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Invitation to a workshop to be held in Florence On Ethical Aspects of Energy Resources and Human Impact on Earth ecosystem Date: June 25 and 26, 2009

<u>Time</u>: 14 pm

<u>Location</u>: University of Florence, laboratory of Anthropology, Via del Proconsolo 12 Florence

Interventions:

June 25th

14:00 B. Chiarelli: Historical synthesis of industrialization and demographic increment

14:30 M. Szente Food and energy requirements 15: 00 M. Annese From Coal to Oil, when the oil pick?

15:30 coffee break

15:45 G.F. Birolo GHG emissions and greenhouse effect, climate change and Kyoto Protocol

16:00 – 16:30 General discussion

June 26th

09:00 M. Smith Deforestation process for ethanol production as an alternatives to

Hydrocarbons

09:30 G.F.Nardi The end of Hydrocarbons Era and requirement for alternative energies Wind

and Sun

10:00 J. Tóth /Szente Increased carrying capacity

10:30 coffee break

10:45 G. Mondio /Cocciola Electric and to Hydrogen technologies
 11:15 B. Chiarelli Migrations and related impact on ecosystem

11:30 M. Pratarelli The wars for the control of energy and food resources - the oil crises

12:00 General discussion

12:30 Lunch

14:30 Plenary discussion

We invite whoever is interested to these topics to intervene with a presentation. The minutes of the meeting will be published on Journal of Global Bioethic.

The workshop will focus on bioethical aspects on climate change and energy requirements

The workshop will take place in concomitance with the international conference of the Global Ecological Integrity Group (see enclosed programme)

Kindly confirm your participation for accommodation purposes and if you are planning to make a presentation.

With thanks and regards

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