

**Invitation to the  
2005 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
of the  
World Sturgeon Conservation Society e.V.**

**Date**                      **May 10, 2005**  
**time**                         20:30 - 22:00 hours  
**Place of Venue:**         Ramsar AZADI Hotels  
                                     Main Conference Hall ,  
                                     Rajaie Street, 4691710705 Ramsar, Iran  
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**Agenda**

- 1) **Opening** of the Meeting (introducing of the board of Directors to the Membership)
- 2) **President's Report**  
(briefing on history of the society, briefing on statutes, explaining membership development, reporting on activities during 2004)
- 3) **Treasurer's Report**  
(2004 financial report, 2005 budget, Membership matrix and dues)
- 4) Introducing the **Website** to the membership (e.g. discussion forum, links to Species information (FishBase),
- 5) **Cooperation** with and support for other organisations (e.g. China sturgeon projects; Italian projects; WWF France and A. sturio Action Plan, Europe;)
- 6) Information on **Membership services** (membership profile, contributions from members, electronic bibliography, Special rates for the official science journal of the Society; literature service,
- 7) Report on the status of WSCS past and future involvement in **Conferences** (e.g. Sturgeon session in China 2004 (Intern. Zoological Congress),, WSCS involvement in planning of 5th ISS in Iran 2005, etc)
- 8) **Open session** for questions and inviting suggestions from the membership to the Board of Directors on further activities and services
- 9) **Miscellaneous items**
- 10) **Session in public:** Access of the general Public and media
- 11) **Closing** of the meeting