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The NDC 2011 is the fifth dewatering and drying conference organized by the Nordic countries, which is represented by Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Iceland and Finland. The main purpose of the NDC 2011 is to provide forum for the exchange of technical and scientific information on drying and dewatering between the industry, academia, research centers and consulting agencies. Another aim is to promote the best drying and dewatering practices internationally and in the Nordic nations. The conference topics will be on better products, enhanced processes and technologies complying with the needs of the society, economy and industry. This includes solving current challenges on product quality, development, troubleshooting, improvements in energy utilization and minimizing the impact on environment, climate change, and ecological systems.

INVITATION FOR NORDIC DRYING CONFERENCE 2011

The conference is held every two years and alternates among the Nordic countries. The NDC 2011 will be locally organized by Aalto University and the Norwegian University of Science and Technology in the period from June 19 to 21, 2011. We are glad to invite you to participate in the NDC 2011 to be held at Aalto University School of Science and Technology located at Otaniemi in Espoo that is located in the Helsinki metropolitan area and just 10 km from downtown. The Aalto University is created by merging the Helsinki School of Economics, Helsinki University of Technology and the Helsinki University of Art and Design, which are leading and internationally renowned institutions. The School of Science and Technology has 250 professors and 15000 students making it the largest unit in Aalto University. A unique combination of education, study and business is densely packed into this small area of Otaniemi and has twice been chosen among the most innovative regions of Europe and has also been awarded the EU Award of Excellence. It has several head offices of Finland’s largest companies, including Nokia that is found near Otaniemi.

CONFERENCE OUTLINE

- Welcome reception
- Plenary lectures
- Keynote lectures
- Oral presentations with full papers
- Technical and poster sessions
- Industrial session
- Closing ceremony

KEYNOTE LECTURES:

Recognized professors, scientists and professionals will lecture on:

- Drying of Pet and Animal Feed
- Dewatering and Drying of Inorganic and Organic Materials
- Heat Pump Freeze Drying
- Fundamentals, Modeling and Optimization of Drying Processes
- Challenges in Atmospheric Freeze Heat Pump Drying and Intensification Processes
- Chemistry and Dewatering - Process Methods Enhancing Dewatering and Drying
- Special Topics

AWARDS

The following awards will be granted to candidates present at the Nordic Drying Conference:

- Distinguished contributions for the development of drying technology in the Nordic region
- Outstanding achievement and excellence in drying R&D
- Novelty and R&D among the papers, poster and industrial presentations at the NDC 2011

TOPICS FOR PAPERS, POSTERS AND INDUSTRIAL PRESENTATIONS

Conference sessions are planned and papers, posters and industrial presentations are requested on subjects related to dewatering and drying within the following areas:

- Current and future trends in drying and dewatering
- Theory, fundamentals, modeling and optimization
- Product quality and drying process control
- Drying and dewatering of foods, biomaterials and biomass
- Drying and dewatering of paper, textiles and other non-food products
- Heat pump drying and other innovative technologies
- Energy savings and environmental impact of drying and dewatering processes
- Drying process integration for energy production
- Drying and dewatering equipment design and scaling-up
- Stationary, forced and gravity moving bed dryers
- Direct and indirect steam dryers
- Vacuum and atmospheric freeze drying processes
- Enhanced dewatering in evaporation plants by heat treatment and crystallization
- Chemistry related to drying and dewatering – enhanced process and methods
- Improved dewatering by chemical additives
- Industrial drying and dewatering

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS AND PAPERS

You are invited to submit an abstract for papers (about 250 words) to the NDC 2011 that will be selected for oral and poster presentations. The accepted papers and posters will be printed for distribution at the conference. The abstracts should be sent by email as Microsoft Word file formatted as: A4, font Arial, size 12, containing: title of the paper, author(s) name(s), affiliation(s), address(es), phone, fax and email. Send the abstract to NDC 2011, Department of Energy and Process Engineering, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Kolbjorn Hejes vei 1B, NO-7491 Trondheim, Norway.

THE DEADLINES:

- Title and abstract received: January 20, 2011
- Authors notified of acceptance: January 31, 2011
- Papers deadline: February 28, 2011
- Authors notified of acceptance of papers: March 28, 2011
- Preliminary program: May 2, 2011
- Registration and Get Together: June 19, 2011
- Fifth Nordic Drying Conference: June 19 to 21, 2011

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The registration fees for speakers, other participants and students include access to all sessions, one copy of the book of abstracts, CD proceedings with all papers, posters and industrial presentations, all announced meals, coffee, tea and social events. Notice that the reduced fee is valid only before May 9, 2011. The accompanying person fee includes social events and conference dinner, except lunches. Separate payment will be required for the accompanying persons program.
Registration form

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