Call for Papers – Extended  Deadline 15 January 2010 (Friday)

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fPET-2010

2010 Forum on Philosophy, Engineering & Technology

Colorado School of Mines
Golden, Colorado USA
9-10 May 2010 (Sunday Evening-Monday)
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Background: The 2010 Forum on Philosophy, Engineering & Technology (fPET-2010) is an outgrowth of the Workshop on Philosophy and Engineering (WPE-2007 in Delft and WPE-2008 in London). The mission of the Forum is (1) to encourage reflection on engineering, engineers, and technology by philosophers and engineers alike and (2) to build bridges between existing organizations of philosophers and of engineers. fPET-2010 will be held as an intensive one-day meeting on 9-10 May 2010 (Sunday evening-Monday) at the Colorado School of Mines in Golden, CO.

Abstracts (500-750 words) are invited for submission in one of three tracks:

Track One: Philosophy (reviewing by philosophers)
Track Two: Engineering ethics and other interdisciplinary topics (mixed reviewing)
Track Three: Reflections of practitioners (reviewing by engineers)

All submissions will be blind-reviewed by the program committee. Those accepted for presentation at fPET-2010 will be scheduled for 30-minute talks (inclusive of Q&A). All abstracts accepted for fPET-2010 will be published online at the Forum website and in a printed volume available at the meeting. A volume of selected papers from fPET-2010 will be published by a major publisher.

Instructions: Plain text abstracts may be submitted electronically at www.philengtech.org/submission before close of business Friday, 15 January 2010. Notification of acceptances will be sent by 15 March 2010.

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