



Dear friends and colleagues,

We would like to announce the **Third Edition of the Spanish Ion channel meeting (RECI III)** that will take place in **Tenerife, Spain, on 2-4 February 2011**, at the **Hotel Las Aguilas Resort**, at El Puerto de la Cruz, www.hotellasaguilas.com.

The aim of this meeting was initially to gather the Spanish researchers, otherwise scattered between various scientific societies, in a two/three-day conference. The idea was to have a very informal meeting, in a relaxed but scientifically intense, atmosphere.

The RECI III has some innovations on the previous RECI: first, it will be a **joint meeting with the Consolider Group “The Spanish Ion Channel Initiative”** (SICI, <http://sici.umh.es>) formed by 26 groups in Spain working on ion channel research. Second, nearly 30 scientists from other countries have confirmed their assistance to the meeting, providing an international orientation to this RECI and an outstanding opportunity to our groups, students and postdocs to interact with them. All presentations and communications will be in English.

Registration to the meeting is free and meals are covered by the organization. Nevertheless, the participants must cover their travel and lodging. Accommodation rates are specified in the preliminary program sent with this email.

Travel and lodging will be arranged by the travel agency **‘Tecon Travel’**. **Please do not contact with the hotel directly**. When the registration period is open, next September, we will provide a web address to make reservations.

Although registration will not start until next September, **please pre-register here:**

<http://reci3.wufoo.com/forms/trends-and-challenges-in-ion-channel-research/>

It takes no time and will help us greatly. Please let us know if you're coming with children. If there are enough people interested, we can arrange a day-care service at the Hotel.

I take this opportunity to send you my best regards and I hope to see you soon in Tenerife.

Teresa Giraldez

Organizing Committee, RECI III