The 2015 Isodarco Winter School will address and deepen our understanding of the main elements of the nuclear governance system, review their functions, highlight strengths and limitations, and propose possible remedies to enhance their effectiveness.

**Principal Lecturers**

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Confirmation is expected from additional eminent scientists who have been invited to lecture at the School. The course will be articulated in formal lectures, round tables, seminars by the participants and general discussions.

**General Information**

A. English will be the working language of the School. There will be approximately 80 participants.

B. Applications should be addressed to the Director of the School:

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C. Applicants who need a visa to come to Italy should apply to Isodarco by October 12th, 2015. Applicants who need a visa to come to Italy should apply to Isodarco by October 12th, 2015. Applicants who need a visa to come to Italy should apply to Isodarco by October 12th, 2015.

D. The registration fee, which includes attendance, accommodation and full board, is 500.00 Euros. A reduced fee of 300.00 Euros is applied to students with no income born in 1990 or after and to participants from countries with foreign currency problems. If you wish to be considered for a reduced fee you must explain in your application why you qualify for it. Participants will be housed in double or triple rooms at Hotel Gruppo Brenta or nearby hotels or residences. The registration fee for single rooms, if requested and available, will be 800.00 Euros; participants asking to share a room with somebody in particular, if possible, will be charged an additional 50.00 Euros per person.

E. The school has no funds to help participants to meet travel and registration expenses.

F. Participants wishing to submit a paper for seminar consideration should enclose a short abstract of their proposed contribution in their application. The Director of the School will reserve some limited time for seminars considered particularly relevant to the program of the Course.