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GGI WORLD CONFERENCE
18 - 21 OCTOBER 2012
ROME, ITALY

Dear GGI Member,
Dear Friend,

We are delighted to extend a cordial invitation to our **GGI World Conference**, kindly hosted by GGI member firm Refidata srl. The conference will be held in **Rome, Italy**, from **18 until 21 October 2012**.

We now have the pleasure in providing you with some conference details below:

Arrival

Parco Dei Principi Hotel & Spa Rome has a stunning view over the Villa Borghese park and the exclusive Parioli district.

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The closest airport to the Parco Dei Principi is the International Airport Fiumicino in Rome, which lies 16 miles southwest of Rome and is linked to the city by train and by road.

For taxi information please click below link:

Taxi Fiumicino Airport: <http://airportstaxitransfers.com/transportation/taxi/Rome-Transfers>

The ride by train lasts approximately 30 minutes and goes as far as the central railway station of Rome, Termini. From the central railway station we recommend you to take a taxi. The average fare is about EUR 10.00. Extra charges for luggages or night rides might apply. The use of licensed taxis (white cars with official fare metre available outside the train station) is highly recommended.

Program

The draft of the program is enclosed; however, the details of Delegate and Partner programs are still to be finalized and will be forwarded to you prior to the conference. **Please note that times and program might be slightly changed.**

We are pleased to offer the following sightseeing tour options:

Friday, 19 October 2012 for Accompanying Persons

Castelli Romani Tour / Winery Cantina Santa Benedetta

A delightful 45 minutes drive will take us to the Roman Hills area, to enjoy the pleasant scenery of vineyards, hills, valleys and lakes. Southeast of Rome, this area is mainly known as the The Castles of Rome, but is actually a series of scattered hilltop villages.

We will enjoy a private guided tour through famous Castel Gandolfo, the summer residence of the Pope, regarded as one of the most beautiful villages in Italy. We will have time to stroll around the narrow streets, enjoy the marvellous atmosphere and buy local products.

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We then continue on to Frascati to savour a visit to the vineyards of Cantina Santa Benedetta, one of the traditional and oldest wineries in the Roman Hills. During the wine tasting the production method will be explained and different wines will be introduced by the owners of the winery. You will be served a delicious lunch in these gorgeous surroundings.

Saturday, 20 October 2012 for Delegates and Accompanying Persons

Please register online for one tour of your choice:

- a) Vatican Museums, Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica
Within the small, independent state of the Vatican City, there is an exceptional artwork collection covering every era. The rooms and galleries numbering over one thousand are known collectively as the Vatican Museums, containing amazing art treasures collected by the Popes over centuries.
With our private tour guides we will discover the fascinating Candelabra Gallery, the Gallery of Tapestries designed by the School of Raphael, the Gallery of Geographical Maps, the Raphael rooms and the impressive Sistine Chapel, built in the 15th century as a private chapel for the Popes. Admire Michelangelo's masterpieces such as the magnificent frescoed ceiling with, above all, the Last Judgement. Afterwards we will visit St. Peter's Basilica, the centre of the independent state of the Vatican City.
- b) Ancient Rome
We will explore with our private tour guides the famous Colosseum, symbol of the "Eternal City", before proceeding to the awe inspiring Roman Forum, religious, political and commercial centre of the Imperial world, and the Palatine Hill, where according to legend, Romulus and Remus were raised by a wolf in a cave, the most famous ancient sites of the city.
- c) Culinary Rome Tour
Food is an important part of the Italian culture. Therefore the culinary tour is a very apt way to travel around Rome and to immerse oneself into the Italian way of life. On our private guided excursion we will pass by the Piazza San Ignazio, the Pantheon and the Piazza Navona. We will also have the special opportunity to taste some local specialties as black and white truffle, Italian cheese, wine, Italian coffee, and the famous truffle ice cream.

For further sightseeing options prior to and/or after the conference, please contact the local event agency, Context Travel, who are pleased to provide you with a wide variety of programs during your stay in Rome.

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E: liz@contexttravel.com, W: www.contexttravel.com
Contact Person: Ms. Liz Roller

If you would like to book a tour, please book it online on www.contexttravel.com. If you put the words **"GGI conference"** in the **"How Did You Hear About Us"** field, you will receive a **10% discount**.

Kindly note there is no Golf Tournament organised by GGI on Thursday, 18 October 2012.

Furthermore, you are very welcome to contact our local GGI member and host firm, Refidata srl., if you need any further support for sightseeing options / travel tips in Rome:

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Practice Group Meetings

We are glad to inform you that some Practice Group meetings will take place during the conference. Please register using the online application form. If you have any contributions for the agenda or if you require further information related to the meeting, please contact the Practice Group chairperson directly.

Thursday, 18 October 2012, 14:30 – 18:00:

- **International Taxation**
Oliver Biernat, o.biernat@benefitax.de

Friday, afternoon, 19 October 2012, in two rounds:

Round One, 14:00 – 15:30:

- **Auditing, Reporting & Compliance**
Dr. Thomas Geiger, t.geiger@munkert.de
- **Corporate, Commercial & IP**
Ady Nordman, nordman@ip-law.co.il
- **Enhanced Business Opportunities**
Elisabeth Heller, e.heller@hellerconsult.com
- **Immigration & Expatriate Services**
Ionut Catalin Zeche, izeche@mirus-group.eu
- **Labour Law**
Jeffrey Kenens, kenens@tk.nl
- **Private Equity & International Wealth Management**
Prof. Robert Anthony, robert@antco.com
- **Public Procurement**
Dr. Laszlo Tunyogi, tunyogi@ggi.com
- **Renewable Energies**
Dr. Michael Bihler, mbihler@law-wt.de

Round Two, 16:00 – 17:30

- **Debt Collection & Restructuring**
Dr. Attila Kovács, kovacs.attila@krs.hu
- **International Dispute Resolution**
Johan F. Langelaar, langelaar@tk.nl
- **M & A**
Dr. Tim van der Meer, t.vandermeer@marktlink.nl
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- **Task Force Financial Crisis**
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- **Trust & Estate Planning**
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- **VAT (Sub-group ITPG)**
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Application

Because of the strict booking conditions, please register online as soon as possible, latest **by 30 July 2012**. We cannot guarantee any bookings made after this date.

Please note that an **Early Bird Rate** will be granted to all participants registering **before 30 July 2012** (for details, please refer to the online application form).

Conference fee – Parco Dei Principi Hotel & Spa 5* Deluxe

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PARCO DEI PRINCIPI HOTEL IS ALREADY FULLY BOOKED!

Conference fee – Hotel Borromini Rome 4* (limited spaces available) – TBC!

Alternatively to the conference hotel Parco Dei Principi we will organize some additional single rooms in the Hotel Borromini Rome (tbc), which is located 1.3 km from the conference hotel (approximately 10-15 minutes walk).

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The conference fee includes:

- Accommodation at Hotel Borromini Rome (3 nights) - tbc
- Meals as specified in the program
- Conference facilities

One Delegate (single room):
Regular Price

€2,080.00



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Payment

An invoice will be issued on receipt of your application. Since the payment terms are equally as stringent as the booking conditions, we kindly ask you to stick to all deadlines. We are convinced you understand that you can only participate if we have received your conference fee in full within the specified time limit.

We look forward to meeting you soon in Rome!

Yours faithfully,

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