

The postgraduate program “Information Technologies in Medicine and Biology” invites you to the following informational event:

**“Medical Informatics and Bioinformatics – Two new scientific disciplines with opportunities and challenges”**

organized on **Thursday 12/05/2011**, at **5-7 pm**, in **room A2** of the Department of Informatics and Telecommunications, University of Athens.

This event attempts to address the needs of perspective graduate students who want to get informed about these two new cross-disciplinary fields. It is organized as follows:

- **Elias S. Manolakos, Ass. Professor and Director of the program, will first present briefly an overview of the ITMB program (details at <http://itmb.di.uoa.gr>)**
- **Then three distinguished guests will talk to the students about their experience working in Greece in these emerging fields:**

**Dr. Vangelis Karkaletsis**, Director of Research, Institute of Informatics and Telecommunications, NCSR Demokritos

*"Employment Opportunities in NCSR Demokritos in Medical Informatics and Bioinformatics related projects"*

**Dr. Christos Andronis**, Director of R@D, Biovista

*"Applications of Bioinformatics in drug development. The example of Biovista"*

**Dr. Thanos Demiris**, Director R@D. micro2gen,

*"Development of integrated molecular diagnostics solutions in Greece – an example of cross-disciplinary R@D activity"*

- **After the presentations there will be discussion with the audience.**

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For information on how to apply to the ITMB graduate program for the next academic year please visit: [http://itmb.di.uoa.gr/bulletin/Prokiriksi\\_2011.pdf](http://itmb.di.uoa.gr/bulletin/Prokiriksi_2011.pdf)

The applications period is 9/5/2011- 20/5/2011