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Press release

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The Board of the Academia Europaea¹ have issued the following information:

On 16 July 2014, at the Institut d'Estudis Catalans, Barcelona, the Council of the Academia Europaea will present the 2014 **Erasmus Medal** to the internationally renowned Informatics Scientist

Professor Dr. Kurt Mehlhorn MAE

The Erasmus Medal of the Academia Europaea, is awarded annually, on the recommendation of the Council, to a scholar who has maintained over a sustained period, the highest level of international scholarship and recognition by peers.

Professor Mehlhorn will deliver a 2014 Heinz-Nixdorf Erasmus Lecture at the opening session of the 26th Annual Conference of the Academia Europaea. This event is open to the public. The meeting runs from 16 - 18 July, in Barcelona (all details are posted on this webpage www.ae-info.org).

Further information:

Professor Mehlhorn's biography can be found at this link [<http://www.mpi-inf.mpg.de/~mehlhorn/index.html>]

The Academia Europaea ERASMUS Medal and Lecture 2014 will be sponsored by the **Heinz-Nixdorf Foundation** (see <http://www.heinz-nixdorf-stiftung.de/>).

The Medal ceremony and lecture will form a part of the opening session of the 2014 Annual meeting of the Academia Euroapea. The conference will be open to non-members. The meeting runs from 16 - 18 July, in Barcelona (all details are posted on this webpage www.ae-info.org).

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