

## **DRC Newsletter July 2012**

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- d. III. Danube-region Cohesion International Scientific conference,05-06 Sept 2012.(Extended registration deadline: 16/07/2012)

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## I a) Draft programme for the DRC Annual conference, 22.-23.11.2012 in Prague, CZ

Please find attached the draft programme and registration form for the next DRC annual conference.

Registration deadline is September 30<sup>th</sup> - we look forward to meeting you in Prague!

### I b) DRC – members can vote on new logo

The DRC Presidency and Permanent Committee decided last November to create a subtitle for the DRC, in order to show to the public that the activities of the DRC are not exclusively for the Rectors/ Deans but for all teaching staff members of the universities involved.

The new subtitle adopted was "Danube Rectors Conference - the Danube Region University Association".

As this new subtitle should also be included in the DRC logo, new ideas for a DRC logo were developed.

The DRC presidency thus kindly asks all DRC members to have a look at the 4 logo drafts listed on the website <a href="http://www.boku.ac.at/drc-newlogo-vote.html">http://www.boku.ac.at/drc-newlogo-vote.html</a> and to vote for the design that you like best by clicking on the logo.

Deadline for voting is September 3rd, 2012.

The final results will be published during the next DRC General Assembly on November 23rd, 2012 at CULS Prague

# II a) DANUBE REGION BUSINESS FORUM 2012 of Austrian Chamber of Commerce, 8.11.2012

Please find enclosed the draft programme and registration information for the Danube Region Business Forum on November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2012

II b) Intercultural Training for university teachers & international officers, 27.-31.8.2012, ELTE, HU

Between 27 and 31 August 2012 Eötvös Loránd University (HU BUDAPES01) Department of Intercultural Education and Mobility and Faculty of Education and Pedagogy, organizes the first **5-day Intercultural Training** for university teachers and international officers.

The one-week training programme focusing on interculturality has been designed for international officers and teachers, who work with international students and staff. The programme contains intercultural social activities, as well. The working language of the programme is English.

Please find enclosed the programme and the application form. We can accept up to 25 participants. As we would like to assure the most international atmosphere, we can accept 2 participants from one institution.

The registration fee is 550 €. The training programme/course will be organised provided there are at least 15 applicants.

The registration fee covers the contact hours, teaching materials, coffee breaks and some social programmes. The registration fee and the costs of money transfer, travel, accommodation, meal and some social programmes have to be covered by the participants. You can apply for Erasmus Staff mobility grant at your Home University.

If you are interesed in taking part in the Intercultural Training, please fill in the enclosed registration form and send it back to <a href="mailto:erasmus@elte.hu">erasmus@elte.hu</a>.

Application deadline: 3 August 2012.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact <a href="mailto:szekely.agnes@rekthiv.elte.hu">szekely.agnes@rekthiv.elte.hu</a> or <a href="mailto:erasmus@elte.hu">erasmus@elte.hu</a>.

# II c) 4 th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF ECOTOURISM - POTENTIAL FOR DEVELOPMENT ECOTOURISM DANUBE REGION

Please find attached further information on the conference and the registration form. Completed registration forms should be returned to the Ecotourism Serbia mail: <a href="mailto:region1@open.telekom.rs">region1@open.telekom.rs</a>

II d) III. Danube-region Cohesion International Scientific conference,05-06 Sept **2012.**(Extended registration deadline: 16/07/2012)

Please find attached further information on the conference and the registration form.

In case you want to disseminate conferences, workshops or similar events organized by your institution to the DRC Members, or should you have any questions or comments to DRC activities planned, please do not hesitate to send this information to the DRC Secretary General (<a href="mailto:margarita.calderon-peter@boku.ac.at">margarita.calderon-peter@boku.ac.at</a>) – it will be included in the next DRC Newsletters.