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RE: Annual International Conferences, 30-31 May 2016, Athens, Greece, Titania Hotel (52 Panepistimiou Avenue), Athens.

On Monday 30 May 2016 and Tuesday 31 May 2016, the <u>Athens Institute for Education and Research</u> hosted its Annual International Conferences on **Tourism**, and **Visual and Performing Arts.** The Conferences were held at the Titania Hotel (52 Panepistimiou Street), Athens, Greece.

The opening speech and welcoming remarks were made by **Dr. Gregory T. Papanikos**, President of the Institute & Honorary Professor, University of Stirling, UK, and **Dr. George Poulos**, Vice-President of Research at ATINER & Emeritus Professor, University of South Africa, South Africa.

During the two days of the Conferences, more than 68 papers were presented by over 79 participants from 24 different countries (Algeria, Australia, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Finland, France, FYROM, Germany, Hong Kong, Italy, Mexico, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, UK and USA). All papers were presented in English.

The Conferences' and Symposium programs are available on:

- 1. http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-TOU.pdf (Tourism), and
- 2. http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-TOU.pdf (Visual and Performing Arts)

ATINER's Conferences take place on an annual basis and are always held in Athens. ATINER has organised close to 100 Conferences for this current year. More than 2500 Academics and Researchers from over 100 countries are expected to participate. The list of the 2016 Conferences is available on: http://www.atiner.gr/2016Conferences. The 2017 conferences are available on http://www.atiner.gr/2017Conferences.

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