



**2010 GEOECOMAR INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM
RIVERS – DELTAS - SEAS
FIRST CIRCULAR**

*Are you a marine / fluvial / wetland scientist?
Are you interested in presenting your results, discussing them with your fellow
scientists and hearing about research in other environments?
You are invited to participate at the “Rivers – Deltas – Seas” - 2010
GEOECOMAR International Symposium!!*

When: October 20th – 22nd, 2010

Where: Bucharest, Romania

The National Institute of Marine Geology and Geoecology – GeoEcoMar is one of Romania's lead R&D institutes, specializing mainly in the complex geological, sedimentological, geophysical, geo-ecological, geochemical study of the Danube River – Danube Delta – coast – Black Sea macro-geo-system. For GeoEcoMar, the years of active involvement and international scientific cooperation in the field of fluvial – wetland – delta – coastal – marine systems have created the opportunity to put together significant scientific results of research units from Europe and worldwide for a better common knowledge, understanding and collaboration.

Participants are strongly invited to submit papers based on their oral or poster presentations. These will be peer reviewed and published in GeoEcoMar's journal “Geo-Eco-Marina” after the peer reviewing process.

Symposium Topics

- marine geology, sedimentology, mineralogy, geophysics
- oceanography
- natural processes at river – sea interaction zones
- coastal sciences and integrated coastal zone management

- past and present climate changes and related impacts on ancient and actual marine systems
- numerical modeling of water and sediment transport in fluvial, coastal and marine systems
- natural hazards in marine and coastal areas and related early warning and intervention systems
- fluvial, freshwater and coastal wetlands, deltaic, coastal and marine ecology
- human impacts on wetland and coastal systems
- environmental remediation techniques and case studies
- deep geophysical structures
- carbon capture and sequestration

Important dates

Deadline for registration after first circular: **June 15th, 2010**

Selection and announcement of accepted presentations: **July 9th, 2010**

Second circular: **July 28th, 2010**

Start of the symposium: **October 20th, 2010**

Deadline for submission of manuscripts for peer review and publication: **October 22nd, 2010(during the Symposium)**

The Symposium Participation Fee of 150 Euro covers materials, coffee and lunch breaks. The Participation Fee for PhD and Master Students is of 80 Euro. A limited number of participants with limited financial possibilities may be exempt from the participation fee, in case of justified situations.

REGISTRATION – Available On-line

<http://www.geoecomar.ro/website/simpozion2010.html>

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All information regarding accommodation, programme details, events, travel arrangements, venue, etc. will be made available in the second announcement. The final number of plenary and/or parallel sessions will depend upon the number of participants and accepted presentations.