

AUSTRALASIAN COLLEGE OF TOXICOLOGY & RISK ASSESSMENT

What's the Matter? Toxicity and health effects of particulates – size or composition

Parmelia Hilton, Perth, Western Australia 26–28 September 2018 11th Annual Scientific Meeting & Continuing Education Day

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Call for Abstracts - Now Open

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11th Annual Scientific Meeting 27 - 28 September 2018 | Perth, Western Australia

A one day Continuing Education Day will precede the ASM on Wednesday, 26 September 2018.

This conference will address characterising particulate matter based on size and composition, the application of in vitro toxicity methods, the emerging health and toxicology studies focussing on composition and how we undertake risk assessments that include multiple sources, estimation of doses and exposures.

Major themes of the scientific programme will be:

- Toxicology and epidemiology of PM
- Sources, composition and measurement of PM
- PM exposure and risk assessment

Submission Deadline - Friday 29 June 2018

Application Instructions

Your abstract submission to the 11th ASM can be up to one A4 page in length, no more than 300 words and needs to clearly state the objectives and content of your proposed contribution. It may include figures, tables, diagrams and illustrations but not photos and the file size cannot be anymore than 2MB.

The abstract can address any topic relevant to the interests of ACTRA peers, and it need not be consistent with the overall theme of the ASM.

A focus of the programme is on PM and dusts associated with mining and transport.

Why should you present?

Presenting a paper at the ACTRA ASM is an opportunity for you to:

- Share your research findings and field experiences to a wide audience
- Build your personal and company profile as a knowledge leader in your field of expertise
- Network with your peers during the event
- Meet other academics and specialists from other disciplines and find a broader audience for your work
- Be influential in setting the agenda in your sector
- Have your contribution readily available long after the ASM in the members section of the ACTRA website.

Who will attend the ASM?

- Toxicologists (academic, industry and government)
- Ecotoxicologists
- Environmental health risk assessors
- Consultants
- Environmental managers
- Industrialists
- Occupational Hygienists
- Chemical regulators and policy makers in governments agencies (state and federal)
- Research scientists, including postgraduate students

The ability to network with these types of attendees not only provides opportunities to advance your own learning, but it adds credence and prestige to ACTRA's aims to broaden participation in knowledge dissemination and policy development in the fields of toxicology and health risk assessment. All abstracts need to adhere to the template formatting requirements. A template is downloadable from the Abstract Submission page of the ASM website.

How to Submit

Please submit your abstract with the corresponding application form via email by Friday 29 June 2018 to E: actraasm@clems.com.au.

You will be notified by Friday 20 July whether or not your abstract has been accepted. Presentation details will be included in the preliminary program and abstracts will be published in the event booklet.

Student Travel Grant

Don't forget to apply for the ACTRA Student Travel Grant. Submissions close 31 May 2018. Visit www.actra.org.au for more information.

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