



## Science Advisory Board for Contaminated Sites in British Columbia

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### Call for Abstracts

#### The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual SABCS Conference on Contaminated Sites

September 24, 2015  
Segal Graduate School for Business  
Room 1200 – 1500, 500 Granville Street  
Vancouver BC V6C 1W6

The Science Advisory Board for Contaminated Sites in British Columbia (SABCS) is pleased to announce our 5<sup>th</sup> annual Conference on Contaminated Sites. The SABCS will be presenting a professional development workshop on September 23, 2015 and a one day conference on September 24, 2015. Once again, the emphasis of this year's conference will be on practical applications of research, development and technology to contaminated sites with industry, government and academic speakers. The conference will be held in downtown Vancouver, British Columbia at the SFU Segal Graduate School for Business.

The focus of this conference is contaminated sites, so abstracts that pertain to investigation, remediation, risk assessment, risk management and/or regulation of contaminated sites will be considered for inclusion in the conference. Of particular interest are abstracts that focus on the Upstream Oil and Gas Industry, Innovative Site Investigation Tools, Innovative Remediation Approaches (including Monitored Natural Attenuation, Green Remediation and Sustainable Remediation), Emerging Issues in Human Health and Ecological Risk Assessment and Regulatory Changes from all levels of government. As in the past, papers on sampling and analysis, including evaluation of issues for different contaminants of potential concern (COPC) are welcome

If you are interested in presenting at the conference, please forward abstracts of 500 words or less in Microsoft Word file format by **Friday June 5, 2015** to the Conference Sub-committee c/o the Conference Chair, Tiona Todoruk ([tiona.todoruk@worleyparsons.com](mailto:tiona.todoruk@worleyparsons.com)). A template for the abstracts follows this announcement. Please complete all information within the template including title, author names and titles, affiliations, addresses and contact email addresses with the submission. Authors of accepted abstracts will be notified via email no later than June 26, 2015. Authors of accepted abstracts will be required to provide an electronic copy of their presentation at least ten days in advance of the conference. Details on the presentation format will be provided at a later date.

Space is limited so it may not be possible to include presentations by all authors that submit abstracts. However, if sufficient interest is shown and sufficient abstracts are received, the SABCS may also consider opening a second parallel session during the afternoon as has been done in previous years.

Conference registration fees will be \$200 prior to August 14, 2015 and \$250 after August 14, 2015. Registrations are transferable. Written refund requests for cancellations must be received by September 11, 2015. Refund requests received on or before September 11, 2015 will be issued, less a \$50 cancellation fee. The professional development workshop registration fees are \$450 if attending both the conference and workshop, and \$500 if attending the workshop only. Authors presenting papers are entitled to a 50% reduction in conference registration fees. Note that only one author per paper is eligible for this discount. Registration will be opened once a conference agenda is available for review.

There is also an opportunity to sponsor the SABCS conference. Sponsors will be recognized with their logo in conference proceedings, displayed on the projection screen during breaks and posted on



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