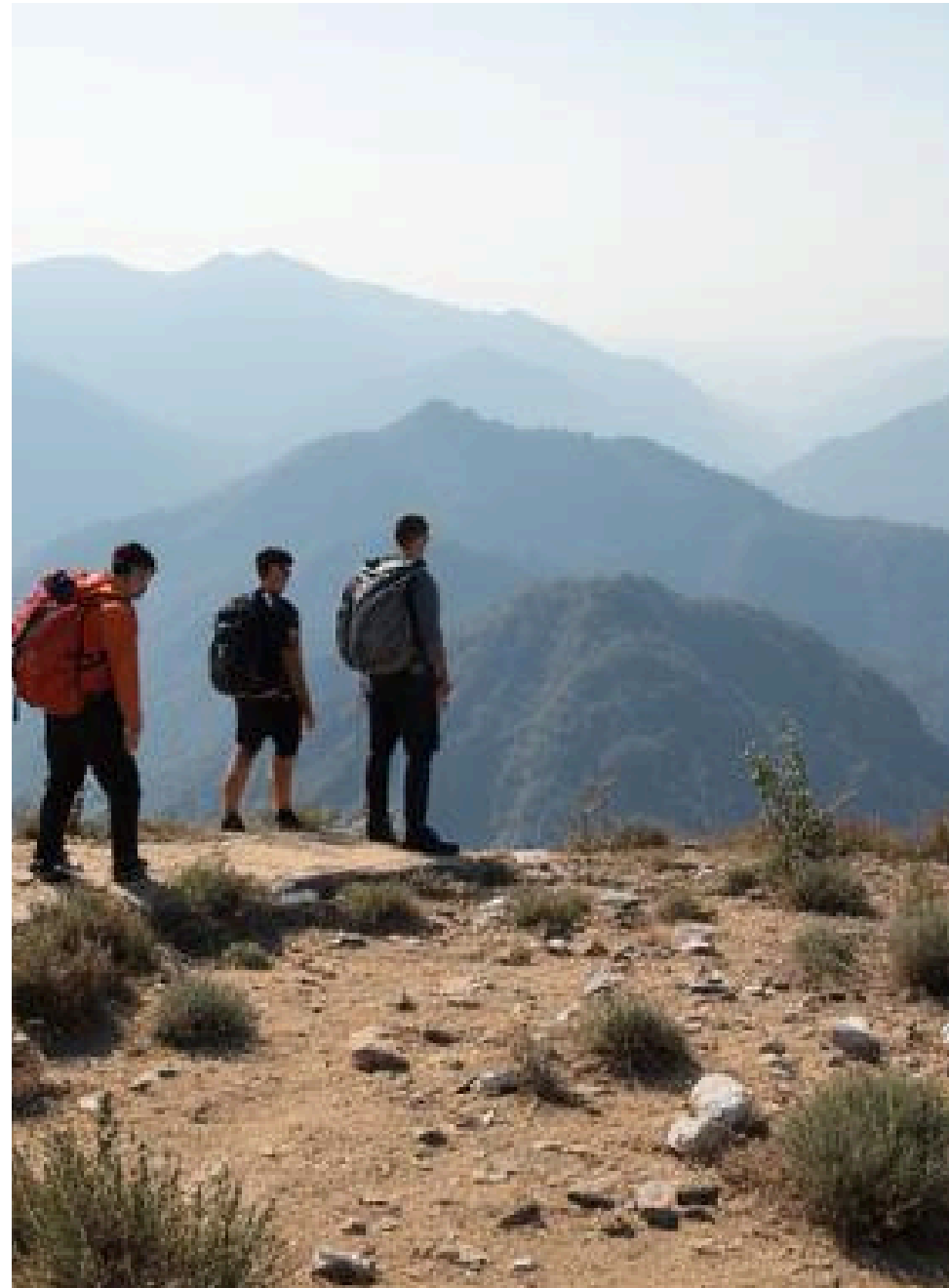


MICROSCOPY 2026



Side and Social Program

June 1st-3rd, 2026

**Hotel RELAX
Rožnov pod Radhoštěm, CZ**

Monday, June 1st | Social & Side Program

I. Mountain Hike with yCSMS

Meeting point: In front of Hotel Relax at 7:30

Detailed description of routes [here](#)

- **Description:** A guided outdoor excursion into the scenic Beskydy Mountains. This activity offers a perfect opportunity for informal networking and fresh air after the conference sessions. Expected arrival back at the hotel between **13:30 and 15:00**.
- **Difficulty:** Moderate – please bring comfortable hiking shoes and a windbreaker.
- **Highlights:** Panoramic views and local mountain hospitality with an amazing Group of Young Microscopists :)

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II. Wallachian Village Tour – Wallachian Open Air Museum

Meeting point: In front of Hotel Relax at 9:30

Link to webpage is [here](#)

- **Description:** A journey back in time through the largest and oldest open-air museum in Central Europe. Explore the traditional folk life of the Wallachian region. Expected arrival back at the hotel between **12:30 and 14:00**.
- **Highlights:** Live demonstrations of traditional crafts and historical wooden buildings.

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III. Onsemi Factory Tour

Meeting point: In front of Hotel Relax at 9:30

Link to webpage is [here](#)

- **Description:** An exclusive technical tour of the Onsemi manufacturing facility. Get a first-hand look at high-tech semiconductor production. Expected arrival back at the hotel between **12:30 and 14:00**.
- **Note:** Limited capacity. Pre-registration is required for security and safety reasons.

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IV. CSMS General Assembly

Meeting point: Hotel Relax 15:00-16:00

- **Description:** The official annual meeting of the CSMS is dedicated to reviewing the society's activities over the past year, discussing future strategic goals, and addressing key organizational matters.

V. Welcome party

Meeting point: Hotel Relax 19:00-22:00

- **Description:** Kick off the conference in a relaxed atmosphere! Join us for an evening of networking, great food, and drinks. It is the perfect opportunity to reconnect with colleagues and meet fellow participants before the official sessions begin.

Tuesday, June 2nd | Social & Side Program

I. yCSMS Session

Meeting point: Hotel Relax 9:00-10:50

- **Career Talk:** Discussion with **Prof. Knut Müller-Caspary** on his scientific journey and professional growth in microscopy.
- **Winner's Lecture:** Keynote by the recipient of **the Best First-Author Publication Award**.
- **Lightning Talks:** Series of short presentations by yCSMS members showcasing current research projects.

Tuesday, June 2nd | Social & Side Program

II. Conference Gala Dinner

Meeting point: Hotel Relax 19:00-23:59

- **Description:** The social highlight of the conference! An evening dedicated to relaxation, celebration, and building lasting connections. Enjoy a rich selection of gourmet food and premium drinks in a lively atmosphere.
- **Live Music:** Setting the perfect mood for the evening. More info to [music](#)
- **yCSMS Bowling Challenge:** A fun, competitive tradition hosted by our **yCSMS**.
- **Ice-breaking & Social Games:** Designed to help you meet new colleagues in a fun and natural way.
- **Chocolate Fountain:** A sweet indulgence for every guest hosted by **yCSMS team**.
- **Atmosphere:** Great food, better company, and plenty of fun!