26-27 November, 2009 - Centre for Research & Technology Hellas (CERTH) - Thessaloniki, Greece

Dear Colleagues,

We would like to inform you that the *Symposium* on "New Frontiers in Chemical and Biochemical Engineering" will be held on 26-27 November, 2009 in Thessaloniki, Greece, at the premises of the "Centre for Research & Technology Hellas – CERTH".

The Symposium is organised to honor the life-long contribution of Professors *Anastasios Karabelas* and *Stavros Nychas* to Chemical Engineering in Greece.

The Symposium aims to bring together scientists and young researchers from the fields of chemical and biochemical engineering. The Symposium technical program includes invited lectures and poster sessions, featuring present challenges and future opportunities in chemical and biochemical engineering. You are invited to participate in the Symposium or/and submit an abstract for a poster presentation. The thematic areas of the Symposium are:

- Energy
- Environmental Technologies
- New Paradigms in Chemical / Biochemical Production
- Process Systems Engineering
- Functional Materials & Nanotechnologies
- Biomedical Advances

You may submit your abstract, following the abstract submission guidelines (see attached brochure) **by September 30th, 2009**. All selected abstracts will be published in the *Symposium Book of Abstracts*.

All information regarding the Symposium programme, abstract submission, registration and hotel accommodation can be found at the website: http://www.frontiers.certh.gr. For any additional information do not hesitate to contact the Symposium Secretariat at: frontiers@certh.gr or by dialling at the telephone number: (+30) 2310 99 6212.

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It should be emphasized that selected manuscripts on the thematic topics of the Symposium will be submitted to "*Industrial & Engineering Chemistry Research*" Journal for review and publication in a **Special Issue**. All submitted manuscripts will undergo the usual peer review process by the Journal, thus, they should contain sufficiently novel research results. Therefore, we welcome the submission of original papers for the special issue of *I&EC Research* by all interested authors (e.g., symposium participants, colleagues, former undergraduate and graduate students, friends, etc.).

Those who are interested in contributing to the Special Issue of *I&EC Research*, they have to have ready the full manuscript by the end of October, 2009, following the *I&EC Research Journal* guidelines. In this case, please let us know about your intention to submit a manuscript for the Special Issue of *I&EC Research* Journal.

Sincerely Yours,

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Many thanks for passing on the attached announcement to your colleagues who may be interested in the above events.

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