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14TH IGWT SYMPOSIUM

ANNOUNCEMENT

According to suggestion of IGWT members, the Organising Committee of 14th IGWT Symposium is very sorry to inform you that the symposium will be postponed due to SARS, which has been approved by the Ministry of Education.

The Organising Committee of 14th IGWT Symposium makes some resolution as follows:

1. The 14th IGWT Symposium will be held in Beijing, China on 25th-29th August 2004.
2. The title, scientific program, paper structure etc. would not be changed.
3. The submission deadline for papers is on 30th April 2004, papers which have been sent to the Organising Committee are still accepted, those who want to revise the paper should send it before 30th April 2004.
4. All the participants are kindly requested to reconfirm their registration before 30th April 2004.
5. Fee payment deadline is before 31st May 2004. If you already paid and will be unable to attend the symposium due to visa problems or other emergency reasons, you will get full refund.
6. The Organising Committee will send the Second Circular-Call for paper again in the beginning of the year 2004.
7. All the information related to 14th IGWT Symposium will be found on <http://www.cscs.org.cn>

We know that the symposium would greatly benefit from your presentation and very much hope that you will take part in it next year.

with best regards,

The Organising Committee of 14th IGWT Symposium

INVITATIONS

"ECOLOGY OF PRODUCTS 2003"

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE, CRACOW UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS, FACULTY OF COMMODITY SCIENCE, DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY AND ECOLOGY OF PRODUCTS

25th - 26th September 2003

Cracow University of Economics, ul. Rakowicka 27, 31-510 Kraków

ORGANISATION

Prof. Dr. Waclaw Adamczyk (chairman), Dr. Tadeusz Fijal, Dr. Marta Gollinger, Dr. Aleksandra Filip, Mgr. Marcin Koterowa

SCOPE

The conference is of interdisciplinary character and its main topic is formation of ecological features of products at designing and manufacturing stages as well as an interaction of products with the environment at phase of use and waste utilisation.

Problem Groups:

- Tools of ecological assessment of products (ecobalance, LCA, EIA)
- Ecological design of products
- Technology management
- Environmentally friendly packaging
- Ecolabeling
- Clean Technologies, waste utilisation and recycling
- Ecological quality of products in advertising
- Ecology of products in education
- Environmental management systems

CONFERENCE FEE AND PAYMENTS

The conference fee is 200 €, accommodation at participants' costs.

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Conference: Ecology of products 2003

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WASTE MANAGEMENT

CLEANER CITIES – CLEANER ENVIRONMENT
FROM LITTERING TO PRODUCER RESPONSIBILITY

20th to 23th October 2003

Hofburg, Redoutensäle, Vienna

ORGANISATION

City of Vienna

Department of Technology and Commodity Science, Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration (scientific organisation)

Gutwinski Management GmbH, Vienna

TOPICS

Littering – a challenge for Modern City Cleaning

Good Practice Examples

Animals in the City

Cleaner City – Healthy City

Cleaner Environment – tackling Fly Tipping and Tourist Wastes

Producer Responsibility – Megatrends in Waste Management

Production and design Innovations

Innovations in Waste Management

Waste between Lifestyle and Repression

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Conference and full supporting programme 300€

Conference only 250 €

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ECODESIGN 2003:**THIRD INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON ENVIRONMENTALLY
CONSCIOUS DESIGN AND INVERSE MANUFACTURING****8th –11th December 2003****National Olympics Memorial Youth Center, Tokyo, Japan****ORGANISATION**

- Union of Eco Designers (Association of Eco Design Societies, Japan) In
- Co-operation With
- CARE Electronics, Europe
- IEEE CS TCEE, USA

SCOPE

While sustainable closed-loop society is widely accepted as the indispensable concept for solving the environmental issues, its practice is still at incipient stage. In order to promote construction of such society, greater research and development efforts are needed on elemental enabling technologies and systematisation, innovative design, and management of products, product life cycles, infrastructure, service, business, and society.

The purpose of this symposium is to encourage discussion and exchange information on a variety of topics including environmentally conscious design, elemental technologies, business, social system, and life cycle management, among participants from various countries, various backgrounds, and various professions. For this reason, the symposium focuses not only on new approaches in research but also on practical industrial case studies that have technical, strategic, or economic significance.

