



# International Symposium on Kaz Mountains (Mount Ida) and Edremit Global Change in the Mediterranean Region

October 22-24, 2010, Edremit-Turkey

## FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

### Welcome

Dear Colleague,

We would like to invite you to attend the "International Symposium on International Symposium on Kaz Mountains (Mount Ida) and Edremit- Global Change in the Mediterranean Region" to be held 22-24 October 2010. The meeting is hosted by Edremit Municipality.

This symposium is organized to bring together academic scientists, from different countries to meet and do discuss current research. The Symposium is broad in scientific scope, are open to all academicians those interested, in the geography, history, culture, settlement, population, tourism, ecosystems, climate, olive agriculture, ecology, mythology, vegetation, botany of Mediterranean Region.

All papers presented at the symposium will be published in Symposium Proceeding Book. Call for abstracts and papers are now open. Abstracts will be accepted until May 1, 2010. Abstracts of no more than 400 words should be submitted to: [kazdagisymposium@gmail.com](mailto:kazdagisymposium@gmail.com)

The language of the symposium will be English.

For further information and updates about the symposium, please visit the Symposium website at: <http://kazdaglari2010.com>

In addition to the academic programs at the Symposium, we have also organized excursions and do hope we will be able to give you a flavor of our beautiful region and its culture.

Please note that ALL APPROVED PARTICIPANTS from abroad will be accommodated at the Hotel FREE of CHARGE. There is no fee for registration and field trips.

We look forward to receiving your abstract and seeing you in Edremit, Turkey in October 2010.

Best Regards,

Prof. Dr. Recep EFE

On Behalf of Symposium Organizing Committee

### Symposium Themes

The Symposium is broad in scientific scope, includes a wide range of themes addressed by scientists from diverse natural and social science disciplines. Symposium is open to all academicians those interested, in the subjects listed below on Mediterranean Region.

Agriculture	History
Archeology	Geomorphology
Art	Hydrology
Biodiversity	Land Use, Land Cover Change
Botany	Literature
Climate	Mountain Ecosystem Management
Disasters	Mythology
Ecology	Olive
Economy	Protected Areas
Environment	Sociology
Forestry	Soil
Geography	Tourism
Geology	Vegetation

**Aim of the Symposium:** The aim of this interdisciplinary Symposium is to bring together the scientists from Mediterranean region and around the world in order to present the latest scientific results on all aspects of research on Mediterranean Region.

### **Scientific Advisory Committee**

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### **Circulars and Deadlines**

First Announcement and call for papers	25 February 2010
Submission of abstracts	01 May 2010
Notification of authors	10 May 2010
Submission of full papers	01 September 2010

## Symposium Time Schedule

### Friday, October 22, 2010

10:00 - 10:30 Welcome  
10:30 - 12:30 Keynote Speakers  
12:30 - 14:00 Lunch  
14:00 - 17:00 Presentations

### Saturday, October 23, 2010

09:30 - 12:30 Presentations  
12:30 - 14:00 Lunch  
14:00 - 17:00 Boat Trip  
17:00 - 19:00 Closing Plenary  
19:00 - 21:00 Symposium Dinner

### Sunday, October 24, 2010

08:30 – 10:30 Field Trip to Kaz Mountains

**Submission and Registration:** Please fill out the Registration Form and sent to:  
[kazdagisymposium@gmail.com](mailto:kazdagisymposium@gmail.com)

## Presentations

Each session contains 15 minute presentations for specific topical perspective. Each session will include oral presentations, discussions and posters. Coffee and light refreshments will be provided for all delegates during the scientific sessions.

## Proceedings

All papers presented at the symposium will be published in Symposium "Proceedings Book".

## Venue and Location

International Symposium on Kaz (Ida) Mountain and Edremit will be held at Sukru Tunar Culture Center in Edremit town located on the Aegean Coast of Western Turkey.

## Excursions

The two excursions (Boat trip and Kaz Mountain Trip) will take place mid and after the Symposium. Field trips are **free** for the delegates.

## Accommodation

**Free accommodation** at the hotel will be provided for participants.

## Ground transportation

**Free** transportation will be provided to delegates to and from their accommodation and the symposium venue or the venue of social events.