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***INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACH TO THE
DEVELOPMENT OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION***

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LETTER OF INVITATION

It is our pleasure to invite you to the Second International Scientific-Professional Conference "Interdisciplinary approach to the development of vocational rehabilitation", which will be held in November 2011 th in Brčko District, Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Centre for Education and Vocational Rehabilitation, Faculty of Education and Rehabilitation, University of Tuzla, Association of Disabled Persons of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the University Institute for Rehabilitation "Soča", Ljubljana, Slovenia as the organizers of the Conference will make this assembly to be interesting, inspiring for participants, ensuring exchange of information, making new contacts and exchange of knowledge and experience.

We believe that the need for unity of knowledge and skills is actual and useful to everyone. In this perspective we are very happy that the Conference will bring together representatives of persons with disabilities, policymakers, academics, international organizations, representatives of local and regional governments, representatives of civil society organizations and representatives of institutions dealing with vocational rehabilitation and employment issues from Republic of Slovenia, Austria, the Republic of Croatia, Republic of Serbia and England. Therefore, the main theme of this conference is dedicated to the interdisciplinary approach to the development of vocational rehabilitation, as the fundamental starting assumption of the integration of disabled persons in the world of work. Our aim is also to encourage dialogue on the implementation of the Law of Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the perspective of its implementation, and consider the course of preparation for full implementation of the process of adopting implementing regulations which are important for its full implementation.

Only together we can create a more effective model of vocational rehabilitation and successful integration of people with disabilities into work and your presence at the Conference will be a valuable contribution.

Doc.dr. Edina Šarić

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO SEE YOU IN BRČKO!

PARTICIPATION

Forms of participation:

- Invited lectures
- Oral presentation (presentation of individual research or topic)
- Round-table (discussion of the relevant professional or research topic)
- Symposium (works by various authors dealing with a common theme or a series of studies)
- Representing the organization, brochures, books and projects
- Participation without presentation

Methods of applying to participate:

By submitting the completed application form which is attached to this letter of invitation.

Preparation of abstracts and presentation of papers:

Abstract must be written in the official languages of BiH or in English. The abstract should contain no more than 350 words, excluding title, author's name and the name of the institution. It is necessary to specify the 3-5 key words. Abstract title should be CAPITALIZED. Specify the name of the author and co-author and institution, city and state of author and co-author, e-mail address of first author. Text should be written in a Word document, print Times New Roman size 12 with single spacing and justify.

Abstracts will not be edited separately, but will be published in a submitted form. Authors should indicate the type of presentation. Abstracts of empirical papers should include goals and / or the research problem, methodology, and the main results with emphasis on their interpretation. Since the number of presentations is limited, to enable as many authors to present their work, a person cannot be the author of more than two works.

Papers should be prepared by the following structure: title, name and surname of the author and co-author and the name of the institution, Introduction, Methods, Results and Discussion, Conclusion, References. References should be cited according to APA standards. For more information: <http://www.apa.org/journals/webref.html>.

Abstract should be submitted till October the 5th 2011. and complete works by October the 10th 2011. sent as an attachment to e-mail address centarpr@gmail.com or to the following address:

Faculty of Education and Rehabilitation University of Tuzla, Scientific section: Motor disorders and chronic diseases, Univerzitetska 1, 75000 Tuzla, Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Registration fee for participation in the Conference:

Registration fee for payments made until 09/30/2011. is 70 BAM (+ VAT), with additional discounts for two or more participants from the same organization.

For payments made from 01.10.2011. registration fee is 100 KM (+ VAT), with additional discounts for two or more participants from the same organization.

Daily fee for payments made until 30/09/2011. is 35 KM (+VAT).

Daily fee for payments made from 01.10.2011. is 50 KM (+ VAT).

Registration fee includes:

- Access to all conference sessions,
- Conference materials,
- Translation,
- A certificate of participation,
- Welcome Cocktail.

Daily fee includes:

- The presence of one-day sessions,
- Translation,
- Supporting materials.

Registration fee will be paid to following account:

CENTRE FOR EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION:

Account Number: 1321002010060198

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Note: Participants from abroad will have the option of paying the full fee of 100 KM (+ VAT) at the meeting.

Languages of the Conference:

The official languages of Bosnia and Herzegovina and English. Participants will be provided with interpreters during the conference.

For all information about the Conference, application forms, the possibility of accommodation in the Brčko District, and more, visit the website: www.erf.untz.ba

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