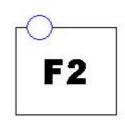
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2nd INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

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The 2^{nd} International Symposium "Advances in Financial Forecasting" will be taking place in October 21-26, at the Poseidon Hotel in the city of Loutraki, Greece (the photo above is the conference venue). The 2^{nd} AFF is part of the 2005 International Conference of Computational Methods in Sciences and Engineering http://www.uop.gr/~iccmse.

The symposium aims in bringing together scientists from across disciplines that have an interest in methods and applications in various areas of financial forecasting. Topics of interest include but are not limited to: Computationally Intensive Methods in Economics, Finance and Forecasting High Frequency Forecasting Directional Forecasting Nonlinear and Nonparametric models, Models for Asset Pricing Models for Risk Management, Models for Volatility and Correlation of Asset Returns, Models and Strategies for Trading Comparing performance of different models, Applications in Stock, Foreign Exchange and Fixed Income markets.

You are invited to submit a paper, extended abstract or a proposal for a session and to participate in the activities of the 2^{nd} AFF. Please visit the symposium website at the above address for further details or contact the symposium organizers at <u>aff@uop.gr</u>.

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