TOPICS

Main topics of the symposium are classified from the following two aspects; targets and methods. Individuals who wish to present a paper should choose both of one target and one method relevant to the paper.

EcoDesign symposium covers not only electric and electrical products but also various products (including automobiles, heavy machines, machine tools, furniture, etc.), buildings, urban infrastructure, and society.

Targets

A: Sustainable Society

C: Environmentally Conscious Products & Services

D: Environmentally Conscious Processes

Methods

I: Design methodologies and tools

II: Enabling Technologies

III: Management systems and tools

IV: Evaluation methods and tools

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OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The official language of all presentations is English..

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WARENETHIK - VERKAUFSETHIK – KONSUMETHIK

ÖSTERREICHISCH-DEUTSCHES WARENLEHRE-SYMPIOSIUM

13th Mai 2004, 18:00 - 15. Mai 2004, 13 :00

Lambrecht/Pfalz (Neustadt a. d. Weinstrasse), Germany

ORGANISATION:

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 Arbeitsgemeinschaft BioWare
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DEUTSCHE WARENKUNDETAGE 2004

23th September 2004, 19 :00 - 25th September 2004, 13:00

Görlitz (Sachsen), Germany

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INFORMATION FROM SOCIETIES AND INSTITUTES OF COMMODITY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Russia

Vice President Professor Dr. Jacek Koziol informed us of the death of **Prof. Dr. Vitaliy Tichonovich Myesachenko**, who died on June 8th 2003 from stroke. He was professor of commodity science in Plekchanov Academy and during the last years in Moscow Customs Academy. With his death the scientific community of Commodity Science and Technology lost a valuable and deserving member.

Bulgaria, Varna

Associate Prof. Dr. Nedyalka Georgieva reports that the two departments - Commodity Science and Trade of the University of Economics in Varna celebrate this year the 55th anniversary.

INFORMATION FOR TREASURERS OF NATIONAL SOCIETIES AND INDIVIDUAL MEMEBERS

According to the decision of the general Assembly in Maribour 2001 the following membership fees have been fixed.

National Member	National Society Members	New proposal - charter 2001	
		total in €	per member in €
Austria	63	315	5
Belgium	10	50	5
Bulgaria	50	250	5
China	400	2.000	5
Czech Republic	50	250	5
France	10	50	5
Germany	120	600	5
Hungary	50	250	5
Italy	400	2.000	5
Japan	400	2.000	5
Korea	100	500	5
Lithuania	10	50	5
Netherlands	10	50	5
Poland	300	1.500	5
Romania	50	250	5
Russian Federation	50	250	5
Slovak Republic	50	250	5
Slovenia	50	250	5
Switzerland	10	50	5
Ukraine	50	250	5
Yugoslavia	10	50	5
Total	2.243	11.215	

Please transfer fees to account

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CALL FOR PAPERS FOR FORUM WARE INTERNATIONAL

Visit the homepage of Forum Ware International <http://forumware.wu-wien.ac.at>

Some functions are reserved to members of the National Societies and individual members of IGWT. They are accessed by using the password **beckmann**

Papers comprising all fields of commodity science and technology are welcomed by the editors. On the homepage <http://forumware.wu-wien.ac.at> (about Forum Ware International) you find all information for submitting a paper. Please keep to the guide for authors and read also the instruction to referees, so that you see what points of your contribution will be evaluated by the peers. In order to keep the standard of a high ranking scientific journal we have to rely on numerous articles of good scientific quality.

NEW IGWT INTERNET SITE

IGWT homepage has moved to a new site: <http://igwt.wu-wien.ac.at>

In order to keep this homepage up to date we ask the general secretaries or other active members of the national societies to mail the web site of their **national society homepage** to eva.waginger@wu-wien.ac.at.

Further we would also appreciate to receive information from the national societies, which shall be published in the Circulare or posted on the homepage of IGWT.

IGWT EXPERT LIST

If you want to be registered in the **list of IGWT experts** please mail your full name with titles, your function and institution of work, keywords characterising your special fields of research and activities and – if you want – a photo to eva.waginger@wu-wien.ac.at.

All members are asked to send information and proposals for improvements in order to update the IGWT CIRCULARE.

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