## **New Researchers for the Bioinformatics Group of FORTH**

Early this year <u>IMBB</u> has announced openings for Research Associate and Research Assistant Professors for the new BIOINFORMATICS group. This new group is an interdisciplinary collaboration between the IMBB and the Institute of Computer Science of FORTH.

## The election took place on July 2002 and the following scientists were elected:

- Dr. Nikos KYRPIDES was elected as Research Associate Professor. He is now acting as Director of the Genome Analysis at Integrated Genomics, Inc. Chicago IL, USA. Dr. Kyrpidis is planning to start his work in Crete within next year.
- Dr. Martin RECZKO was elected as Research Associate Professor. By the time he applied, he was acting as the Managing Director of Synaptic Ltd, Athens Greece. Dr. Reczko started working on organizing the new group by September 1st, 2002.
- Dr. Panayota POIRAZI, was elected as Research Assistant Professor. By the time she applied, she was postdoctoral fellow under the Marie Curie European Programme, at Fleming Foundation, Athens, Greece. Dr. Poirazi has already started working on organizing the new group by September 1st, 2002.