

7th International Congress on Transport Research

“From Basic research to innovative applications”

Athens, Greece, 5-6 November 2015

2nd Announcement

The **Hellenic Institute of Transport (H.I.T.)** and the **Hellenic Institute of Transportation Engineers (H.I.T.E.)** organize the “7th International Congress on Transport Research” with main theme: *“From basic research to innovative applications”*. The event will take place in Athens, Greece, at the Conference Hall (amphitheater) of the Ministry of Infrastructure, Transport and Networks, located at Holargos (2 Anastaseos Str. and Tsigante, PC 101 91), on 5 & 6 November 2015.

The International Congress on Transport Research (ICTR) series is considered a well established event in the transport sector in Greece and it is addressed to all members of the scientific community as well as to agencies and authorities of all government levels. It is also addressed to private sector industries activate in the design, development and implementation of innovative applications in the transport sector. Main goals of the conference are the presentation of recent research efforts and results, the consideration of contemporary developments in this area, the strengthening of the relationships between research, practice and public policy and the exchange of opinions and experiences in the transport research arena at the national and international level.

Authors aiming to submit scientific papers should do so by uploading the full paper by March 9, 2015. Papers may be written either in Greek or in English, containing an extended summary in the other language. Guidelines about paper preparation, submission and presentation are available at the conference website: www.ictr.gr.

The conference papers should fall into one of the following scientific areas:

- Sustainable Mobility
- Freight transport and Logistics
- Transport Safety and Security
- Energy and Environment
- Transport Economics and Policy

The 7th ICTR pertains to all transport modes (road, rail, maritime and air) as well as to cross and trans modality and aims at high quality papers which will be given the opportunity to be published at peer reviewed journals following additional evaluation and necessary context and format adaptations. The following are at the moment the journals which will consider publishing high standard papers of the 7th ICTR.

- International Journal of Transportation
- Shipping and Transport
- SPOUDAI - Journal of Economics and Business

In addition, the **7th International Congress on Transport Research** invites young researchers from Greek Universities who have either completed successfully their Ph.D. thesis in the last 24 months prior to the date of this announcement or are in the process of completing their research work, to submit jointly with their supervisors scientific papers related to their work and addressing one or more of the above areas. The evaluation of the young researchers' papers will be done separately from the evaluation of the normal conference papers. All accepted papers from young researchers will be presented in a special session and must be also prepared in poster format. The best of them will receive awards in memory of Prof. Matthew Karlaftis and Prof. Demetrios Tsamboulas, in a special conference ceremony. The criteria for selecting the three best papers will be excellence, innovation, potential impact to industry and society.

Important dates

09 March 2015: Full Paper submission deadline

26 June 2015: Author notification by the Scientific Committee

11 September 2015: Deadline for submission of final papers

For more information about the event please visit the conference website www.ictr.gr or contact info.ictr2015@gmail.com.