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First Announcement and Call for Posters

Final MBR-Network Workshop

“Salient outcomes of the European
R&D projects on MBR technology“

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31 March – 1 April 2009
Berlin, Germany

Hosted by Trade Fair « Wasser Berlin 2009 »

Abstract submission: contact@mbr-network.eu
Deadline: **30 September 2008**
More info on workshop: www.mbr-network.eu

The Berlin Centre of Competence for Water is organising, under patronage of the International Water Association, the final workshop of the projects from the European cluster MBR-Network.

The workshop will present the salient outcomes of the European research projects related to the progress and advances of the MBR technology for municipal wastewater treatment. Results of fundamental and applied research as well as technological breakthroughs will be unveiled in oral presentations by the project partners.

Workshop themes

The following MBR technology and industry related fields will be addressed and discussed by international experts during the workshop with about 40 presentations and 50 posters:

- Membrane optimisation
- Fouling characterisation and control
- Module and aeration system development
- Hydraulic and biological modelling
- Advanced process control
- Full-scale engineering
- Full-scale operation and feedback on experience
- Novel hybrid MBR processes
- Market analysis

Invited international speakers

International speakers have already confirmed their attendance to address introductory lectures:

- N. Cicek, University of Manitoba, Canada
- T. Fane, University of New South Wales, Australia
- A. Gonzalez Gonzalez, European Commission – Research Directorate General
- C.-H. Lee, Seoul National University, Korea

Workshop hosted by Wasser Berlin 2009

The workshop is hosted by Wasser Berlin 2009, an international conference and exhibition on water and wastewater treatment (www.wasser-berlin.com)



Workshop dinner

The workshop registration will include a participation to the conference gala of Wasser Berlin 2009 which will take place in the evening of 31 March 2009

Language

The language of presentations, posters and proceedings will be English.



Call for Posters

A dedicated poster session open to the public will be included in the workshop program. Results of various investigations performed by the project partners will be presented. Any international team or company active in the MBR field is welcome to present a poster.

Extended abstracts (1 to 2 pages including figures and tables) can be submitted by 30 September 2008 via contact@mbr-network.eu. Please consult workshop website to download the abstract template.

Best student paper competition

A prize of 1,000 € will be awarded to the best student poster presented at the workshop by a jury of international experts.

Workshop proceedings

A book of proceedings will contain the presentation and poster abstracts and will be distributed to the workshop participants.



Key Dates

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| Poster abstract submission: | 30 September 2008 |
| Start registration: | 1 November 2008 |
| Deadline early bird: | 31 December 2008 |
| Deadline registration: | 20 March 2009 |
| Workshop: | 31 March – 1 April 2009 |

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