ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS - May 16, 2007

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP IN ECONOMICS AND FINANCE IWEF 2007

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The Department of Economics at the University of Peloponnese, Greece, is organizing the 1st International Workshop in Economics and Finance (IWEF 2007) between 15-16 June 2007. The aim of the workshop is to attract high quality papers from **all fields of economics and finance**, either theoretical or empirical. You are invited to submit a full paper or extended abstract or a proposal for organizing a session and to participate in the activities of the IWEF 2007. The workshop will feature a number of sessions and, as of this announcement, two invited lectures to be given by **Mike Clements**, University of Warwick, UK and **Leo Michelis**, Ryerson University, Canada.

Extended abstracts of the papers that will be accepted for presentation at the IWEF 2007 will appear in a special proceedings volume and a number of papers, selected after peer-review, will appear in a planned special edited volume.

If you are interested in participating in the IWEF 2007 please forward a complete paper or extended abstract or your proposal for a session to iwef@uop.gr. Please note that session organizers are responsible for attracting three (3) session participants. The registration fee is € 120 for regular submissions and € 60 for students and accompanying persons. The registration fee covers the expenses for cocktails, lunches and dinners as well as workshop materials and proceedings volume.

The deadline for submission of papers, abstracts or session proposals is March 25th 2007. Please note that full papers are welcomed but not required. The registration period for the workshop is February 15th to April 25th but papers can be submitted to <u>iwef@uop.gr</u> as of this announcement.

Updates and further information about the workshop, including hotel accommodations, can be found at the IWEF 2007 website at http://econ.uop.gr/~iwef.

The Department of Economics at the University of Peloponnese was founded in 2003 and is located at Tripolis, the capital city of the Prefecture of Arcadia, at the heart of the Peloponnesian peninsula. Tripolis is located about 170 km to the southwest of Athens and easily accessible by car or bus. The average car drive from Athens to Tripolis takes about 2 hours. Within an hour or so from Tripolis are located the city of Corinth and the ruins of Ancient Corinth (en route from Athens), the city of Nafplion (first capital of Greece) by the sea, the ruins of Ancient Mycenae and the ruins of Ancient Epidauros. The Prefecture of Arcadia is spotted with many areas of natural beauty and is ideal for short trips around Tripolis to many traditional villages.

