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The Business & Economics Society International (**B&ESI**) invites you to participate in its **31st International Conference** to be held in the **Island of Crete, Greece**, at the **Minoa Palace Resort & Spa, July 6-9, 2017**. The conference welcomes academics (business/economics professors and administrators), as well as corporation / government executives and economists. Participants may organize panels, present papers, participate in poster sessions, chair sessions, discuss papers, participate in round-table discussions, or simply observe. The program will consist of small concurrent sessions with: chairperson, presenters, and at least one discussant assigned to comment on each paper; poster sessions; roundtable thematic discussion sessions with moderator; workshops and panels; time allocated for each presenter is 20 minutes. To ORGANIZE PANELS please ask for **Panel Organizer Guidelines**. The fee for each participant in the panel, except the organizer, is \$420. The fee for the panel organizer is \$200. To participate as a PRESENTER please submit ABSTRACTS and/or PAPERS:

ABSTRACT/PAPER SUBMISSION AND REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2017

Please, submit your abstract (of no more than 200 words) via email hkan@besiweb.com by **MARCH 15, 2017**. Additionally, mail two hard copies of your abstract as follows: **B&ESI, 64 Holden Street, Worcester, MA 01605-3109, USA**. All abstracts submitted would be evaluated for presentation and publication in the Book of Abstracts, which will be available at the Conference. You may submit abstracts for no more than 2 papers. Abstracts/papers must not have been published, accepted, or submitted for publication elsewhere. The categories that best fit your paper must be typed on the top right corner of the front page (See below table titled "Subject Category Title and Number"). For co-authorships please include names, affiliations, and addresses of all authors and indicate who will serve as presenter. The title of your abstract(s) or paper(s) is(are):

FINAL PAPER SUBMISSION DEADLINE: APRIL 30, 2017

Please submit via post 2 hard copies of the paper(s) and a disk or CD containing the manuscript(s) in Word by **APRIL 30, 2017**. Unless you instruct us otherwise, all papers will pass a double-blind peer review process for publication consideration in the '2017 GLOBAL BUSINESS & ECONOMICS ANTHOLOGY', a volume of selected papers from the Conference. [Format instructions will be attached to the acceptance for publication letter. Manuscripts of more than 12 single-spaced pages of text (font: times, size=10) inclusive of graphs, tables, endnotes and references will be considered at \$10 per additional page].

SUBJECT CATEGORY TITLE AND NUMBER 1/2:

ACCOUNTING (A1)
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CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM (B&ESI Conference, July 6-9, 2017, Island of Crete, Greece)

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CONFERENCE FEES (DUE MARCH 15, 2017)

- 1. Registration Fee \$420 x ____ = _____
- 2. Attending Co-Author Fee &
Panel Organizer only \$200 x ____ = _____
- 3. After **March 15, '17** Add Late Fee \$50 x ____ = _____
- 4. Guest / Companion Fee (provide name) \$85 x ____ = _____

Total Amount Due = _____

Note: Registration fees include "guest speaker-awards" luncheon, reception, coffee/tea breaks, one volume of the **2017 GLOBAL BUSINESS & ECONOMICS ANTHOLOGY** and access to all Conference presentations and sessions.

**PLEASE POST YOUR REGISTRATION FEES NO LATER THAN
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Refunds: Individuals applying for program participation but not accepted are eligible for fee refunds. Cancellations must be in writing and are subject to a \$40 handling fee. No refunds will be given for cancellations after **May 15, 2017**. Refunds will be processed after the conference.

**MINOA PALACE RESORT & SPA – ISLAND OF CRETE, GREECE
(RESERVATION FORM) (Block Name: B&ESI Conference, July 6-9, 2017)**

The Minoa Palace Resort & Spa is a 5* luxury hotel and low-rise bungalow complex, situated 12km west of Chania city center and 24 km from Chania International Airport. It is situated in Platanias region, a significant part of Chania prefecture. Just a 5-minute walk from the town's center, the hotel is ideally located just beside the bars and restaurants of the cosmopolitan town, but far enough so that the traveler will maintain her / his tranquility. A block of rooms has been reserved until **May 15, 2017**. Reservations made after that date will be subject to hotel availability; please reserve as early as possible. **The room rate for single or double, inclusive of taxes and buffet breakfast, is € 170.** You may book directly to the hotel via post, email attachment or fax. You may pay by international money order (payable in Euros to the Minoa Palace Resort & Spa) or credit card (Visa, Diners Club, MasterCard, and American Express.) The first night's deposit is required with reservation.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____

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