# Water Treatment Technologies for the Removal of High-Toxicity Pollutants

### September 13-16, 2008, Košice, Slovakia

We would like to invite you to take a part at NATO Advanced Research Workshop on Water Treatment Technologies for the Removal of High-Toxicity Pollutants, organized by Institute of Geotechnics of Slovak Academy of Sciences and School of Public Health "A. Stampar", Medical School, University of Zagreb.

The main objective of the ARW is to promote the progress and knowledge in the field of water treatment technologies with the respect to problems related to high toxicity pollutants, such as arsenic, mercury, cadmium etc. in environment, especially in drinking waters. To discuss the state-of-the-art, the latest developments, and advanced technological innovations by exchanging the information required in the field of water treatment technologies. To describe the importance of city's water supplies and their security and safety. All aspects of living and working environment impact, along with a policy making towards environmental security will be discussed. Also, special attention will be given to the development and implementation of treatment technologies and speciation and modeling.

## Topics

- · High toxicity pollutants in waters and water treatment technologies
- · Water safety and policy making
- · Modelling of treatment technologies and processes

#### Venue







Košice, today a city of more 250 thousand citizens, is situated in the eastern Slovakia, and has long been the most important cities of eastern Slovakia. Nowadays, it is a cultural, social and economic centre with history written for centuries.

Košice can be reached easily from all over Europe. The city center is just as 20 minutes from Košice international airport. The train station and bus station are situated in the city center. The city is placed about 400 km from Bratislava and approx. 460 km from Vienna and could be reached easily by plane and direct IC train as well.

Weather in Košice in September is pleasant with usual temperatures 14-22°C. Nights are cooler, about 10-12°C. Rain occurs weakly, if any, should not last long.

# Important Dates

Important May 15th, 2008 Deadline for application

May 30th, 2008 Selection of participants and notification of acceptance July 30th, 2008

Deadline for payment of registration fee September 13th, 2008

Registration and submission of full manuscript September 13-16th, 2008 ARW sessions

#### International Organizing Committee

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The application form is available at NATO ARW web site http://www.saske.sk/arw

#### Key Speakers

S. Bijeloviæ (Serbia)

A. Criscuoli (Italy)

G. P. Gallios (Greece)

I. Havezov (Bulgaria)

G. Kagramanov (Russia)

V. Kendrovski (Former

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