

What was unique about this year's conference?
What do you consider to be its biggest contribution?

Is very difficult to find something unique in our days, but there not many conferences around the world succeeding to bring together Science, Technology and Philosophy at the same table of discussion. Žilina meeting is one of them. Moreover, continuing a previously developed line of conferences the actual edition brought also Theology as an equal partner at this table. This is the even more meritorious taking into account that the host is a mostly a technical university. I also greatly appreciated the involvement of the Slovak Academy of Sciences and the European Academy of Sciences and Arts.

The presence of a quite large number of participants from different countries and very varied fields of Science together with philosophers and theologians, the interesting themes and especially the open discussion seems to me the greatest input for the developing interdisciplinary domain. The different perspectives of participants, even contradictory in some cases, raised problems but also suggested solutions for the continuously evolution at a tremendous rhythm of our world.

How did you like your short stay in Žilina (in general) and at the University of Žilina?

It is the high merit of the organizers for being able to create a friendship atmosphere among the participants, even if we didn't know each other before the meeting. More than this, thanks to Dr. Michal Valčo, the Chairman of the conference and his wife Dr. Katarína Valčová, I may say that I felt like being in family.

In the last time European Journal of Science and Theology published several articles dealing with the problem of 'time'. I really enjoyed seeing that this very interesting topic was discussed at specific section regarding the time and its perception from the point of view of physicists, philosophers and theologians. In this context I have to say that the warm attitude of the friends I made during the two days spent in Žilina performed a miracle on me. I felt like travelling back in time for almost 30 years – feeling like I was student again learning, discussing, laughing – in fact having a good 'time' together.