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Dear colleagues:

Herewith I send you a few astrobiology news which you are kindly asked to distribute among your national astrobiology community:

1. The 9th European Workshop on Astrobiology "EANA'09", which will take place October 12-14, 2009 in Brussels has opened its website: <http://www.exobiologie.be/eana/>.
2. The abstracts of the last Workshop "EANA'08" are now published: Orig Life Evolut. Biosph. Special Issue, 39, 1-89. There should be a free copy available for a limited time under: <http://www.springer.com/earth+sciences?SGWID=0-10006-0-0-0> however so far I did not succeed to get it.
3. The 17th IAA Humans in Space Symposium, Moscow, Russia has extended the Deadline for abstract submission to 12 March 2009: iaa-his2009.imbp.ru
4. There will be a joint ESA-ASI workshop on „Methane on Mars: Current Observations, Interpretation and Future Plans“, held on 25-27 November 2009, at ESA/ESRIN in Frascati, Italy: <http://www.congex.nl/09c26/>
5. ESF-LESC has issued a 2009 Call for Exploratory Workshops proposals - aimed at events to be held in 2010 – which is now available on the ESF website at <http://www.esf.org/activities/exploratory-workshops.html> , The deadline for submitting proposals is 30 April 2009
6. The EPS-congress in 2009 will take place in Potsdam: <http://meetings.copernicus.org/epsc2009/>; the organizers call for suggestions for sessions. Contact person for astrobiology is Helmut Lammer: [helmut.lammer@oeaw.ac.at]

You find this and many other interesting news including a listing of open positions for PhD-students and postdocs on our EANA website: <http://www.astrobiologia.pl/eana/>.

Please, provide information which you would like to see on the EANA website directly to Ewa Szuszkiewicz: szusz@fermi.fiz.univ.szczecin.pl, with a copy to me.

Thank you very much for your help to keep EANA a living association.

With best regards

Dr. Gerda Horneck
President of EANA

P.S. Please, spread this information to your colleagues interested in astrobiology