The 2010 International Chemical Congress of Pacific Basin Societies

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To: Professor Toshiaki Yoshioka (CSJ JP)
From: Professor Steven Holdcroft, Chair, Scientific Program Subcommittee
Dr. Richard Love, Scientific Program Subcommittee
Date: May 25, 2008
Re: Recycling of Polymeric Waste Materials: Challenges and Perspectives
Proposal: #86
Area Topic: 8 - Environmental Chemistry

Thank you for submitting your symposium proposal to Pacifichem 2010. At the time of the submission deadline on April 15, 2008, 159 symposium proposals had been submitted. All submitted proposals were individually reviewed during the Pacifichem Organizing Committee Meeting held in Kyoto, Japan, May 13 – 14, 2008.

All reviewed proposals were given one of four review status categories:
- *Accepted*: The proposal was approved and the symposium organizers may proceed to develop the symposium for the Pacifichem 2010 program.
- *Accepted with Changes*: The proposal was approved. However, one or more changes to the proposal must be completed before the symposium is accepted into the Pacifichem 2010 program.
- *Deferred*: The proposal was not approved as written. One or more changes to the proposal must be completed and then the proposal must be resubmitted for committee review.
- *Rejected*: The proposal was not approved as written.

Organizers of *Accepted* symposia may proceed to organize their symposium for Pacifichem 2010. However, all symposium organizers of accepted proposals must keep in mind the following conditions-of-acceptance in order to participate in Pacifichem 2010:
- All symposia must accept contributed oral presentations. In other words, Pacifichem 2010 symposia may not completely consist of invited papers, but must have a mix of contributed and invited papers.
- All symposia should include speakers from as many Pacific Rim countries as possible in order to ensure a diversity of participation in the technical sessions.
- All symposia should have an associated poster session in order to accommodate papers that could not be scheduled in the oral sessions.
- Symposium organizers, when requested by the Organizing Committee, should communicate with similar-topic symposia in order to avoid overlap of speakers and subject content.

Organizers of *Accepted with Changes* and *Deferred* symposia must communicate with Richard Love (pacifichem@acs.org) by **July 1, 2008** that the actions requested by the Organizing Committee have been completed successfully in order to change the proposal status to *Accepted*. Otherwise, the proposal will need to be resubmitted during round 2, which will occur in September, 2008. Organizers of *Accepted with Changes* and *Deferred* symposia may now access their account through the WebSymposium Database to update the proposal with respect to the requested changes: http://www.ozonesoftware.com/cgi-bin/ws.exe?dbase=pac2010&action=v_login

Organizers of *Accepted* proposals may view, but not update, their proposals at this time.

The result of the committee review for your proposal is given on the next page.

Pacifichem 2010 First Round Proposal Review
Kyoto, Japan, May 13 – 14, 2008.

Corresponding Symposium Organizer (CSO): Professor Toshiaki Yoshioka (CSJ JP)
Proposal: #86
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Status: Accepted
Number of Assigned Day Sessions: 2
Number of Assigned Evening Sessions: 1
(Symposium organizers or *accepted proposals* will be able to ask for additional sessions in 2009 after the round 2 proposals have been evaluated.)

Organizing Committee Comments: The organizers of this proposal may now proceed to organize the symposium for the Pacifichem 2010 meeting.