

**7<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Mediterranean Studies**  
**14-17 April 2014, Athens, Greece**  
**Call for Papers and Participation**

The Athens Institute for Education and Research (ATINER) is organizing its **7<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Mediterranean Studies, 14-17 April 2014**, Athens, Greece. The conference website is: [www.atiner.gr/mediterranean.htm](http://www.atiner.gr/mediterranean.htm).

The aim of the conference is to bring together scholars, researchers and students from all areas of Mediterranean Studies, such as history, arts, archaeology, philosophy, culture, sociology, politics, international relations, economics, business, sports, environment and ecology, etc.

The registration fee is €300 (euro), covering access to all sessions, two lunches, the official dinner of the conference (Greek Night), coffee breaks and conference material. Special arrangements will be made with a local luxury hotel for a limited number of rooms at a special conference rate. In addition, a number of social events will be organized: A Greek night of entertainment with dinner (the official dinner of the conference), an archaeological tour (urban walk) of Athens, a special one-day cruise to the Greek islands, and a one-day visit to Delphi. Details of the social program are available at <http://www.atiner.gr/2014/SOC-MDT.htm>

Please submit an abstract (email only) to: [atiner@atiner.gr](mailto:atiner@atiner.gr), using the abstract submission form available at <http://www.atiner.gr/2014/FORM-MDT.doc> by the **3 March 2014** to: **Dr. Gregory A. Katsas, Academic Member of ATINER and Associate Professor, The American College of Greece-Deree College, Greece**. Abstracts should include the following: Title of Paper, Full Name (s), Affiliation, Current Position, an email address, and at least 3 keywords that best describe the subject of your submission. Decisions are reached within 4 weeks.

If you want to participate without presenting a paper, i.e. organize a panel (session, mini conference), chair a session, review papers to be included in the conference proceedings or books, contribute to the editing of a book, or any other contribution, please send an email to **Dr. Gregory T. Papanikos, President, ATINER** ([gtp@atiner.gr](mailto:gtp@atiner.gr)).

The Athens Institute for Education and Research (ATINER) was established in 1995 as an independent academic association with the mission to become a forum, where academics and researchers - from all over the world - could meet in Athens to exchange ideas on their research and to discuss future developments in their disciplines. Since 1995, ATINER has organized more than 250 international conferences, symposiums and events. It has also published approximately 150 [books](#). Academically, the Institute consists of six [Research Divisions](#) and twentyseven [Research Units](#). Each Research Unit organizes an annual conference and undertakes various small and large research projects. Academics and researchers are more than welcome to become members and contribute to ATINER's objectives. The members of the Institute can undertake a number of [academic activities](#). If you want to become a member, please download the form ([membership form](#)). For more information or suggestions, please send an email to: [info@atiner.gr](mailto:info@atiner.gr).

**13<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Health Economics, Management  
& Policy 23-26 June 2014, Athens, Greece  
Call for Papers and Participation**

The [Health Research Unit](#) of the [Athens Institute for Education and Research](#) (ATINER) will hold its **13<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Health Economics, Management & Policy 23-26 June 2014, Athens, Greece**. For further details, please go to the conference website: <http://www.atiner.gr/health.htm>. The registration fee is €300 (euro), covering access to all sessions, two lunches, coffee breaks and conference material. Special arrangements will be made with a local luxury hotel for a limited number of rooms at a special conference rate. In addition, a number of special events will be organized: A Greek night of entertainment with dinner, a special one-day cruise in the Greek islands, an archaeological tour of Athens and a one-day visit to Delphi.

The aim of the conference is to bring together scholars, researchers and students from all areas of health economics, management and policy. Areas of interest include (**but are not confined to**): Equity and Poverty in Health, Pharmaceutical Economics, Quality of Life, Economic Evaluation, Health Care Reforms, Social Security, School Health Programs, Health Law and Health Related Business. Selected papers will be published in a Special Volume of the Conference Proceedings or Edited Books as part of ATINER's education book series. For Books and Proceedings of previous conferences you may visit [http://www.atiner.gr/docs/HEALTH\\_PUBLICATIONS.htm](http://www.atiner.gr/docs/HEALTH_PUBLICATIONS.htm) for table of contents and order forms.

Please submit a 300-word abstract by email, [atiner@atiner.gr](mailto:atiner@atiner.gr), by **5 May 2014**-to: Dr. Paul Contoyannis (C.V.), Head, [Health Research Unit](#), ATINER & Associate Professor, McMaster University, Canada, 8 Valaoritou Street, Kolonaki, 10671Athens, Greece. Tel.: + 30 210 363-4210 Fax: + 30 210 3634209. Please include: Title of Paper, Full Name (s), Current Position, Institutional Affiliation, an email address and at least 3 keywords that best describe the subject of your submission. Please use the abstract submitting form available at <http://www.atiner.gr/2014/FORM-HEA.doc>. Decisions are reached within 4 weeks.

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**2<sup>nd</sup> Annual International Conference on Humanities & Arts in a Global  
World, 3-6 January 2015, Athens, Greece  
Call for Papers and Participation**

The [Arts and Humanities Research Division](#) (AHRD) of the [Athens Institute for Education and Research](#) (ATINER) is organizing its **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual International Conference on Humanities & Arts in a Global World** which will be held in Athens, Greece on 3-6 January 2015. In the past, the [five research units](#) of AHRD have organized 30 annual international conferences on history, philosophy, literature, linguistics, languages, as well as the visual and performing arts. This first annual international conference offers an opportunity for cross disciplinary presentations on all aspects of humanities, arts and related disciplines including Art, Art History, Classics, Literatures, Cultures, and Languages, English, Spanish, Italian, French, Chinese, Arabic, History, Linguistics, Philosophy, Religious Studies etc.

The registration fee is €300 (euro), covering access to all sessions, 2 lunches, coffee breaks and conference material. In addition, a number of social events will be organized: A Greek night of entertainment with dinner, a special one-day cruise to the Greek islands, an archaeological tour of Athens and a one-day visit to Delphi. Details of the social program are available at <http://www.atiner.gr/2015/SOC-HUM.htm>. Special arrangements will be made with local hotels for a limited number of rooms at a special conference rate. All areas of arts, humanities and related disciplines will be considered, including papers on education.

Please submit a 300-word abstract before **3 June 2014**, by email, to the [vice-president@atiner.gr](mailto:vice-president@atiner.gr) **Dr. George Poulos, Vice President of Research, ATINER**. Please include: Title of Paper, Full Name (s), Current Position, Institutional Affiliation, an email address and at least 3 keywords that best describe the subject of your submission. **Decisions will be reached within four weeks of your submission.** Please use the abstract submitting form available at <http://www.atiner.gr/2015/FORM-HUM.doc>.

If your submission is accepted, you will receive information on registration deadlines and paper submission requirements. Should you wish to participate in the Conference without presenting a paper, for example, to chair a session, to evaluate papers which are to be included in the conference proceedings or books, to contribute to the editing of a book, or any other contribution, please send an email to Dr. Gregory T. Papanikos ([gtp@atiner.gr](mailto:gtp@atiner.gr)), President, ATINER. The Athens Institute for Education and Research (ATINER) was established in 1995 as an independent academic association and its mission is to act as a forum, where academics and researchers - from all over the world - can meet in Athens in order to exchange ideas on their research and to discuss future developments in their disciplines.

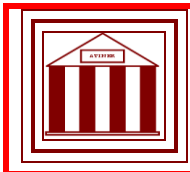
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