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ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

The Western Dredging Association (WEDA) will host its 2017 Dredging Summit and Expo at the Hyatt Regency Vancouver from June 26-29, 2017. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us in beautiful Vancouver, British Columbia.

The Dredging Summit & Expo Is a technical conference and exposition organized by the Western Dredging Association (WEDA) to promote the exchange of knowledge in fields related to dredging, navigation, marine engineering and construction. It will provide a forum for improvement of communications, technology transfer, and cooperation among associations & societies, while emphasizing the importance of understanding and development of solutions for problems related to the protection and enhancement of the marine environment.

WHO WILL ATTEND?

The Dredging Summit & Expo '17 will bring together expert representatives of manufacturers, universities, research institutes, consultants, public authorities and contractors working in the dredging, navigation, coastal and inland flood protection, deep-sea mining, offshore wind energy, oil and gas production fields and providers of a broad range of services such as brokers, insurers, financiers, lawyers, and many more.

SPONSORSHIPS

Sponsoring WEDA's Dredging Summit & Expo will position your organization to maximize its exposure and increase your name recognition and credibility among WEDA members and conference attendees. Early sponsorships will maximize your companies exposure, receiving recognition in emails, magazine ads, the Dredging Summit & Expo website and WEDA mobile application. For sponsorship packages, please contact WEDA's Executive Director, Tom Cappellino at info@westerndredging.org.

EXHIBITORS

Information regarding exhibiting will be posted on the Dredging Summit & Expo website when available. www.Dredging-Expo.com. For early exhibiting / sponsorship packages, please contact Tom Cappellino at info@WesternDredging.org or call (949) 422-8231.

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We are pleased to make the First Call for Papers. The technical sessions at the Dredging Summit and Expo are the premiere venue to discuss the science and practice of dredging. Interested authors are invited to submit one page abstracts (less than 400 words along with a descriptive title and author(s) contact information). The deadline to submit abstracts is January 1, 2017. Abstracts are to be submitted on line at the Dredging Summit & Expo website, www.dredging-expo.com.

The Technical Papers Committee will review all abstracts and notify authors of acceptance and provide final manuscript instructions for production of the Dredging Summit & Expo '17 proceedings. Submission and acceptance of an abstract means that one or more of the authors MUST register, attend the Dredging Summit & Expo, and give the presentation in English.

DREDGING THE AMERICAS TOPICS

Abstracts presenting both practical applications as well as applied research are encouraged. Topics may include but are not limited to:

Improving Dredge Safety
Innovative Equipment and Techniques
Dredging Research & Education
Budgeting & Cost Estimating
New Dredging Equipment
Dredging for Flood Control
Geotechnical Aspects of Dredging
Navigation Channel Design

Treatment of Dredged Sediments
Land Reclamation
Surveying & Mapping
Dredging for Beach Nourishment
Environmental Dredging & Capping
Deep Sea Mining/Dredging
Beneficial Reuse of Dredged Sediments

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

Abstracts Deadline

Notification of Acceptance Draft Manuscripts to be submitted Reviewer Comments to Authors Final Manuscripts to be submitted January 1, 2017 January 15, 2017 February 15, 2017 March 15, 2017 April 26, 2017

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