## **Abstract Submission**

Abstracts are now invited for oral and poster presentations. If you wish to submit an abstract for consideration by the Program Committee, you must also intend to register for the Congress. Online submission is the only method of receipt of abstracts. Abstracts should be a maximum of 250 words. Visit **www.iuappa2007.com** for more information regarding the length and format of abstracts. If you experience technical difficulties with on-line submission, please email your query to **program@icms.com.au**.

We are introducing a new format to maximise your participation and focus on achieving Congress outcomes. All accepted abstracts will require the preparation of a 6-page paper for publication in refereed Proceedings. Papers will be supported by a poster or an oral presentation. Poster authors may also elect to be included in short oral presentation sessions.

The sessions will be organised to optimise discussion of the Congress topics. For each session, the Chair will provide a brief overview of the topic area and a synthesis of the voluntary contributions. Contributors will be expected to speak very briefly on the main findings and the implications of their work. In this way, sessions can be focussed on information analysis.

#### **Submission Categories**

We welcome all abstract submissions, particularly those addressing the fields of:

#### Science and Society – understanding and application

- Air quality and health
- Atmospheric processes, chemistry and modelling
- Challenges of particulates and air toxics
- Climate change science and ecological effects
- Building air quality goals and partnerships
- Vehicle technologies

#### Industry and Government – innovation and implementation

- Cleaner production and innovative technologies
- Emission reporting and trading
- Energy sources and air quality
- Allocating responsibility and costs
- Planning and development

#### Urban and Rural – modern and clean

- Transport pollution in mega cities
- Acceptable levels of odour and dust
- Pollutant effects on rural ecosystems especially in Africa and Asia
- Building partnerships at the urban/rural interface

#### National and International – progress and equity

- Climate change consequences and management
- International transboundary transport of pollutants
- Pollutants and national economies
- Building sustainability and partnerships through IUAPPA

# Abstract Submission Deadline

If you wish to present an oral or a poster presentation, please submit your abstract on-line at **www.iuappa2007.com** by no later than **Friday, 29 September 2006**.

# **Confirmation of Receipt of Abstract**

Immediately following submission via **www.iuappa2007.com** you will receive an electronic abstract receipt, including a submission reference number and confirmation of your personal password. These details should be used if you wish to edit your abstract up to and no later than the submission deadline **Friday**, **29 September 2006**. No changes will be possible after this deadline. **Submissions of abstracts will not be accepted after this date**.

## **Presentation Format**

The Program Committee reserves the right to decide the format of presentation on the basis of time and space available. Abstracts will be reviewed by the Program Committee and corresponding authors will be notified of abstract acceptance and the form of presentation by Friday, 24 November 2006. Presenting authors must register by Friday, 8 June 2007 to ensure inclusion in the Congress proceedings.

### Paper submissions

An invitation to submit a full paper will be issued on completion of the review of abstracts. The submission deadline for full papers is **Friday**, **30 March 2007**.



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Call for Abstracts

To register your expression of interest or submit an abstract please visit WWW.iuappa2007.com



#### Sponsorship and Exhibition

Companies are invited to participate as sponsors and exhibitors during the 14th IUAPPA World Congress. The exhibition will provide an opportunity for organisations involved in all aspects of environmental protection to exhibit and promote their interest to professional delegates. For further enquiries please contact ICMS Pty Ltd, the Congress and Exhibition Managers, iuappa2007@icms.com.au or telephone: +61 7 3844 1138.

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### **Important Dates**

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### Invitation

We welcome you to come to the 14th IUAPPA World Congress 2007, to be held in the beautiful, relaxed city of Brisbane, Australia, a city that prides itself on friendliness, liveability and a delightful springtime climate.

The theme of the Congress is "Partnerships" and the conference logo grew out of the growing spirit of reconciliation with the indigenous community in Australia, as well as reflecting the reconciliation between the built and the natural environment. The Congress program will focus on meaningful interactions between air quality professionals and other professional and community groups, on the consideration of partnerships between nations (for example in the resolution of transboundary events), on the management of environmental partnerships between rural and urban communities.

Outcomes from this World Congress will complement the Global Atmospheric Pollution Forum that was inaugurated at the 2004 World Congress in London. Your presentations will contribute to these outcomes and we ask that you frame these to focus on outcomes and applications consistent with the theme of the Congress.

Exchanges between specialists from science, industry and government will examine local, national and international issues, not only those from the traditional economies but also those that challenge the developing economies.

The Congress is timed to take advantage of the beautiful Spring weather of this subtropical city and local region. Incorporate into your visit the Brisbane River Festival 2007 and the 2007 Brisbane based Asia Pacific Cities Summit, one activity of the UNEP Division for Sustainable Development Theme for 2006/7 on Air Pollution and the Atmosphere.

