



2010 STORMWATER CONFERENCE

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING ABSTRACTS

The Water New Zealand Stormwater Technical Committee is organising the technical programme. The Conference will consist of streams, each containing multiple presentations. The Technical Committee has sole discretion concerning the format and content of the sessions. The committee will review all abstracts submitted, although they may select some speakers from other sources. Individuals and organisations may submit as many abstracts for papers as they choose. If more than one abstract is submitted on different aspects of the same project, the project may be selected more than once for presentation. Acknowledgement of receipt of your abstract will be forwarded to you. Membership of Water New Zealand is preferred, but is not a requirement for presentation.

ABSTRACTS

Abstracts must be submitted online via the website using the link on the 2010 Stormwater Conference website. All of the required information must be submitted. Abstracts should be a maximum of 200 words and must be typed.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Abstracts will be reviewed and judged on the basis of relevance to the industry, significance of the words to a broad audience, originality of the work, including new concepts, improvements or new data, the technical content, and the status of the completeness of the work. The quality and content of the abstract presentation will be viewed as an indication of the quality expected in the presentation and final manuscript. All papers will be published in full.

DEADLINE

Abstracts are due to be submitted by Friday 6 November 2009.

Submit only one copy of your abstract. Sessions will be formulated by the Technical Committee and all corresponding authors will be notified by Monday 23 November of the acceptance (or otherwise) of their abstract. The reasons for rejection of abstracts will not be outlined. All accepted papers, including poster papers, will be published in the Conference Papers. By submitting an abstract and signing the Abstract Submission Form, authors are agreeing to provide by Friday 20 March 2010, a final paper copy by email and appropriate copyright to release to water New Zealand for publication.

FEES

Presenters at the Conference are attendees and will be expected to pay their own travel expenses and pay the appropriate conference registration fee. Please note that presenters cannot register as Additional Stand Personnel on an exhibitor's stand. All those authors who meet the appropriate deadlines will be entered into a draw to receive a complimentary registration. All students (defined a person enrolled in a full time course at a University or appropriate technical institute) will be eligible for a discount on registration, all students who present a paper will be eligible for a further discount. Details will be provided in subsequent conference communications.

TIMETABLE SUMMARY

- Abstracts Close– 6 November 2009.
- Selection Advice – 23 November 2009.
- Final Paper – 20 March 2010.