The HINC kick-off meeting and one-day conference

The HINC kick-off meeting and one-day conference have been hosted by the 13th Panhellenic Scientific Conference in Chemical Engineering 2022.

PSCCE has taken place at the University of Patras, June 2-4, 2022.

On behalf of HINC we thank the organizers of the 13th PSCCE, for providing us with all the necessary support and infrastructure (IT personnel, rooms, multimedia equipment).

1. Friday, June 3. The Hellenic InterPore National Chapter had its kick-off meeting and elected the Steering Committee.

The kick-off meeting was hybrid to give the opportunity to all the Founding Members to participate.

On Friday, June 3, following an announcement addressed to all PSCCE participants, we have gathered to introduce HINC (profile, objectives and scope), and get to know each other.

The HINC founding members nominated the members of the Steering Committee and all participants agreed.

The HINC Steering Committee is:

- Chair: Marios Valavanides, University of West Attica (UniWA)
- **Vice Chair: Christos Tsakiroglou,** Inst. Chemical Engineering-Foundation of Research and Technology Hellas (ICE/HT-FORTH)
- Secretary: Andreas Yiotis, Technical University of Crete (TUC), (yiotis@mred.tuc.gr)

The Steering Committee will work towards expanding HINC's network within the local porous media and applications community.

A LinkedIn HINC group was set-up: https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12660308/

Photo on Kick-off meeting Steering Committee nomination (L to R: Yiotis, Tsakiroglou, Valavanides) is available <u>by clicking here.</u>

2. Saturday, June 4 - HINC Mini-Symposium / PSCCE Special Session on "Processes in Porous Media"

As scheduled in the 13th PSCCE Technical Program, the Special Session on "Processes in Porous Media" took place on Saturday, June, 4, 16:00-18:45.

The Special Session comprised 11 oral presentations, chaired by N. Karadimitriou (U. Stuttgart), M. Valavanides (UniWA), T. Steriotis (NCSR Demokritos) -- https://pesxm13.chemeng.upatras.gr/sites/default/files/Program/day3_2.pdf.

Photo / Chairing of the "Processes in Porous media" special session 9L to R: Karadimitriou, Steriotis, Valavanides) is available by clicking here.