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2016

December

- [ICBB 2016: International Conference on Biofuels and Bioenergy — December 29-30, 2016 — Paris, France](#)

2017

January

- [Transportation Research Board \(TRB\) 96th Annual Meeting — January 8-12, 2017 — Washington, D.C.](#)
- [Keystone Farm Show — January 10-12, 2017 — York, PA](#) **Free Admission Scroll Down for Info**
- [National Biodiesel Conference & Expo — January 16-19, 2017 — San Diego, CA](#)
- [World Future Energy Summit \(WFES\) Sustainable Transport — January 16-19, 2017 — Abu](#)

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- [WEBINAR: Multifunctional Riparian Buffers: Synergies with Bioenergy Crops and Ecosystem Service Provision — January 17, 2017](#)
- [5th Central European Biomass Conference — January 18-20, 2017 — Graz, Austria](#) [Scroll down for discount information.](#)
- [14th International Conference on Renewable Mobility “Fuels of the Future 2017” — January 23-24, 2017 — Berlin, Germany](#) [Scroll down for discount information](#)
- [SAE 2017 Light Duty Emissions Control Symposium — January 23-24, 2017 — Washington, DC](#)
- [NCSE 2017, the National Conference and Global Forum on Science, Policy, and the Environment– Integrating Environment and Health — January 24-26, 2017 — Washington, DC](#)
- [SAE 2017 Government/Industry Meeting — January 25-27, 2017 — Washington, DC](#)
- [Value of Biogas West — January 27, 2017 — Abbotsford, British Columbia, Canada](#)
- [Washington Auto Show — January 27-February 5, 2017 — Washington, DC](#)

February

- [Lignofuels 2017 — February 1-2, 2017 — Helsinki, Finland](#)
- [National Ethanol Conference — February 20-22, 2017 — San Diego, CA](#)
- [Rethink Methane: Removing the Fossil from the Fuel — February 21-22, 2017 — Sacramento, CA](#)
- [8th Carbon Dioxide Utilization Summit — February 22-23, 2017 — San Antonio, TX](#)
- [ARPA-E Energy Innovation Summit — February 27 – March 1, 2017 — National Harbor, MD](#)

March

- [ABLC 2017 — March 1-3, 2017 — Washington, DC](#)
- [2017 Project Peer Review — March 6-9, 2017 — Denver, CO](#)
- [International Conference Progress in Biogas IV — March 8-11, 2017 — Stuttgart, Germany](#)
- [Gasification 2017 — March 15-16, 2017 — Helsinki, Finland](#)
- [Global Forum for Innovations in Agriculture — March 20-21, 2017 — Abu Dhabi, UAE](#)
- [International Conference on Enzymology — March 20-21, 2017 — Rome, Italy](#)
- [ACE 2017 DC Fly-In — March 22-23, 2017 — Washington, DC](#)
- [Value of Biogas East — March 23-24, 2017 — Toronto, Ontario, Canada](#)
- [World Agri-Tech Investment Summit — March 28-29, 2017 — San Francisco, CA](#)

April

- [SynBioBeta — April 4-6, 2017 — London, UK](#)

- [BioCycle East Coast17 — April 4-7, 2017 — Baltimore, MD](#)
- [Designing Sustainable, Working Landscapes with Perennial Crops for Bioenergy and Ecosystem Services New Short Course — April 5-6, 2017 — State College, PA](#)
- [2017 International Biomass Conference & Expo — April 10-12, 2017 — Minneapolis, MN](#)
- [Argus Biomass 2017 — April 25-27, 2017 — London, UK](#)
- [3rd Annual Congress on Biofuels and Bioenergy — April 27-28, 2017 — Dubai, UAE](#)

May

- [Symposium on Biotechnology for Fuels & Chemicals — May 1-4, 2017 — San Francisco, CA](#)
- [ACT Expo — May 1-4, 2017 — Long Beach, CA](#)
- [RISI Forest Investment Conference — May 4-5, 2017 — London, UK](#)
- [Global Forum for Innovations in Agriculture \(GFIA\) — May 9-10, 2017 — Utrecht, The Netherlands](#)
- [TechConnect World Innovation Conference & Expo — May 14-17, 2017 — Washington, DC](#)
- [International Symposium on Green Chemistry — May 16-19, 2017 — La Rochelle, France](#)
- [Alternative Fuels Conference — May 24-26, 2017 — Italy](#)

