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Passaic River Symposium VI

Intersecting Priorities

Organized by the Passaic River Institute of Montclair State University

October 9–10, 2014

Montclair State University Conference Center, 1 Normal Ave., Montclair, NJ

Symposium web site: http://www.montclair.edu/csam/passaic-river-institute/conferences/

The sixth Passaic River Symposium will be an event featuring environmental management, watershed science, and the *Lower Passaic River Restoration Project*. The symposium will include invited keynote speakers and plenary sessions/presentations on all aspects of environmental management challenges relevant to the Passaic River Basin and other regional watersheds. This conference year will focus on sediment remediation, environmental monitoring results, flooding, ecosystem restoration, and environmental advocacy and public outreach efforts. Projects in the upper River and tributary watersheds will also play a prominent role in this conference.

REGISTRATION

On-line registration and mail-in registration forms are now available through the Symposium web site, (*http://passaicriversymposium.eventbrite.com/*). Mail registrations must be postmarked by September 26, 2014. On-line registrations will be accepted until September 28, 2014.

Payment by credit card, check, or purchase order only. Registration fees (includes continental breakfast, lunch and book of abstracts):

Registration-two days	$300
Registration-one day	$170
Student Registration-two days	$100
Student Registration-one day	$ 60

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Abstracts are sought for platform (oral) presentations and posters on any studies relevant to environmental management, urban sustainability, the Passaic River Basin and regional watershed environments. Abstracts will be selected for presentation based on their scientific, technical and policy merit and relevance to the Symposium topic. Platform presentation length will be 20 minutes. A book of abstracts will be distributed at the conference and placed on the conference website following the conference. All symposium presenters are required to register for the conference. **Instructions for submitting an abstract can be found on the Symposium website.**

Abstract submittal deadline: July 1, 2014

Notification of acceptance: August 1, 2014

SYMPOSIUM PROCEEDINGS

The Passaic River Symposium VI Proceedings will be published post the symposium. Authors of accepted contributions to the Symposium are invited and encouraged to submit a full proceedings manuscript. Information on manuscript preparation will be provided soon after the notification of abstract acceptance. Manuscript submission deadline is October 1, 2014. Only

papers presented at the Symposium are eligible for review and possible publication in the proceedings. All manuscripts will be peer-reviewed and must comply with all guidelines for scientific papers that will be available as noted.

SPONSOR AND EXHIBITOR OPPORTUNITIES

We invite private companies, government agencies, non-profit organizations and academic institutions to apply to sponsor and/or exhibit at the conference. If your organization is interested in being an exhibitor, you can register online at http://passaicriversymposium.eventbrite.com. Exhibits should be appropriate for the symposium topics. Space is limited. If your organization is interested in being a sponsor, please contact us at pri@mail.montclair.edu or call 973-655-5423.

CONFERENCE LOCATION

The Symposium will be held at the Conference Center at Montclair State University on the 7th floor of the University Hall. It is a first-class conference center with a spectacular panoramic view of the Manhattan skyline. See www.montclair.edu/conferencecenter for information and directions.

ACCOMMODATION

A block of rooms at Courtyard Marriot located at 8 Rooney Circle, West Orange, is reserved for Symposium attendees. Online reservation can be made by clicking the reservation link.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Direct any inquires or questions to Dr. Meiyin Wu, Director of the Passaic River Institute and chair of the Symposium at pri@mail.montclair.edu or 973-655-5423