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Dear members and friends,

This letter is to introduce you to our next 1st Spring ANTEA Conference in Paris on next 15th May.

It is time to meet and share our experiences with our fellows. We need to keep ourselves global, as this trend in the world economy won't stop. Conferences are the best opportunity to think about our firms' future, what kind of services others are offering, what happens with clients' demands, how our profession is in other countries, etc. So, it is time to anticipate our future.

It is incumbent upon us to improve our services in quality and to anticipate the client's new needs. And of course we need to be able to offer to our clients the same services and quality that we are offering at home. It is necessary to be stronger, and in order to achieve that, co-operation is essential. So ANTEA is crucial for our own development and service structure.

At this moment some important discussions will affect our profession in a significant way: the current international economic slowdown and the impact on our clients, changes in the structures of companies, and so forth. And having a worldwide perspective, knowing how these problems are seen in other countries, will be a great advantage to develop our own firm's respective strategies.

Some of the points that will be discussed during the conference:

- Networking:
 - o Importance of conference gatherings.
 - o Marketing elements. We invite you to present some of your marketing materials.
 - o Working groups. The personal contact among members will be a further significant element for the participants.
- Actions carried out:
 - o Newsletter on auditing and family business content.
 - o Tax and legal newsletter.
- Future proposals to be presented and approved:
 - o New website and intranet.
 - o Marketing materials.
 - o Directory.
 - o Conferences and action plan.
 - o Definition and composition of international technical groups in audit, tax, legal and consulting.

So we expect a very successful conference. We have invested all our efforts to ensure you will enjoy and take full advantage of this conference.

And of course there is the city. Dubbed "the City of Light", it is among the most beautiful and fascinating destinations in the world. We look forward to seeing you in Paris!!!

Best regards,



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