Welcome

International Symposium on Hazards, Prevention, and Mitigation of Industrial Explosion (ISHPMIE) was started from the first symposium in 1996, in Bergen, Norway. It was established by incorporating the Seventh International Colloquium on Dust Explosions (The first five were held in Poland: Baranow (1984), Jadwisiq (1986), Szczyrk (1988), Porabka-Kozubnik (1990), Pultusk (1993), and then Shenyang, China (1994)) and the Second Colloquium on Gas, Vapor, Liquid, Hybrid and Fuel–Air Explosions (The First Colloquium was held in Montreal, Canada (1981)). The symposium continued with the second symposium in Schaumburg, USA (1998), the third in Tsukuba, Japan (2000), the fourth in Bourges, France (2002), the fifth in Cracow, Poland (2004), the sixth in Halifax, Canada (2006), the seventh in St. Petersburg, Russia (2008), the eighth in Yokohama, Japan (2010), the ninth in Cracow, Poland (2012) and the tenth in Bergen, Norway (2014).

11th ISHPMIE will be hosted by Dalian University of Technology, and is scheduled on July 24 to 29, 2016. It is aimed at providing valuable opportunity, in which scientists on explosion phenomena and specialists on industrial explosion hazards can meet together and exchange their ideas and information.

Timeline

11 May. 2015 – 1st announcement

- Abstract and full paper
  - 27 Sep. 2015 – Abstracts due
  - 1 Nov. 2015 – Abstract Notification
  - 10 Jan. 2016 – Submission deadline of draft Paper
  - 6 Mar. 2016 – Paper Notification
  - 21 Mar. 2016 – Early Bird Registration
  - 15 May. 2016 – Final submission deadline for camera-ready paper
  - 22 May. 2016 – Registration Deadline
  - 24-29 Jul. 2016 – 11th ISHPMIE

Plenary papers
- 20 Dec. 2015 – Determination of plenary speakers
- 15 May. 2016 – Final submission deadline for camera-ready copy

Registration fees

- Early registration fee – before Monday 21 March 2016
  Regular $650  Student $450

- Standard registration fee – before Sunday 22 May 2016
  Regular $750  Student $550

The registration fee includes: admission to all technical sessions, participant kit (Proceedings on USB memory, printed symposium program and the abstracts of papers, notebook, pen, etc), lunches, coffee breaks, the Monday welcome reception, the Wednesday excursion and dinner, the Friday farewell reception and the related visa formalities.

- Accompanying persons  $350

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Other fees

- Thursday symposium banquet $55
  Some Chinese traditional programs (Chinese musical instrument, traditional opera, acrobatics) will show during the banquet.
- Optional post-symposium event $85
  Participants at 11th ISHPMIE have the option to join the trip along winding coastline on Saturday 30 July 2016, which covers numerous beautiful tourist places, including famous National Golden Beach Tourist Holiday Area, karst landscape formed a billion years ago—Heishijiao, Bangchui Island, Xinghai Square, Tiger Beach Park, Donghai Park etc.

Paper Submission

Please consult the website http://ISHPMIE.DLUT.EDU.CN for instructions for abstract and paper preparation and submission. The scopes will cover a range of industrial explosions-relevant fundamental studies including experimental and modeling development, prevention and mitigation strategies and investigations of actual accidents, which are listed as follows:

- Case histories
- Detonation & DDT
- Dust explosions
- Explosion prevention
- Explosion suppression & isolation
- Flame propagation & acceleration
- Flammability & Inerting
- Gas explosions
- Hybrid explosions
- Hydrogen safety
- Ignition & extinction
- Release & dispersion
- Risk management for potentially explosive atmospheres
- Runaway reactions
- Spray & mist explosions
- Vapour Cloud Explosions

Some of the accepted papers will be published in a special issue of Journal of Loss Prevention in the Process Industries depending on the evaluation of the peer-reviewing process and best paper/presentation award committee.

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