

Dioxin 2018 Session

Biodetection Methods for POPs and Related Food and Environmental Contaminants

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Dear Colleague,

You are invited to submit an Abstract to the **Dioxin 2018** Symposium Special Session on **Biodetection Methods for POPs and Related Food and Environmental Contaminants** to be held in Kraków, Poland, 26-31 August 2018. Each registered author can submit as a presenter for up to two abstracts. Abstracts by students (for oral or poster presentation) can be accepted also for the Pre-Dioxin Students Session to be held on August 25.

We welcome abstracts that highlight new findings on bio-analytical tools and their application for dioxins, other POPs and food and environmental contaminants in studies on human, animal and wildlife exposure, suspected and known sources and safety assessment of foods, water and consumer products.

The oral presentation is to be 20 minutes in length (including questions). Ideally, all submissions are to be a one page abstract or a four page short paper (see the guidelines established by the meeting organizers). A one page abstract should have up to 600 words. A short paper consists ~4 pages, and will be published on a USB stick and can be accepted and published in the 2018 volume of the Organohalogen Compounds (http://dioxin20xx.org/ohc_database_search.htm).

The Students Session will be held at the AGH University of Science and Technology (AGH Akademia Górniczo Hutnicza) near the Old Downtown Kraków. This is a session for students by students and only student presentations are accepted. Depending on the number of participants, one submission per registered student is permitted at this time. In addition to the standard 20-minute oral presentations (including time for questions) and poster presentations, there exists a possibility of presenting a short (5 min) poster highlight session in addition to a poster presentation. These short oral presentations will give young researchers the opportunity to present their work and will give an opportunity to receive constructive feedback. Awards for the best student presentation (oral or poster) will be granted for outstanding presentations at the Students Symposium.

Students applying for the Otto Hutzinger Award must submit a 4-page short paper and students presenting at the Pre-Symposium Students Session submit a 1-one page abstract.

Kindly let us know in advance if you plan to submit an Abstract for consideration as an ORAL presentation.

NOTE: Participation in the Students Session is free of charge for student presenters who are registered for the Dioxin 2018 Symposium, and have paid applicable registration fees. Other student attendants - please see the details at <http://dioxin2018.org>.

Dioxin 2018 Abstract Submission - Deadline for an abstract submission is May 11, 2018. Your abstract can be considered accepted unless you receive a notice of rejection.

We look forward to hearing from you -- and hope to see you at Dioxin 2018 Festival in Kraków.

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