

## Registration

Applicants should apply via the on-line registration form available at the school web-site. The form should be filled in and sent by fax (+39-080 544 36 06) or by e-mail to Prof. Angela Dibenedetto ([circc@circc.uniba.it](mailto:circc@circc.uniba.it)) by **May 15, 2011**.

## Registration fees

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| Academia | 650 €*      half board |
|          | 740 €*      full board |
| Industry | 820 €*      half board |
|          | 910 €*      full board |

\*Accommodation in twin bedrooms  
Supplement for single room: 15 € per day per person (total: 90 €)

The registration fee includes: breakfast, half or full board with accommodation in a double-bed room from September 18<sup>th</sup> to September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2011, teaching material & information package, CD with the lectures, visit to Lecce and Otranto, social dinner, transportation from/and to the airport in Brindisi or the train station in Lecce.

Payment through bank transfer should be made to the following bank account headed to "Nowatech Ass-School EuroBioRef."

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## Web site

<http://www.eurobioref.org/>

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## Summer School

### *Utilization of Biomass for the Production of Chemicals or Fuels*

*"The concept of Biorefinery comes into operation"*

### **FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT**



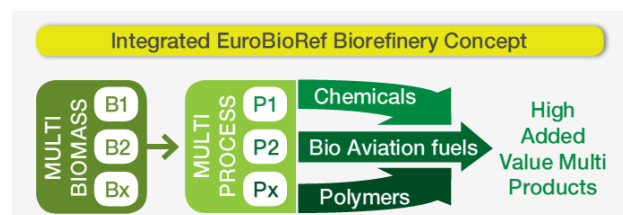
**September 18<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>, 2011**



**Hotel Orsa Maggiore,  
Castro Marina, Lecce, Italy**

## The Organizing Body

The EuroBioRef project (European Multilevel Integrated Biorefinery Design for Sustainable Biomass Processing) coordinated by CNRS-UCCS, France, is supported by the EU 7<sup>th</sup> Framework Program for Research and Technological Development. It gathers 28 partners from 14 different countries in a highly collaborative work. EuroBioRef will bridge the gap between agriculture and chemical industry by integrating the whole biomass chain in a Multi-feedstock (non-edible), Multi-process (chemical, bio-chemical, thermo-chemical), Multi-products (aviation fuels and chemicals) commercial viable and adaptable approach for a sustainable bio-economy in Europe.



## Join us!

The EuroBioRef team will organize the first Biorefinery Summer School in September 2011 from 18<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup>.

The EuroBioRef Summer School aims at the effective training of young researchers from academia and staff from industry on the most up-to-date scientific and technological aspects of Biorefinery.

## Working Programme

The Summer school is a five and a half day event encompassing invited lectures by distinguished speakers, poster presentations by young researchers and interactive workshops on case studies.

### Topics of the School are:

- *Terrestrial and aquatic biomass: production and properties*
- *Biomass pre-treatment technologies*
- *Chemical/Biotechnological routes for biomass constituents conversion into platform molecules*
- *Homogeneous and heterogeneous catalytic conversion of bio-sourced raw materials*
- *Catalytic conversion of oils extracted from seeds and algae*
- *Conversion of biomass into fuels and chemicals via thermochemical processes*
- *Conversion of syngas into fuels and chemicals*
- *Policy aspects of biomass product chains*
- *Life cycle analysis of fuels and chemicals production from biomass*

## Abstracts

The Organizing Committee invites young Researchers (PhD-Post Doc) and Industry Staff to submit abstracts for poster presentation. Each author will be invited to present the content of the poster in an "oral flash presentation" (3 slides, 5 min) and will discuss it during the poster session.

Two **prizes** for the best poster will be presented, one being reserved to PhDs, one to Post Docs. **Grants** for students can become available.

Abstracts should be submitted electronically using the Poster Application Form available on the school website. Abstracts will be accepted on a *first come first served basis*.

### Important dates

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|------------------------------|-----------|
| Opening date for abstracts   | 15/3/2011 |
| Closing date for abstracts   | 15/5/2011 |
| Acceptation of the abstracts | 31/5/2011 |
| Registration-fee payment     | 30/6/2011 |

## Venue

The EuroBioRef Summer School will be held at the Hotel Orsa Maggiore, Castro Marina, Italy. The Hotel is situated in Castro Marina on the Eastern promontory of the coast of Salento along the Castro – Santa Cesarea Terme Coast, Lecce in South Italy.

The Hotel Orsa Maggiore, Castro Marina is located 85 km far from the Brindisi airport and 45 km from the Lecce railway station. Information about travelling will be sent to the applicants in due time.

Further information about the venue can be found at: <http://www.orsamaggiore.it>