International Conference on Raw Materials and Circular Economy

# "Raw Materials: setting the foundations for the Green Transition"





### **1ST ANNOUNCEMENT**

We are happy to announce that the 2nd International Conference on Raw Materials and Circular Economy "RawMat2023" is going to take place in Athens, Greece in 28 Aug. - 2 Sept. 2023. The thematic areas of RawMat2023 shall address a wide range of raw materials-related activities, including exploration, mining, mineral processing, metallurgy, energy, waste valorization, recycling, Industry 4.0 transformation, etc., with emphasis on Green Transition issues. We are convinced that the Conference will, once again, bring together industry executives and engineers, junior and senior scientists, stakeholders and policy makers, professionals and academics from the whole raw materials value chain.

## **BACKGROUND:**

The 1st International Conference "Raw Materials and Circular Economy - RawMat2021" took place in Athens, Greece in September 2021.

RawMat2021 was strongly embraced by the raw materials value chain community and attracted 243 scientific presentations of very high quality, including 9 plenary talks and 22 keynote lectures. RawMat2021 was attended by more than 450 delegates from 22 different countries. The event was sponsored and actively supported by 29 private companies and public organizations, and its Proceedings were published in peer-reviewed journals.

Delighted by the success of RawMat2021 and considering that the raw materials sector is always, and nowadays even more, under the spotlight, its Organizing Committee decided to make the Conference a recurrent biannual event.

RawMat2023 shall provide an excellent opportunity for an interactive dialogue on recent advances, innovations and trends, in exploration, mining, mineral processing, metallurgy, energy, waste valorization, recycling, Industry 4.0 transformation, etc.

#### RawMat2023 will include:

- Keynote lectures
- Oral presentations
- Poster presentations
- -Workshops
- Round tables
- Invited talks

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

1st Announcement	20 May 2022
2 <sup>nd</sup> Announcement	30 June 2022
Call for workshops and special sessions open	01 Sep 2022
Call for workshops and special sessions deadline	30 Nov 2022
Abstract submission open	01 Jan 2023
Abstract submission deadline	31 Mar 2023
Abstract acceptance	15 Apr 2023
Early bird registration	30 April 2023
Registration deadline for authors	15 June 2023
Full paper submission deadline	15 June 2023
3 <sup>rd</sup> Announcement/preliminary program	30 June 2023
Conference opening	28 Aug 2023



## Organized by:

- National Technical University of Athens,
  School of Mining and Metallurgical Engineering
- Technical Chamber of Greece



More info will become available on the RawMat2023 website (to be launched shortly)