June

- [RRB-13, the 13th International Conference on Renewable Resources and Biorefineries — June 7-9, 2017 Wroclaw, Poland](#)
- [EUBCE 2017 – 25th European Biomass Conference and Exhibition — June 12-15, 2017 — Stockholmsmässan, Stockholm, Sweden](#)
- [21st Annual Green Chemistry and Engineering Conference — June 13-17, 2017 — Reston, VA](#)
- [The 7th International Conference on Algal Biomass, Biofuels and Bioproducts — June 18-21, 2017 — Miami, FL](#)
- [Fuel Ethanol Workshop \(FEW\) — June 19-21, 2017 — Minneapolis, MN](#)
- [2017 BIO International Convention — June 19-22, 2017 — San Diego, CA](#)
- [Smart Cities Innovation Summit — June 26-28, 2017 — Austin, TX](#)
- [Oleofuels 2017 — June 28-29, 2017 — Krakow, Poland](#)

July

- [Bioeconomy 2017: Domestic Resources for a Vibrant Future — July 11-12, 2017 — Arlington, VA](#)
- [BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology — July 23-26, 2017 — Montréal, Canada](#)
- [Building the Northeast Bioeconomy: Making Connections — July 24-25, 2017 — State](#)

[College, PA](#)

September

- [tcbiomass2017 — September 19-21, 2017 — Chicago, IL](#)

October

- [Palmex Indonesia 2017 — October 3-5, 2017 — Medan, Indonesia](#)
- [Brazilian BioEnergy Science and Technology Conference \(BBEST 2017\) — October 17-19, 2017 — Campos do Jordão, Brazil](#)
- [RENEXPO Poland — October 25-27, 2017 — Warsaw, Poland](#)

On-Going or Regularly Scheduled Events

- [Extension Programs: NewBio Webinars 2nd Tuesdays](#)
- [Ethanol Safety Seminars Various Dates, Locations— Responding to Ethanol Emergencies — Are you Prepared?](#)

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See also [CALL FOR PAPERS](#), a list of invitations to submit abstracts for presentations and posters.

Telling YOUR Story: *Requests for Speakers/Papers/Posters/Presentations*



Deadline January 2017

- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: 2017 BIO World Congress — July 23-26, 2017 — Montreal,](#)

[Quebec, Canada DEADLINES: for Panels & Speakers: January 11, 2017; for Investor Sessions & Poster Presenters: May 15, 2017](#)

- [CALL FOR ABSTRACTS: International Conference on Renewable Resources & Biorefineries — June 7-9, 2017 ... Wroclaw, Poland DEADLINE: January 15, 2017](#)
- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: SynBioBeta — April 4-6, 2017 — London, UK DEADLINE: January 20, 2017](#)
- [CALL FOR INNOVATIONS: TechConnect World Innovation Conference & Expo — May 14-17, 2017 — Washington, DC DEADLINE: January 27, 2017](#)

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- [CALL FOR PAPERS: 21st Annual Green Chemistry and Engineering Conference — June 13-15, 2017 — Reston, VA DEADLINE: February 13, 2017](#)
- [CALL FOR PANELS, ABSTRACTS, INNOVATIONS: Smart Cities Innovation Summit — June 26-28, 2017 — Austin, TX DEADLINE: February 26, 2017](#)

Deadline March 2017

- [CALL FOR ABSTRACTS, WORKSHOPS: Sardinia Symposium 2017 — October 2-6, 2017 — Forte Village, Cagliari, Italy DEADLINE: March 1, 2017](#)

Deadline May 2017

- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: 2017 BIO World Congress — July 23-26, 2017 — Montreal, Quebec, Canada DEADLINES: for Panels & Speakers: January 11, 2017; for Investor Sessions & Poster Presenters: May 15, 2017](#)

Deadline Uncertain or Continuing

- [CALL FOR ABSTRACTS: International Conference on Enzymology — March 20-21, 2017 — Rome, Italy DEADLINE: unclear](#)
- [CALL FOR ABSTRACTS: 3rd Annual Congress on Biofuels and Bioenergy — April 27-28, 2017 — Dubai, UAE DEADLINE: unclear](#)
- [CALL FOR PAPERS: International Conference on Bio-Based Materials — May 10-11, 2017 — Cologne, Germany DEADLINE: Unclear](#)
- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: Alternative Fuels Conference — May 24-26, 2017 — Italy DEADLINE: uncertain](#)

- [CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS – Algae Production Methods and Technologies](#)
[DEADLINE: Continuing](#)

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Telling YOUR Story: *Nominations for Awards, Recognition*

Let us know of any awards for achievements in advanced biofuels.



