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Registration

Registration fees (including VAT):
Early registration, before 30 Apr 2011:
€ 350,00 - Regular fee
€ 250,00 - Reduced fee for students
Late registration, after 30 Apr 2011:
€ 400,00 - Late regular fee
€ 300,00 - Late reduced fee for students

Accompanying person registration:
€ 200,00 - Accompanying person fee

Registration fees for participants
(regular and student) include:

- admission to all the scientific sessions
- abstracts book
- proceedings in CD
- coffee breaks
- welcome cocktail
- two light lunches and social events

Registration fees for accompanying persons include:

- welcome cocktail
- conference social dinner
- social events

Important dates

30 April 2011 - Early registration fee
20 June 2011 - Abstract submission due
18 July 2011 - Notification of acceptance to authors
31 August 2011 - Accommodation service
10 September 2011 - Manuscript submission due
28 September 2011 - Poster/Slides submission due

for more information
visit the conference website
<http://ect2011.physics.auth.gr>

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9th European Conference on Thermoelectrics

September 28-30, 2011
Thessaloniki, GREECE



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Conference announcement
Call for Papers

About ECT2011

It is our great pleasure to invite you to participate in the 9th European Thermoelectric Conference (ECT2011), in Thessaloniki, GREECE on September 28-30, 2011.

The series of European Thermoelectric Conferences (ECT) is promoted by the European Thermoelectric Society for favoring the dissemination in Europe of the scientific and technical progresses in the field of Thermoelectrics (TE), enhancing the communication between research institutions and industries for promotion of TE applications, providing a forum for exchange of information and achievements.

Experts, scientists and engineers from Research and Industry all around Europe and abroad, are all invited and expected for attending the conference and discussing the state-of-the-art of the technology, latest advances in material research, device design and market opportunities.

We feel confident that you will enjoy ECT2011 both scientifically and socially and that it will also be a wonderful chance to meet old friends and make new ones, and that the conference will be a memorable event.

On behalf of the Local Organizing Committee
Professor K.M. Paraskevopoulos

Scope of ECT2011

The conference cover a wide range of scientific research that bridges the gap between basic science and applications on thermoelectrics:

- **Theory:** theoretical studies of bulk materials, nanoscale and low-dimensional induced effects, novel concepts and related physical phenomena
- **Thermoelectric Materials:** Chalcogenides, skutterudites, antimonides, oxides, silicides & Heusler compounds, clathrates & zintl compounds, novel materials
- **Measurement & Characterization:** microstructure, properties
- **Thermoelectric Modules:** design and fabrication, thin film devices, device performance
- **System & Industrial Applications:** cooling applications, automotive applications, generator applications, other waste heat recovery, other industrial aspects

Thessaloniki

Thessaloniki is the second largest city in Greece, in the district of central Macedonia with a continuous 3000-year history. The exceptional strategic and geographical position of the city and its rich inland made it an important centre during the Hellenistic, Roman and Byzantine periods, as well as throughout the years of the Turkish occupation. Thessaloniki has always been considered as a major metropolitan area in the region, linking Western Europe and the northern Balkans to the "eastern Greek world" and the eastern Mediterranean world.

Its long multiethnic and multicultural history is documented in a wealth of monuments, from ancient ruins dating 23 centuries back to important churches dating from the 5th century and being still in use. Conference attendees will have the opportunity to visit monuments and museums in guided tour, organized by the conference secretariat.

Thessaloniki is a contemporary, diverse city that offers all modern facilities while at the same time remaining cozy and friendly. In its cosmopolitan atmosphere, tasteful restaurants are famous offering traditional and European plates and sweets.

Nearby Thessaloniki is the region of Chalkidiki, that is really a gifted place due to its natural beauty, its crystal waters and also the graphical as well as traditional villages. In Mount Athos, the eastern peninsula of Chalkidiki, monastic life has for more than 1000 years been a unique pilgrimage of Orthodoxy. It is preserving through the ages religious, cultural and historic treasures. Being on board you have the opportunity to admire from a slight distance the unique Mount Athos with its impressive Byzantine monasteries and be informed by the guide. This cruise is the only possibility for women to see Mount Athos!



Venue

Thessaloniki is located at the northern side of Greece, 500 km (310 miles) north of Athens. It is linked by air, train and bus with Athens and other European countries.

By Air

Thessaloniki has its own international airport "Makedonia" and flights connect it with major European cities. There are several local flights connecting Thessaloniki to Athens. The airport is situated 16 km (10 miles) away from the city. Car hire services, coach and taxi services are all available at the airport. For the taxis, the fare is around 15€.

By Train

Thessaloniki is connected by train to Athens and other Balkan cities. There is a regular rail connection to Athens several times a day. The journey is approximately 4h 15 min to 5h 45 min.

By Coach Bus

Buses link Thessaloniki to Athens and other main towns in Greece including villages in Chalkidiki as well. Bus tickets from Athens to Thessaloniki costs about 25 € and the trip takes 5h 30 min approx.

Abstracts & Papers

Papers dealing with thermoelectric and all subjects covered in the relative session are welcome in the Conference. Abstracts can be submitted through the site of the Conference. There will be oral presentations and poster sessions and the preference for oral or poster presentation should be provided by the corresponding author. Post deadline abstracts will be considered "as last minute posters". The abstracts will have one page length and must follow the guide lines in the site.

To the authors of accepted abstracts will be offered publication of their work in the Conference proceedings. The book of proceedings will be published in CD form. Authors have to send their full papers till September 10, 2011. Selected papers will be published in a peer reviewed journal.

The working language of the conference is English, which is used for all printed materials, presentations and discussions.

