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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **RE: Annual International Conferences on Health Economics Management & Policy, Industrial, Technology Engineering, Foresight and Biology, 22-25 June 2015, Athens, Greece**

The [Athens Institute for Education and Research](http://www.atiner.gr) organized its 14<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Health Economics, Management & Policy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual International Conference on Industrial, Systems and Design Engineering, 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual International Conference on Technology & Engineering, International Conference on Foresight and its Annual International Conference on Biology, on Monday 22 June 2015 and Tuesday 23 June 2015, Titania Hotel (52 Panepistimiou Street), Athens, Greece.

The welcome and opening remarks of the conferences took place on **Monday 15 June 2015**, at **9:00 a.m.** and were given by Dr. **Gregory T. Papanikos**, President of the Institute & Honorary Professor, University of Stirling, UK, Dr. **George Poulos**, Vice-President of Research, ATINER & Emeritus Professor, University of South Africa, South Africa, Dr. **Paul Contoyannis**, Head, Health Research Unit, ATINER & Associate Professor, McMaster University, Canada and Dr. **Theodore Trafalis**, Head, Industrial Research Unit, ATINER & Professor of Industrial and Systems Engineering, The University of Oklahoma, USA.

During the two days of the conferences 98 papers were presented by 105 participants from 37 different countries (Albania, Australia, Botswana, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Croatia, Denmark, Egypt, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, India, Iran, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Mexico, New Zealand, Pakistan, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Slovenia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Taiwan, The Netherlands, Turkey, UK and USA).

The conferences' programs are available on:

1. <http://www.atiner.gr/2015/2015PRO-HEA.pdf> (Health Economics)
2. <http://www.atiner.gr/2015/2015PRO-ITF.pdf> (Industrial, Technology Engineering and Foresight)
3. <http://www.atiner.gr/2015/2015PRO-BIO.pdf> (Biology)

ATINER organizes 80 Annual International Conferences in 2015. More than 2500 professors and researchers from 100 and more countries are expected to participate in all conferences. All of them are taking place on an annual base and always in Athens. The list of the 2015 conferences is available on: <http://www.atiner.gr/2015Conferences.htm> and the 2016 conferences on <http://www.atiner.gr/2016Conferences.htm>.

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