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On behalf of the Workshop Organizing Committee, we would like to welcome you to the 1st Workshop on

INTERDISCIPLINARITY IN GEOSCIENCE IN THE CARPATHIAN BASIN (ICB)

in SUCEAVA, Romania, 18-21 October 2012
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1st ANNOUNCEMENT

On behalf of the Workshop Organizing Committee, we would like to invite you to participate in the 1st International Workshop “INTERDISCIPLINARITY IN GEOSCIENCE IN THE CARPATHIAN BASIN” (Suceava, Romania, October 18-21, 2012).

The purpose of this Workshop is to bring together an international group of scientists and the local researchers focusing on the Carpathian Basin, in order to share the results of their research and discuss and promote opportunities for collaboration on topics such as geography, environment, botany, geology, biology and ecology in the Carpathian basin, one of the least studied and promoted areas in Europe as yet. Furthermore, this workshop aims at an educational role by providing scientific training for young researchers and students by facilitating the contact with the latest developments in geosciences in the Carpathian region.

The Workshop will be centered on presentations, open debates and exchanges of ideas concerning a wide range of topics related to the progress in geosciences in the Carpathian Basin. The proceedings will feature keynote presentations, working group sessions, discussions and poster presentations.

The proceedings of the Workshop will be ensued by a field trip to the formerly glaciated alpine ranges of the Romanian Northern Carpathians.
The Workshop will be held in the venue of the University of Suceava, in the historic capital of the multicultural province of Bucovina, well known for the highest number of UNESCO monuments in Eastern Europe and its picturesque landscapes (http://www.usv.ro/index.php/en).

The papers submitted before September 15th 2012 and accepted for participation in the Workshop will be published in a special volume of the journal GEOREVIEW. Scientific Annals of "Ștefan cel Mare" University. Geography series (http://atlas.usv.ro/georeview/).

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We kindly invite you to submit abstracts for oral presentations and poster presentations addressing the following subjects:
1. Geography
2. Geology
3. Environmental Science
3. Biology
4. Ecology
5. Botany
6. Forestry
7. Geoarcheology
8. Environmental management

The preliminary programme of the Workshop will be compiled by the Organizing Committee as soon as the submissions for participation are received and accepted. The Workshop schedule will be distributed among the registered and attendance participants and will be available on the website of the University of Suceava, Romania.

We intend to publish a special volume of GEOREVIEW. Scientific Annals of "Ștefan cel Mare" University. Geography series (http://atlas.usv.ro/georeview/), provided that a sufficient number of high-quality contributions are received before September 15th 2012 (abstract and manuscript of the paper). All the manuscripts submitted for publishing will be reviewed according to the procedure of this journal (peer-review) until October 1st 2012.
Organizational fee:

The participation will be free of any charge for the participants who submit their abstracts and full manuscripts of the papers before 15\textsuperscript{th} September 2012 and whose papers are accepted for publishing in the GeoReview Journal following peer review by October 1\textsuperscript{st} 2012.

For the participants whose papers are accepted for publishing we will provide free participation, accommodation, meals and field trip, and we will cover transportation costs to Suceava.

For the participants who submit only the abstracts by September 15\textsuperscript{th} or whose papers have been rejected, there will be a partial fee for participation, accommodation, meals and field trip, depending on the available funds.

A 2\textsuperscript{nd} Circular with details regarding the List of participants and Lectures, Attendance, Milestones, Accommodation, Field Trip, Papers accepted for publishing in GeoReview Journal and other items of interest will be emailed on 1\textsuperscript{st} October 2012.

IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES

\begin{itemize}
\item \textbf{September 15\textsuperscript{th} 2012} – Deadline for submission: abstracts and papers (for the participants interested in publishing) attached to the registration forms should be sent until this date;
\item \textbf{October 1\textsuperscript{st} 2012} – We will send by email the 2\textsuperscript{nd} Circular with confirmation of participation in the conference, confirmation of the papers accepted for publishing in GeoReview, the programme of the Workshop (schedule of lectures) and other information of interest (booking of hotel rooms, funding and final fees).
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The number of participants is limited to 35.

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