Voting Open for the 50 Hottest Companies in the Advanced Bioeconomy

by Jim Lane (Biofuels Digest) Yes, it's time for voting in the Hot 50. Who will be #1? In Florida, The Digest announced the official opening of voting for the 50 Hottest Companies in the ...continues through January 27th, 2017 at 5pm ET.

The National Recycling Awards 2017 Are Open for Entries



(MRW) Entry Deadline is the 20 January. The UK's biggest celebration of recycling and waste management excellence — The National Recycling Awards recognise excellence across the industry and beyond in addressing recycling, reuse and waste reduction – and are judged by their ...



EPA Calls for Nominations for 2017 Presidential Green Chemistry Challenge Awards

(Environmental Protection Agency) Deadline December 31, 2016. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) today announced its call for nominations for the 2017 Presidential Green Chemistry Challenge Awards for companies or institutions that have developed a new process or product ...

Recent Activities, Articles

A View from Inside-- Jatropha Oil: Ghana's Next Potential Source of Biofuel



Theophilus Kumah, a recent Chemical Engineering graduate of Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology in Ghana, is volunteering with Advanced Biofuels USA as a writer. His latest article explores jatropha as a feedstock for biofuels development in Ghana.

The photo by Modern Ghana from Daily Guide in 2009 shows women in Northern Ghana processing jatropha for oil to power a multifunctional platform used in shea butter processing.

Kumah concludes that if Jatropha should get the same level of attention given to ethanol from sugarcane or lignocellulosic biomass, jatropha could be extracted in commercial quantities. Its commercial production could then propel Ghana to make significant strides in the biofuel sector as spelled out in its energy policy. [READ MORE](#)

Future Activities: Come See Us!

If you are attending of these conferences or events and would like to speak with any of our representatives, let us know at 301-644-1395 or email [info @ AdvancedBiofuelsUSA.org](mailto:info@AdvancedBiofuelsUSA.org) and we'll make arrangements.

Visit us at Booth H-308 at the Keystone Farm Show — January 10-12, 2017 — York, PA



A favorite winter activity--talking with people at the Keystone Farm Show at the fairgrounds in York, PA.

They call this the Farm Show for Farmers. Full-time farmers from Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, and Northern Virginia stop by to visit. Vendors hail from around the world. If you are interested in seeing the latest in farm machinery and services for active farms and forests such as industrial sized wood-splitters, information about seeds, fertilizers, precision farming, tools, Extension services and agriculture-related organizations, spend a winter's day at the Keystone Farm Show. **And stop by our booth, H-308.** Don't forget--there's **free admission for Advanced Biofuels USA readers:** [Download Tickets](#)

Upcoming Advanced Biofuels Conferences and

Activities: *Details, Discounts, Deals*

Keystone Farm Show — January 10-12, 2017 — York, PA



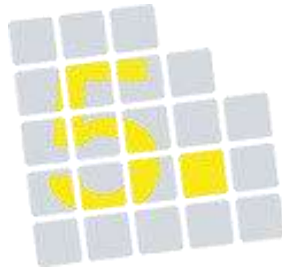
***The Largest Commercial
Farm Equipment &
Service Provider Trade
Show in The State of
Pennsylvania!!***

The Keystone Farm Show is the fastest growing farm show on the East Coast! Started in January of 1998 to address the needs of agrimarketers in the Mid-Atlantic area, the show has nearly tripled in size! The Keystone Farm Show has been extended to 3 days to accommodate the increase in attendance.

This show targets only full-time farmers in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, and Northern Virginia. Since its inception, the Keystone Farm Show has tripled in number of exhibitors and uses all available space at the York Fairgrounds including the newly refurbished Heritage Hall.

This show is only marketed to full-time farmers through the agricultural print media in the geographical area covered by Country Folks weekly farm newspapers. [READ MORE](#) **Free admission for Advanced Biofuels USA readers:** [Download Tickets](#)

5th Central European Biomass Conference — January 18-20, 2017 — Graz, Austria



The Austrian Biomass Association, the Styrian Chamber of Agriculture and Bioenergy 2020+ GmbH organized in cooperation with Messe Graz from 18 to 20 January 2017 in Graz . 5 Central European Biomass Conference. The agreement at the UN Climate Change Conference 2015 in Paris provides the go-ahead for the global energy revolution. Investments that flowed so far in the fossil energy supplies are increasingly being diverted to renewable energy, under

which bioenergy in Europe is the most important. The opportunities for Central Europe, to benefit from the investments in infrastructure and plant engineering as well as the positive effects of bioenergy use are excellent. [READ MORE](#)

14th International Conference on Renewable Mobility “Fuels of the Future 2017” — January 23-24, 2017 — Berlin, Germany



The program of the 14th International Conference on Renewable Mobility “Fuels of the Future” is now available for you at www.fuels-of-the-future.com. On behalf of the co-organizers, the Union for the Promotion of Oil and Protein Plants (UFOP), the Association of German Bioethanol Producers (BDBe), the Association of the German Biofuels Industry (VDB) and the German Biogas Association (FvB), I cordially invite you to take part on 23/24 January 2017 at Berlin's CityCube.

