

PAMSGRAM

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The PAMSGRAM is a FAXED notice for State and Local air pollution control agencies which highlights issues meriting attention by PAMS monitoring staff.

Call for Papers

Photochemical Assessment Monitoring Stations (PAMS) Program

International Symposium on Measurement of Toxic and Related Air Pollutants

Research Triangle Park, North Carolina

April 29 - May 1, 1997

The twelfth annual International Symposium on the "Measurement of Toxic and Related Air Pollutants" co-sponsored by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's National Exposure Research Laboratory (NERL) and the Air and Waste Management Association (A&WMA) will be held at the Sheraton Imperial Hotel and Convention Center, I-40 (Exit 282 at Page Road) in the Research Triangle Park area. A special session has been set aside for oral papers concerning the Photochemical Assessment Monitoring Stations (PAMS) program; papers on the following (or related) themes are invited:

Measurement of Biogenic Compounds
Open-Path Measurements at PAMS
Data Analysis/Assessment
Source Apportionment
Quality Assurance Issues
Quality Control Checks
Measurement of Toxic Compounds at PAMS

Use of Upper Air Met Data
Carbonyl Measurements
Trends
Evaluation of Emissions Inventories
Data Management/Completeness
Instrumentation at PAMS
Regional Transport Issues

Other PAMS-related Topics

Send abstracts of 200 words by December 15, 1996, to Robert G. Fuerst, USEPA, NERL, MD-44, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711, telephone (919) 541-2220. Both hardcopy and diskcopy are requested; faxes are not acceptable. Abstracts must include: Manuscript title,

author's names, affiliations and mailing addresses. A complete mailing address of the speaker is necessary for correspondence. Please indicate whether the abstract is for oral or poster presentation; note that posters will be presented in the General Poster Session rather than the special PAMS session. Abstracts for papers should be marked for the PAMS Sessions. Full manuscripts are required and are due by the date of presentation.

For additional information or to register, please contact the Registrar, Air and Waste Management Association, Phone (412) 232-3444, extension 3142; fax (412) 232-3450.

Photochemical Assessment Monitoring Stations Interactive Sessions

The Environmental Protection Agency in cooperation with the Air and Waste Management Association is sponsoring interactive sessions and open discussion on PAMS scheduled for Monday afternoon and evening, April 28, 1997. The sessions should cover topics of special concern and helpful practical experiences. If you plan on attending or for further information regarding these sessions, please respond by December 31, 1997, to Tom Link, USEPA-OAQPS, Mail Drop #12, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27711; Telephone: (919) 541-5456, fax: (919) 541-7674, E-MAIL: link.tom@epamail.epa.gov

Suggestions for particular topics of interest, similar to the topics listed for papers, would be appreciated.