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RE: 4<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Humanities & Arts in a Global World, 3-4 January 2017, Athens, Greece

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The [Athens Institute for Education and Research](http://www.atiner.gr) announces its 4<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on **Humanities & Arts in a Global World**. The conference will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday 3-4 January 2017, at **St George Lycabettus Boutique Hotel** (2 Kleomenous Street, Kolonaki), Athens, Greece. The welcome speech given by ATINER President **Dr. Gregory T. Papanikos** will take place on Tuesday 3 January 2017 at 8:30 a.m. Professor **Papanikos**, in his inaugural speech, will discuss *“Democracy in Ancient Athens and in the Contemporary World”*.

During the two days of the conference, over 20 scientific papers will be presented by academics and researchers from 11 different countries on five continents (Canada, France, Israel, Japan, Poland, Romania, Spain, Tunisia, UAE, UK, and USA). In total, 8 conference sessions will be organized on issues such as history, philosophy, law, arts and humanities. The detailed conference program is available at <http://www.atiner.gr/2017/2017PRO-HUM.pdf>.

On Tuesday 3 January 2017, participants may attend a special round-table discussion on *“Teaching and Studying at the Tertiary Level in a Global World: Challenges and Prospects”* as part of this conference. The program of the roundtable discussion is available at <http://www.atiner.gr/events/3January2017Humanities.pdf>.

This is the first conference from ATINER's 2017 program of conferences, symposiums, forums, and other events. For the 2017 program, ATINER will organize 73 conferences and symposiums (see <http://www.atiner.gr/2017Conferences>) and more than 100 special panels (<http://www.atiner.gr/2017panels>) as part of these events.

ATINER was established in 1995 as an independent world member-based association of academics and researchers. Its mission is to act as a forum where academics and researchers from all over the world can meet to exchange ideas on their research and discuss future developments in their disciplines. Athens was chosen as the meeting place because of its long history and culture. Currently the Association has 2230 members from 115 different countries (<http://www.atiner.gr/all-members>).

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