Posters and Exhibits

Two poster sessions are planned for the evenings of April 20 and 21. Student poster competition prizes and travel grants are provided through the generosity of ChevronTexaco and BP Corporation.

Exhibit booths also are available. For information about student travel grants, conference sponsorships, or exhibit booths, contact Jordan Radin, Midwest Hazardous Substances Research Center, 765-496-2436, jradin@purdue.edu.

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For more information regarding posters, exhibits and/or sponsorships, visit:

www.mhsrc.org

Questions?

If you have any questions about the Third International Phytotechnologies Conference, contact one of the individuals listed below. They will be happy to answer any questions you may have.



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Third International Phytotechnologies Conference



Phytotechnologies use plants to clean or contain contaminants from soil, sediments, or water. Planted systems can degrade organic pollutants and extract heavy metals. Advances have been made in research to identify and optimize plant capability to reduce risk and enhance environmental benefits. This conference will present the state of science and engineering development in phytotechnologies worldwide. More specifically, the purpose of this conference is to understand which technologies using plants are currently effective, how best to integrate research science and field applications, and what questions need further research.

Who Should Attend

This meeting is designed to assist professionals in the regulatory community for overseeing the design, implementation, and monitoring of sites that utilize phytotechnology. Site managers, students, contractors, and consultants will benefit from the up-to-date technical information presented, as well as interaction with regulators, environmental professionals, and scientists from universities and research institutions. Individuals and institutions interested in international collaboration on eco-restoration and sustainable remediation also should attend.

Hotel Information

Hyatt Regency Atlanta 265 Peachtree Street NE Atlanta, Georgia 30303 Phone: (404) 577-1234 Fax: (404) 588-4137 National Hyatt Reservations: (800) 223-1234 www.atlantaregency.hyatt.com

The conference will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in downtown Atlanta, Georgia. A Conference rate of \$113 (government rate) is available for all participants who reserve rooms by March 29, 2005. To receive the conference rate, reference the Third International Phytotechnologies Conference when making reservations. Conference participants may reserve rooms at this rate for several days before or after the conference as available.

Registration

There is no registration fee for the conference. The deadline for registration is March 30, 2005. You can register for the conference on the internet at www.trainex.org/phyto.

- Click the Register button at the bottom of the page to register. You will be prompted for your email address and other contact information.
- Be sure to click Submit at the bottom of the registration form.

Should you need to cancel your registration, return to www.trainex.org and locate your registration under Students/Current Registrations on the left menu bar. There is a direct link to the Third International Phytotechnologies conference on Trainex's front page under conferences.

More Information

For more detailed information about the Third International Phytotechnologies, visit our website at: www.clu-in.org/phytoconf.

Session Topics

- Measurement technologies or techniques for assessing a project's progress
- Projects which decrease costs for existing conventional remediation or containment
- Phytotechnologies for use in developing economies
- Eco-restoration or habitat creation with remediation
- Fate or transport of contaminants through plants and associated eco-risk
- Case studies of successful applications
- Case studies that illustrate regulatory process for evaluating phytoremediation projects

Field Trip

There will be an optional field trip to the Department of Energy Savannah River Site in Aiken, SC. When you register for the conference, you will be given the option of registering for this field trip.