



9th ISEG

International Symposium on Environmental Geochemistry
Aveiro'12 | Portugal

Aveiro, Portugal, July 15-22, 2012

Dear Colleagues

We are very pleased to inform you that the University of Aveiro (Portugal) is organizing the 9th ISEG - International Symposium on Environmental Geochemistry, July 15-21, 2012. This international event is a joint organization of GeoBioTec Research Center and the CESAM Associated Laboratory. This event is also supported by the IAGC - International Association of Geochemistry, SEGH - Society of Environmental Geochemistry and Health and IMGA - International Medical Geology Association.

The event will ensure an international leading forum for scientists, consultants and public managers, working on the broad area of environmental geochemistry and health. The participants of the conference will convey expertise in a range of scientific fields, such as geochemistry, biology, engineering, geology, hydrology, epidemiology, chemistry, medicine, nutrition and toxicology.

For more details, please visit the conference web page -<http://9iseg.web.ua.pt/>.

We give you all a warm welcome to Aveiro (Portugal) in July 2012.

The Chair

Eduardo Ferreira da Silva

Venue

Known as the "Venice of Portugal", Aveiro is surrounded by salt-flats, beaches and lagoons, and dominated by the Central Canal running through town. Once a big sea port, Aveiro lies in a region of mountains cutted by valleys and fertile lagoon plains. The conference venue is the campus of Aveiro University, near the city centre. The conference is organized by the Aveiro University and the IAGC - International Association of Geochemistry. Other associations SEGH - Society of Environmental Geochemistry and Health and IMGA - International Medical Geology Association supports also this event.



Themes of the Conference

Like in the previous ISEG - International Symposium on Environmental Geochemistry meetings, contributions from all fields of environmental geochemistry and health are welcome. So far we envisage the following topics to play a major role during the meeting:

- Theme 01 - Potentially toxic substances in the environment
- Theme 02 - Geochemical mapping and human health databases
- Theme 03 - Medical geology, environmental pollution and public health
- Theme 04 - Urban geochemistry, contaminated land, waste management and life quality in cities
- Theme 05 - Biogeochemistry of trace elements, organic pollutants and radio-nuclides
- Theme 06 - Nanomaterials, Environment and Health
- Theme 07 - Environmental Risk and Management
- Theme 08 - Minerals and the environment
- Theme 09 - Perception and communication of environmental health risks
- Theme 10 - Environmental impacts of climate change and extreme events
- Theme 11 - Remediation of Contaminated Sites

Dates to Remember

Call for Abstracts - **May 1, 2011**

Deadline for abstracts - **November 30, 2011**

Notification of acceptance sent by - **March 31, 2012**

Registration fee deadline for the inclusion of abstracts in the Book of Abstracts - **April 30, 2012**

Early registration - **April 30, 2012**

arrival, registration, welcome party - **July 15, 2012**

working days - **July 16-20, 2012**

post meeting fieldtrips 1 & 2 - **July 21, 2012**

Deadline for Special Issue submission - **November 30, 2012**

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