And remember that Australia, and in particular Queensland, is a tourist's paradise. Take time to see the coral of the magnificent Great Barrier Reef, to walk in the lush jungles or the dusty outback, to swim at the serene beaches. You will be delighted.

This will be an exciting Congress and the Organising Committee takes great pleasure in inviting you to participate. We look forward to seeing you in Brisbane in 2007.

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Neville Bofinger Congress Chair

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## **History of the Event**

No region of the world escapes the effects of air pollution, and the flow of pollutants across national boundaries makes air pollution a global problem. The International Union of Air Pollution Prevention and Environmental Protection Associations, founded in 1964, represents environmental protection specialists across the private, public and voluntary sectors in over 35 countries throughout the world.

A non-political and non-denominational organisation, IUAPPA's mission is to promote progress in:

- the prevention and control of air pollution;
- the wider protection of the environment and the adoption of sustainable development, by promotion of scientific understanding, the development of skills and techniques, and the application of relevant and effective policies at national and international level.

Held every three years, the IUAPPA World Clean Air and Environmental Protection Congress is the leading international gathering of air pollution specialists. It is hosted by IUAPPA member organisations in rotation, with care being taken to schedule meetings in different areas of the world. The Clean Air Society of Australia and New Zealand is proud to host the 14th IUAPPA Congress and to incorporate the 18th biennial conference of the Society. The most recent Congress was held in London in 2004. The Congress provides a forum for environmental protection specialists in both industrialised and newly industrialising countries to exchange information, and to learn from each other.

## **The Theme**

#### Clean Air Partnerships: Coming Together for the Future

The quality of life for humans depends on clean food, clean water and clean air, but this can only be provided in a world of increasing population and increasing resource consumption through the advancement of knowledge and the forging of effective partnerships between the diverse interest groups in human society. This Congress will bring together specialists from science, industry and government to present insights into progress and challenges in the achievement of improved air quality, and to consider perspectives provided by representatives of the wider society. These exchanges are intended to examine local, national and international issues, not only those from the traditional economies but also those that challenge the developing economies.

The Congress aims to generate outcomes that advance the objectives of the Global Atmospheric Pollution Forum. The four major Congress subthemes, listed below, are based on determining the status and future of partnerships between seemingly diametric opposites. Contributors are encouraged to focus their papers on outcomes in one or more of these areas.

#### Science and Society - understanding and application

Industry and Government - innovation and implementation

Urban and Rural - modern and clean

National and International - progress and equity



## IUAPPA Executive (2004-2007)

**Mr Gavin Fisher**, President, Clean Air Society of Australia and New Zealand

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## **Host Country - Australia**

Australia's landscape is a picture of amazing diversity, contrasts and natural wonder. From ancient Uluru (Ayers Rock) to the Great Barrier Reef, Australia's Red Centre reaches out to a magnificent azure coastline. The world's smallest continent and largest island, Australia is like nowhere else on earth. It is as big as mainland United States but has only 20 million people. It is adventurous, stylish and friendly, has unique flora and fauna and a fantastic climate. Aussies (as the locals are called) enjoy sport, beaches, music, performing arts, outdoor cafes, pubs, multicultural restaurants and good friends. A rich cultural blend of fashion, languages and cuisine colours the streets of Australia's major cities.

Further information about Australia can be found at www.australia.com

## Host City - Brisbane

Brisbane, capital of Queensland, Australia's 'Sunshine State', greets visitors with a warm and friendly welcome. Brisbane's warm spring climate and endless sunny days deliver an outdoor lifestyle like no other.

Brisbane's surrounding regions boast a feast of spectacular experiences. Refresh in World Heritage listed rainforest, laze on sundrenched beaches, explore the untouched charm of country towns, head south to the Gold Coast or north to the Sunshine Coast (home to the Crocodile Hunter), cuddle koalas or hand feed dolphins in the wild ... all within an hour's reach of downtown. Convenient access to a complete range of Queensland destinations makes Brisbane the perfect launch pad to a host of other world-renowned attractions including the Daintree and the Great Barrier Reef.

Further information about Brisbane can be found at www.aboutbrisbane.com

# The Venue – Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre

The Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre is part of the South Bank Corporation complex, which includes an Art Gallery, Museum, Performing Arts Complex and the Conservatorium of Music. It is only a five minute walk away from South Bank Parklands, where there are very attractively presented gardens, tourist activities, shopping, food outlets and museums. Downtown Brisbane is just across the Brisbane River, where there is an excellent range of shopping and restaurants, along with a range of hotels all within walking distance.

## Climate

September in Brisbane is the first month of Spring. Brisbane has an average of 243 sunny days per year and boasts a fine mild Spring with a temperature range of  $15 - 26^{\circ}C$  ( $59 - 80^{\circ}F$ ).

# Official Language

The official language of the Congress is English.