
August 27, 2016

Dear colleagues,

Thank you for your support for ISEH 2016, ISEG 2016, Geoinformatics 2016 Joint International Conference on Environment, Health, GIS and Agriculture, which was successfully held during Aug. 14-20, 2016 in Galway, Ireland! While the conference admin is still working on the final statistics, it is clear that we have attracted more than 300 participants from over 30 countries/regions! Both the quality and organization of this conference has been well recognized! This is attributed to all of you for your kind support! The final conference report will be posted on the conference website when it is ready. Here is some post-conference information for your attention.

1. Photos: Conference photos are ready for downloading. Please follow the link from the conference website to choose the photos to download: www.nuigalway.ie/iseh2016

2. Offer of free membership of SEGH (www.segh.net): As President of SEGH, I am delighted to offer ONE YEAR free membership (without journal subscription) for our conference delegates who are interested in joining in SEGH. The ONE year period (e.g., Jan. – Dec., 2017) and the membership fee will be negotiated with SEGH International Board. This part of membership fee will be covered by the conference budget in Galway. Those who are interested in taking this offer, please send me the following information via email Chaosheng.Zhang@nuigalway.ie, before September 30, 2016, when this offer expires:
   a. Name
   b. Affiliation
   c. Email address
   d. Keywords of your research interest
   (Notice: This offer expires on September 30, 2016!)

3. Announcement of future conferences of ISEH, ISEG & Geoinformatics:
   The announcement was made during the conference dinner of Aug. 16 in Galway, and the information is as follows. Please get prepared for the future conferences.
   - ISEH 2018 will be held in Shanghai (Organized by Fudan University), China, during summer 2018 (once every two years).
   - ISEG 2019 will be held in Beijing (Organised by Peking University), China, during summer 2019 (once every three years).
   - Geoinformatics 2017 will be held in Buffalo, the USA (To be available on https://cpgis.org)
   More information will be announced via email and on the conference website in Galway: www.nuigalway.ie/iseh2016

4. Instructions for Special Issues in Journals
During the conference in Galway, we had discussions with the Editors-in-Chief of Applied Geochemistry, Environmental Geochemistry and Health, and Environmental Pollution, and guest-editor of International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health. Following the general announcement during the closing ceremony of Aug. 17, here are the specific instructions for the four journals.

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A. **Applied Geochemistry (Invitation ONLY)**

“Dear delegates,

As many of you will have heard during the closing ceremony of the conference we plan to produce a special issue of the Elsevier journal "Applied Geochemistry" ([www.journals.elsevier.com/applied-geochemistry](http://www.journals.elsevier.com/applied-geochemistry)) dedicated to the results presented in Galway (theme "Environmental Geochemistry"). To keep the workload of the guest editors within reasonable limits we will start with "invited papers" only and the prospective authors will be contacted by the editorial team for the special issue during next week (week 35) and will be invited to submit their paper until the end of December 2016.

Once we know that we get enough papers for a special issue we will set up a button for submitting papers for this special issue on the Elsevier online paper submission page of Applied Geochemistry. Author guidelines etc. can be found on the journal’s internet page.

We will send more details to the invited authors.

Best regards
Clemens Reimann”

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Queries regarding this Special Issue should be directed to the Leading Guest-Editor! **DO NOT send your queries to conference chair!**

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B. **Environmental Geochemistry and Health (Invitation ONLY)**

A Special Issue for Environmental Geochemistry and Health is going forward on the “Invitation ONLY” basis. The Leading Guest-Editor will send an invitation message to those who are invited and provide specific instructions of submission in the near future.

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C. Environmental Pollution (No special issue from this conference)

It was decided that there will be no special issue in Environmental Pollution from this conference.

Delegates are welcome to submit their full papers to Environmental Pollution in the ordinary way.

D. International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health (Online submission is available)

A Special Issue for International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health is going forward. Please notice that this is an Open Access journal, and publication fee will be required.

The detailed instructions are available here:
http://www.mdpi.com/journal/ijerph/special_issues/ISEH

“Please find following some instructions about paper submissions.

(1) Authors may visit the *Instructions for Authors* before submitting your paper:
http://www.mdpi.com/journal/ijerph/instructions

(2) Please register (http://susy.mdpi.com/user/register/) and log in (http://susy.mdpi.com/user/login/) to the system before your submission.

Please check junk or spam mail box if you have not received the active link of your account.

(3) Once your manuscript is ready, please kindly submit it through our on-line manuscript submission and editorial system at: http://susy.mdpi.com/user/manuscripts/upload

(4) Our on-line submission system will request you to provide five potential reviewers and necessary information when you submit the manuscript.”

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Finally, I would like to thank you all again for your support! I hope all of you have had a good time in Galway, and hope to meet all of you again in the future conferences or other events!

Best regards,

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