On behalf of the European Network of Excellence NANOFUN-POLY We are pleased to announce the organization of the



5<sup>th</sup> International ECNP Conference on NANOSTRUCTURED POLYMERS AND NANOCOMPOSITES

> which will take place in Paris, France **from April 15th to 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009** at Arts & Métiers ParisTech Bld. de l'Hospital, Paris (Metro Place d'Italie)

*This symposium is organized by IMP* UMR#5223 Lyon - *ECNP in collaboration with Arts et Métiers ParisTech* 

Scientific topics:

Chemistry of nanostructured polymers and copolymers Physics of soft matter in nanostructured polymers: relaxation phenomena, optoelectronic and magnetic properties Nanostructured blends and copolymers Nanofillers: carbon nanotubes and nanofibers, hybrids, POSS, nanocellulose Nanostructured coatings and adhesives Processing of nanostructured polymers and nanocomposites Advanced characterization techniques Mathematical modelling Life Cycle Analysis

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# CONFERENCE VENUE

The conference will be held at the amphitheatre of Arts et Métiers ParisTech located in Bld. de l'Hôpital, Paris (Metro Station: Place d'Italie).

# DEADLINES

A 1-page abstract, inclusive of graphs and references with author name, address, e-mail, phone and fax number should be sent by January 31, 2009, to sylvain.baudu@insa-lyon.fr January 31, 2008 Submission of Abstracts

# February 15, 2008 Acceptance of Abstracts

All papers will be considered for eventual publication in the international scientific journal launched by NANOFUN-POLY: Journal of Nanostructured Polymers & Nanocomposites.

# CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEES

The conference registration fees cover:

- Admission to three days conference sessions
- Welcome reception, coffee breaks and Conference Banquet
- Book of abstracts and pen drive

Registration and Payment until March 1, 2009:

Participants: Euro 400, Students: Euro 200 (letter from advisor requested) *Registration and Payment after March 1, 2009:* Participants: Euro 450, Students: Euro 250 *Contact address for registration* Sabine Danieli, ECNP/INSTM Via Giusti, 9, 50121 Firenze, ITALY Phone: +39 055 233871 Fax +39 055 2480111 *E-mail:* sdanieli@instm.it

#### ACCOMODATION

Accomodation will be not provided by the Conference organization, since Paris is well served with a wide selection of hotels. The conference site is in down town Paris, a few steps from Place d'Italie.

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