

The 10th Expert Meeting on Solid Waste Management in Asia and Pacific Islands

FIRST CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

For the 10th Expert Meeting on Solid Waste Management in Asia and Pacific Islands (SWAPI)
At Tottori City (Tottori University of Environmental Studies and others),
20-22 February, 2012

OBJECTIVES

Expert meeting on Solid Waste Management in Asia and Pacific Islands (SWAPI) has been held every year since 2005 to establish regional cooperation aimed to improve solid waste management effectively and efficiently guided by the 3Rs principle. We are going to hold the 10th SWAPI meeting that includes open academic presentations. Then, we call for presentations from all stakeholders in the management of solid waste: designers, operators, suppliers, environmental authorities, and academies in Asia and Pacific Islands.

TOPICS OF PRESENTATIONS

- waste statistics; data collection and processing
- biomass waste utilization
- waste to energy
- appropriate technology for municipal waste
- marine debris management
- hazardous waste management
- solid waste disposal
- greenhouse gas control and 3R/waste management
- policy, institutions and financial measures
- disaster waste management

TYPE OF PRESENTATIONS

Presentation types will be oral or poster and be decided by secretariat.

ABSTRACTS

A file (Word 2007 compatibles) of **1 page of abstract** should be sent by e-mail to: kokusai@jesc.or.jp, no later than **"December 12, 2011"(Extended!)**. Language is English including figures and tables. The abstract must contain title, name of authors, complete contact information for all authors including affiliation, mailing address, email address and phone numbers. The corresponding author should be marked with an "*". The file should be named with the surname of the leading author, ex. 10thSWAPI_Sakai.doc. Incomplete abstracts and/or abstracts for commercial purpose will be returned. Decisions of acceptance and the instruction for the short paper will be executed by secretariat until 14 December, 2011.

FURTHER SCHEDULE

Deadline for submission of a short paper (max. 8 pages): January 15, 2012.

Presentation will be held on 21 February, 2012.

Excellent presentation and/or organized special issue-related paper would be recommended for the publication in Journal of Material Cycles and Waste Management with peer review process which is the same as original editing process. Submitted papers will be reviewed and selected rigorously and objectively by the Journal editorial committee cooperated with international advisory board members of SWAPI.

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