



INVITATION TO PRESENT

The International Bioenergy and Bioproducts Conference invites abstract submissions for technical presentations that focus on aspects of woody and non-woody biomass collection, characterization, and utilization. Share your newest technical findings, case study reports, or assessments with experts in the field. Visit www.tappi-ibbc.org to learn more about the conference and attendees.

Biomass

Supply & Demand

- Supply availability assessments/sustainability
- Properties of biomass materials
- Energy crop development
- Developments in biomass recalcitrance

Biomass Collections, Harvesting & Preparation

- Thinnings and forest residuals
- Development of specialized harvesting equipment
- Biomass preparation and pretreatment
- Biomass feedstock characterization

Wood Pellets

- Impacts on wood fiber supply chains
- Torrefaction
- Future growth projections

Conversion Pathways

- Thermochemical & biochemical conversion technologies
- Hybrid conversion (e.g., pyrolysis and catalysis)
- Developments in enzyme science

Bioproducts

- Market assessment and competitive positioning of bioproducts
- Petrochemical and chemical value chain opportunities
- Partnerships along the value chain

Projects & Case Studies

Case Studies

- Status of biorefinery/bioenergy projects around the world
- Project deployment issues

Project Financing

- Techno-economic analysis, risk assessments
- Project financing

Impacts of Policies and Incentives

- Public policy proposals
- Pulp/paper incentives that support bioconversion progress
- Assessing common ground between pulp/paper and agricultural bioconversion policies

IBBC does not require a formal paper, only a PowerPoint Presentation. Authors interested in presenting should upload their abstract to TAPPI's Speaker Management System, eSELECT by **March 19, 2015**. Abstracts should be 1-2 paragraphs in length. Presenters will be notified of acceptance by April 16, 2015 and must provide a first draft of their presentation by September 7, 2015.

Interested in chairing a session? This is a great opportunity to network and get involved!

For more information on the event, submitting an abstract, or chairing a session, please contact: Lisa Stephens, TAPPI Account Manager, lstephens@tappi.org or Direct: 770-209-7313

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO PRESENT



(Being held in conjunction with IBBC)

The 2015 **TAPPI PEERS** Conference will include technical sessions, tutorials, round tables, new technology sessions and workshops that address (Abstracts on other topics are welcome):

- Fiber Processing
- Nonwood Fibers
- Mill Reliability and Engineering
- Steam and Power
- Recycling
- Environmental Management & Regulation
- Sustainability

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