STRATIS V. SOTIRCHOS Memorial Lectureship 2022

MOTIVATION and OBJECTIVE

FORTH/ICE-HT (www.iceht.forth.gr) has created the "Stratis V. Sotirchos Lectureship" to honor the memory of one of its most distinguished Researchers, Professor Stratis V. Sotirchos. This Award is supported by the "Stratis V. Sotirchos Trust Fund", which has been created from donations by friends and colleagues.

DESCRIPTION AND MODALITY

The SVS Lectureship is awarded every second year to an engineer-scientist, who has produced original and fundamentally important results in some R&D field within the broader context of chemical engineering. Selection of the most deserving candidate, each time, is made on an international basis and strictly on grounds of merit. Candidates should be younger than 40 years of age on the closing date for the submission of the nominations.

Every second year (starting in 2005) the Recipient of the SVS Lectureship is invited to present the "Stratis V. Sotirchos Lecture" at the "Pan-Hellenic Scientific Conference in Chemical Engineering". This conference is held every two years on a rotating basis in Patras, Thessaloniki, and Athens, Greece.

Previous recipients of the SVS Lectureship are: Michalis Tsapatsis (2005, University of Minnesota), Costas Maranas (2007, Pennsylvania State University), Patrick Doyle (2009, MIT), Yiannis Kaznessis (2011, University of Minnesota), Michael Strano (2013, MIT), Ali Khademhosseini (2015, Harvard Medical School), Hal Alper (2017, University of Texas at Austin), and Paul J. Dauenhauer (2019, University of Minnesota).

This time (year 2022, postponed for one year due to the pandemic) the Conference will be held in Patras, and the SVS Lectureship is scheduled to be given on Thursday, June 2nd, 2022.

The travel, subsistence and lodging expenses of the Recipient will be covered in full from the proceeds of the SVS Trust Fund.

The SVS Lectureship will also include a modest honorarium.

NOMINATIONS

Nominations (but not self-nominations) must be submitted via e-mail (all the attached documents should be in <u>pdf form</u>) by March 4, 2022, to the following address:

Dr. Vasilis Burganos (director@iceht.forth.gr), with a necessary "carbon copy" to Ms. Kleanthi Zacharopoulou (SVS Award@iceht.forth.gr).

The <u>nomination package</u> should include the following items.

- 1. Nomination Form, duly completed (pdf)
- 2. CV of the nominee (pdf)
- 3. Most representative publications of the nominee (≤ 5 , pdf)
- 4. Four letters of support

5. Statement of the "Nominee's intent" (pdf)

[This statement should be sent by the nominee himself/herself indicating his/her intent to accept the SVS Lectureship 2022, if selected, as well as his/her commitment to be present in person to deliver the SVS Lecture at the "Pan-Hellenic Scientific Conference in Chemical Engineering", in Patras, Greece, on Thursday, June 2nd, 2022.]

SELECTION OF THE RECIPIENT

The selection of the Recipient of the Stratis V. Sotirchos Lectureship will be made by the Board of Trustees of the SVS Trust Fund, the members of which are internationally respected engineer-scientists from various countries.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RECIPIENT FOR 2022

The Recipient for the year 2022 will be announced by March 18, 2022.