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Dear XXX:

As editors of the Section 'Design for Environment' of the Internet-based journal Gate to Environmental and Health Science, we would like to invite you to contribute an article on the topic, the title of which is for guidance only and should be adapted to your needs:

We believe that Design for Environment is a key issue when striving for environmental improvements and are, therefore, looking forward to receiving many high standard publications on new ideas, industry experiences, case studies, but also on existing programs or obstacles, etc.

'Design for Environment' is one section of the area 'Life Cycle Management' and has the following content:

- DfE definition & tools (methodologies),
- DfE case studies,
- DfE international development (ISO, national news)
- Organisational issues of DfE implementation,
- DfE training,
- DfE Research, theses, etc.
- sectoral issues (automotive, electronic, etc.),
- political initiatives (IPP), National / EC Project Updates,
- Announcements and Reports from related conferences
- Commentaries/Opinion Papers
- Literature Reviews
- Internet Links

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You can note that the structure is clear and the navigation easy: The links of the left row provide general information about the 'Gate' – among others the 'Author Information' – and topical information on important News, Conference Announcements, Conference Reports, and UNEP as well as Greenpeace (Research Laboratories Exeter, UK) activities. The links of the right row present the six theme areas. Here you will find the current outline of each individual area and section as well as the respective articles published hitherto. These articles are also collected under the link 'New Articles', which are the published articles of a certain time period. These articles can also be called up by way of their DOI (Digital Object Identifier) which is their address and citation code (<http://www.doi.org>), independently on the address of 'Gate to EHS'. The highlights and advantages of 'Gate to EHS' you will find in 'Aims and Scope'. These include rapid peer review and immediate publication following acceptance, the announcement of articles, by internet, the receipt of a PDF file for all authors and the possibility to publish in national languages. Three internet-related features, a Have a Problem? Ask the Experts! section, keyword searching by topic and author and sub-theme related glossaries will provide a service printed journals cannot.

We hope that you will accept our invitation and ask you to submit a tentative abstract of up to 3 pages indicating 1. intention, goal, scope and background, 2. features, 3. results, 4. conclusions and future outlook. Addition to the benefit of publishing in a high quality reviewed journal, the compensation for authors is free access to 'Gate to EHS' for one year, up from the acceptance of the article.

Please do not hesitate to contact either of us if you have any questions whatsoever.

With kind regards,

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