 Mark your calendar!

We proudly **announce** the NKS-supported GammaUser 2014 workshop, which is the 6th meeting of the successful NKS **GammaSem** series of workshops and seminars on **gamma spectrometry**. This seminar will be held **October 7th – 8th**, 2014 in Helsinki, Finland.

Attendees will be invited and encouraged to participate in pre-workshop **inter-comparison exercises** (both with real spectra and physical samples), for which results will be presented and evaluated at the seminar.

The **program** is under construction. We aim to offer presentations from a diverse set of users of gamma spectrometry and we **strongly encourage** participants to give a short presentation on the specific challenges their use of gamma spectrometry entails. In addition, we will have lectures from experienced **invited speakers**:

> Tim Vidmar, SCK•CEN
> Marie-Christine Lépy, Laboratoire National Henri Becquerel

We especially encourage **students and young scientists** in fields relevant to gamma spectrometry to attend (note that the NKS can offer travel assistance). If we see interest from the community, we plan to start the seminar off with a half-day **introduction class** on gamma spectrometry for beginners (October 6th). We can only plan this course if **we know in advance** how many students intend to participate. If you are interested in such a course, please write us at gammauser2014@gr.is.

Further information and a registration form will be distributed **next month** in a second announcement and posted the GammaWiki web page. That page will continuously be **updated** with the latest information.

Feel free to forward this message to relevant colleagues. You can contact the organizers with inquiries or suggestions by sending an email to gammauser2014@gr.is.

We hope to see you all in Helsinki!

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