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PRESS RELEASE

2ND COMPETITION FOR SHORT DOCUMENTARY FILMS REGARDING THE ENVIRONMENT AND INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF MOUNTAINOUS AREAS DEDICATED TO THEO ANGELOPOULOS

The N.T.U.A. M.I.R.C. Development Foundation for the Protection and Development of Mountainous Environment and Local European Cultures organizes the 2nd Competition for short documentary films regarding the Environment and Integrated Development of Mountainous Areas, after having successfully completed the 1st Competition, during 2011.

The Jury, of the 1st Competition consisted of distinguished film and academic personalities. President of the Jury was Michel Demopoulos, film critic and former Director of Thessaloniki Film Festival and members Alexis Grivas, cinematographer, Stelios Haralampopoulos, Film Director, and Demetrius Rokos, N.T.U.A. Professor.

The **N.T.U.A. M.I.R.C. Development Foundation,** recognising Theo Angelopoulos' invaluable work, not only for Greece but also worldwide, dedicates the 2nd Film Competition to the multidimensional personality of the great Greek Film Director.

The aim of the 2nd Film Competition is to contribute to the effort for mountainous areas' revitalization, especially in the era of multidimensional global crisis.

The four best short documentary films will be awarded (including certificate and prize money) and will be presented, along with other participations selected by the Jury, in an award ceremony, at N.T.U.A. settlements.

Those interested, may find details regarding the film competition terms, the application form, as well as many publications on Mountains' Worthliving Integrated Development, at N.T.U.A. M.I.R.C. website: www.ntua.gr/MIRC.

Moreover, relevant documents on the values, theory and praxis of Integrated Development, can be found at the website of N.T.U.A. Interdisciplinary Programme of Postgraduate Studies "Environment and Development": http://www.survey.ntua.gr/environ/keimena.html .

According to the competition terms, submissions are open until October 10, 2013.

On behalf of the N.T.U.A. M.I.R.C. Development Foundation,

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