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## <u>PRESS RELEASE</u>

RE: Annual International Conferences, 20-21 June 2016, Athens, Greece, Titania Hotel (52 Panepistimiou Avenue), Athens.

On Monday 20 June 2016 and Tuesday 21 June 2016, the Athens Institute for Education and Research hosted its Annual International Conferences on Health Economics, Management & Policy, Civil Engineering, Industrial, Systems and Design Engineering, Engineering, Foresight, Biology, Applied Engineering and Applied Science and Structural Engineering and Mechanics. 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 128 papers were presented by over 143 participants from 39 different countries (Albania, Algeria, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, China, Colombia, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Italy, Japan, Lebanon, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Poland, Russia, Serbia, Singapore, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, UK and USA). All papers were presented in English.

The Conferences' and Symposium programs are available on:

- 1. <a href="http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-HEA.pdf">http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-HEA.pdf</a> (Health Economics, Management & Policy),
- 2. <a href="http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-CIV.pdf">http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-CIV.pdf</a> (Civil Engineering),
- 3. http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-IND.pdf (Industrial, Systems and Design Engineering),
- 4. http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-ENG.pdf (Engineering),
- 5. http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-FOS.pdf (Foresight),
- 6. <a href="http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-BIO.pdf">http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-BIO.pdf</a> (Biology),
- 7. http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-SCI.pdf (Applied Engineering and Applied Science), and
- 8. <a href="http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-STR.pdf">http://www.atiner.gr/2016/2016PRO-STR.pdf</a> (Structural Engineering and Mechanics)

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: <a href="http://www.atiner.gr/2016Conferences">http://www.atiner.gr/2016Conferences</a>. The 2017 conferences are available on <a href="http://www.atiner.gr/2017Conferences">http://www.atiner.gr/2017Conferences</a>.

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