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EDITORIAL

ACRICE-2 IS COMING

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Dear AJCE Communities,

The African Conference on Research in Chemistry Education (ACRICE) is FASC's official conference on chemistry education. ACRICE conference is intended as a platform for understanding and enriching education for preparation of African citizens who are able to deal with local and global challenges. To that end, educators and researchers at all levels are invited to share vital knowledge and strategies for teaching and learning in culturally responsive ways.

ACRICE-1 was held in Addis Ababa/Ethiopia in collaboration with the Department of Chemistry of the Addis Ababa University from 5-7 December 2013. The presentations at the Conference were reviewed and published as special issues of AJCE under volume 4, numbers 2 and 3 (http://faschem.org/node/5).

ACRICE-2 is planned to take place at the University of Venda (South Africa) from 29 November to 4 December 2015. As Prof. Liliana Mammino (Chairperson of the Organizing Committee of ACRICE-2) indicated (<u>http://www.ec2e2n.info/news/2014/1506_201412</u>) the conference will consider a wide range of themes crucial for chemical education, spanning through all instruction levels: pre-university (from younger levels to secondary school) and university (from undergraduate courses to the educational components inherent in mentoring post-graduate students). While inviting you to participate in ACRICE-2, we hope you will enjoy reading the 1st issue of AJCE 2015 on various topics in Chemistry Education in Africa.

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