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First circular

**Annual Scientific Conference
of the Bulgarian Geological Society**

With international participation

“GEOSCIENCES 2012”

**December 13 – 14, 2012
Sofia, Bulgaria**

INVITATION

The Organizing Committee of “GEOSCIENCES 2012” has the pleasure to invite you to participate in the Conference which will be held on December 13–14, 2012th in the Ceremonial Hall of Sofia University “St. Kliment Ohridski” in Sofia, Bulgaria.

Annual Conferences of BGS won recognition as the most important scientific event in Bulgaria in the field of geology. The Program of “GEOSCIENCES 2011” covers wide spectrum of geological activities pointing out to actual problems and perspective fields of implementation of the scientific knowledge. The Conference provides possibilities for a broad dissemination of the results of scientific institutes, universities, departments, laboratories, companies and other organizations among the professional audience. We kindly invite also companies and institutions interested to advertise their activities to join “GEOSCIENCES 2012”.

Extended abstracts of scientific reports will be published in the Proceedings of the Conference and available during the Conference. Besides, full text reports presented during the Conference will have priority for publishing in the regular issue of the *Review of the Bulgarian Geological Society*.

We especially encourage the participation of students and young colleagues up to 35 years and their best presentations will be awarded.

We hope that your active participation will contribute to the successful realization of the Conference. Actual information is available on the website of BGS – www.bgd.bg

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Registration desk will be opened during the event as well.

Important dates:

Deadline for submission of extended abstracts and registration cards	October 11, 2012
Deadline for fee payment in reduced price	October 22, 2012

Registration fee

<i>Before</i> October 22, 2011	<i>After</i> October 22, 2011
50 €	60 €

The registration fee includes: presentation and publishing of one extended abstract as first author, participation in sessions, cocktail, coffee-breaks and the Proceedings of the conference. Acceptation of a second abstract as first author is admitted, after paying a second fee (50% reduced for a single participant), as poster, no more than 2 presentations will be accepted. The abstracts will be accepted after a peer-review. ***Only abstracts with paid registration fees will be accepted and published.***

The registration fee can be paid in cash to the treasurer of the BGS **Eugenia Tarassova** (Institute of Mineralogy and Crystallography, BAS, Phone +359-2-9797114; etarassova@mail.bg) or by bank transfer to:

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Companies and organizations will be given the opportunity to present their activity through exhibitions, printed materials, video films or other types of advertising during the event. The minimal area for presentation is 2 m² at 100 € per m².

The price for a page A4 with advertising materials included in the Proceedings of the Conference is 100 €. Activity presentation is possible as well as through the web page of the BGS. Prospects, catalogues and others can be presented during the days of the event.

Publications

Instructions to authors

Extended abstracts should be up to 2 pages (including figures, tables, +/- references), A4 format, with margins of 25 mm top and bottom, 20 mm left and right. Abstracts should be prepared according to the following structure:

- 1. First line** contains the **report title** (Times New Roman 12 pts, Bold, left alignment, without using capital letters).
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9. The main body text should be written in MS Word, Normal style, font Times New Roman, 11 pts, 1.0 spacing, first line 0.5 cm, justified. **Subtitles** (if available): Times New Roman, 12 pts, bold, left alignment.

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Tables (if available): 8, 16.5 or 23.5 cm wide, in MSWord:

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Text to the figures and tables should be in a separate file (Times New Roman, 10 pts).

All files should have the name of the first author plus extension indicating the content (text, fig, textfig, tab).

The abstracts should be submitted in digital form (required) and on paper to the Organising Committee (Lubomir Metodiev, see above) not later than, October 22, 2012th.

Instructions to authors willing to publish their reports in full text in *the Review of the Bulgarian Geological Society* can be found on the website of the Society – www.bgd.bg or in the hard copy of the *Review*. The manuscripts should be submitted to the Editor-in Chief Zlatka Cherneva (cherneva@gea.uni-sofia.bg.) not later than December 10, 2010th.