

**Second International workshop on  
RESEARCH IN SHALLOW MARINE AND FRESH WATER SYSTEMS**

**Second announcement**

**The second International Workshop “Research in shallow marine and fresh water systems” is going to take place in Milazzo (Sicily) from the 3<sup>rd</sup> to the 10<sup>th</sup>, October 2010.**

**There will be a full-week of scientific sessions, field trips and diving**

Detailed information will be available very soon on the conference web site

**Scientific sessions**

The scientific session (both oral and poster) will cover many aspects of the researches focused on shallow-water systems:

Biological and microbiological processes

Environmental contamination and protection

Chemical and physical processes

Geochemical and biogeochemical processes

Geological and archaeological researches

Technological advances for shallow waters researches

As researches in shallow marine and fresh waters can be done by divers, a particular attention is given to the scientific diving and we will have a special session on this topic.

**Abstract submission**

Submit your abstract including if you wish or not submit a manuscript for publication. A selected number of the papers presented at the workshop (either as oral or poster presentation) will be considered for publication on special issues of ISI scientific journals. The organizer has contacted the editors of Organic Geochemistry (Elsevier) Applied Geochemistry (Elsevier) Chemistry and Ecology (Taylor and Francis) and Advances in Oceanography and Limnology (Taylor and Francis). As the final decision will be taken by the Chief editors after having checked the list (number and titles) of the proposed papers, I strongly ask all of you to submit the registration form including a preliminary choice

of the most appropriate journal for your paper. The sooner the list will be completed, the easier will be to have a final response and a quick peer reviewing process.

The deadline for abstract submission is August 30. Detailed information and the form for abstract compilations will be available soon on the conference web

### Conference registration

The participants are kindly asked to submit their registration form as soon as possible. Even though there is no deadline (you can register on site if you like), to know the number of the participants (even rough) helps a lot for the conference organization. Please fill the attached form and send it to the organizer e-mail address ([f.italiano@pa.ingv.it](mailto:f.italiano@pa.ingv.it)).

### Conference fees

The conference fees are fixed at 350€ for regular participants and 200€ for students and accompanying persons. The conference fees cover the expenses for: abstract books, coffee breaks, lunches, diving and other excursions.

A list of the collateral activities will be available very soon on the conference web site.

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