Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the XV edition of IATI which will be held from 16/04/2024 to 21/04/2024 as hybrid contest in Shumen, Bulgaria and online. We remind you that the autumn tournament was transformed into "International Advanced Tournament in Informatics – John Atanasoff". This year organizers and hosts of the tournament traditionally are Shumen University, Shumen Municipality and School "A&B".

The competition takes place in two age groups - junior (for pupils born after 31/12/2008) and senior (for high school students). According to selection every country can register up to four official teams in each of the two age groups. Each registered team can consist of up to 4 competitors and up to 2 team leaders.

Registration of the teams starts at 26/02/2024. The deadline for registration is 18/03/2024. The registration will be online like last year and for each country the registration will be done by a Team Registrar, whose e-mail you will have to indicate to us in order to send him a password and other necessary information. The other thing we ask you to let us know is whether you will be participating in person or online, because in the second case you will need to register and a site.

You will be able to stay at preferential prices in the Grand Hotel Shumen. For contacts with the hotel email: office@hotel-shumen.com; telephone: +356 887 166 188; address: Shumen, Bulgaria 1 Oborishte str.

We also organize a meeting and transfer to Shumen for those arriving at the following airports: Bucharest, Burgas and Varna.

The tournament program soon will be post on the IATI's website.

For further questions or enquiries, please contact us at iati@shu.bg

With respect,

Bisserka Yovcheva

Chairman of the Organizing Committee