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MASTER IN TOURISM AND ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS (MTEE)
University of the Balearic Islands, Palma de Mallorca, Spain
September 2006 – October 2007

The Secretary-General of the World Tourism Organization presents his compliments to the Members of the World Tourism Organization and has the honour to inform them that under the Scholars programme of the UNWTO Education and Knowledge Management (UNWTO.EKM Scholars), UNWTO.EKM and the University of the Balearic Islands (Department of Applied Economics) in Palma de Mallorca, Spain will provide a substantial scholarship to a government official working in tourism from a UNWTO Member State to enable him to attend full-time the Master in *Tourism and Environmental Economics (MTEE)* at the University of the Balearic Islands. The scholarship will fully fund a MTEE degree, which has a cost of 7000€. This scholarship is open to qualified tourism officials from UNWTO Member States, who are nominated by their respective National Tourism Administration.

This Master degree programme, to be given in English, is aimed specifically at students with bachelor degrees in Economics or Business Administration, or those with a strong background in Economics and Statistics, upon which the required subjects are based. Applicants with deficiencies in these areas may be required to take some courses prior to starting the Master program. Students are expected to have an advanced knowledge of English and some basic knowledge of Spanish. Attached please find further information and the Application Form. Deadline for applications is 15 June 2006 and applicants will be informed of the decision in July 2006.

All UNWTO Member States are urged to take advantage of this opportunity by submitting the applications of qualified candidates who are government officials working in the area of tourism, to the address given below. All candidates should be nominated by the authority heading the country's National Tourism Administration, who should approve and sign the Application Form. A UNWTO.EKM Scholars *Application Form* as well as the General Conditions for Participation and the Admissions Procedure are enclosed.

It is requested to send all applications to:

Dr. Eduardo Fayos-Solá

Head

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World Tourism Organization

At the following address:

World Tourism Organization

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Once the final candidates have been selected, the administration of the scholarships will be handled by the UNWTO-THEMIS Foundation.

The Secretary-General of the World Tourism Organization avails himself of this opportunity to renew to the Members of the World Tourism Organization the assurances of his highest consideration.

Madrid, 6 March 2006