As the highlight event of the German and European biofuel industry with more than 500 participants from 30 countries, the specialist conference is a must-attend event for the exchange with German and international stakeholders from politics, the industry and research.

The contents of the conference program have been extended to account for the increasing diversification of engine technologies as well as the research and production of various fuels from renewable energy sources. [READ MORE](#) **Ask for your Advanced Biofuels USA discount: tariff of 490.-€ (+VAT), instead of 690.-€ (+VAT)**

Lignofuels 2017 — February 1-2, 2017 — Helsinki, Finland



Advanced Biofuels & Materials — Following the success of the last year's conference in Munich, Germany with Clariant's Sunliquid plant visit, and the previous one to that in Madrid with the Abengoa's demonstration plant site visit. We are delighted to announce that next Lignofuels 2017 Conference will be taking place at the heart of the wood bioenergy

industry – Finland.

The main conference will be held in Helsinki, on the 1st and 2nd of February 2017. A day prior the main conference, 31st of January 2017, a limited number of conference attendees will have the unique opportunity to join an exclusive site visit to the UPM Lappeenranta Biorefinery – The world's first commercial scale wood-based biorefinery in Lappeenranta, Finland.

Already on its 9th edition, this two day conference will bring together key industry stakeholders. We would like to invite you to join our forum discussions and take advantage of excellent networking opportunities, meeting leaders from advanced generation biofuels companies from across the globe. [READ MORE](#)

4th Annual Congress on Biofuels and Bioenergy — April 27-28, 2017 — Dubai, UAE



Join us for two intensive and interesting days of discussing contemporary research. We invite you to contribute and help to shape the Biofuels and Bioenergy congress through submissions of your research abstracts, papers and e-posters. Bioenergy International is cordially inviting for presentation at the conference.

Biofuels Conference-2017 expecting the participants from all over the globe in various fields like:

- Fuel engineers
- Chemical Engineers
- Professors, Researchers, Students and Technical Staff from the field of Chemical Engineering
- Engineers and delegates from Aviation and Automobile companies
- Directors/Co-Directors of research based companies across Europe and US who are investing in Biofuels and Bioenergy [READ MORE](#)

International Symposium on Green Chemistry — May 16-19, 2017 — La Rochelle, France



The main objective of ISGC-2017 is to gather the most eminent scientists involved in the field of green chemistry to debate on the future challenges of Chemistry keeping in mind the problems of access to a sustainable energy, the management of resources (carbon, water, metals, minerals), Human development, global warming, impact on the environment and competitiveness of our Industry. To contribute to solve this complex equation, ISGC-2017 has been thought as a cross-disciplinary platform and should offer to public and private scientists an ideal platform for sharing fundamental knowledge with industrial research and development stakeholders.

On the continuation of the previous editions, ISGC-2017 will gather more than 800 attendees from all around who will exchange on the most recent advances in the field of green chemistry through plenary lectures, keynotes, oral and flash communications and posters organized around multi-parallel sessions with 6 principal topics and industrial sessions.

New in 2017 : to facilitate access to cutting edge research and enable industrials to present their know-how, technologies and innovations, ISGC has created the "Green Chemistry Challenge" and offers an exhibition area, industrial sessions and 1-to-1 meetings for all the participants, with

ability to send or receive meeting requests and view companies & academic laboratories profiles. [READ MORE](#)

EUBCE 2017 – 25th European Biomass Conference and Exhibition — June 12-15, 2017 — Stockholmsmässan, Stockholm, Sweden



The European Biomass Conference and Exhibition will celebrate its 25th edition in Stockholm from 12th to 15th June 2017.

As one of the world's leading R&D conference combined with an international exhibition, the EUBCE represents the leading platform for the collection, exchange and dissemination of scientific know-how in the field of biomass.

The Conference Programme will address topics from biomass itself to bioliquids and biofuels for heat and electricity, transport and biobased products, covering all aspects of each value chain, from supply and logistics to conversion technologies, from industrial application of research results to impacts on the environment, from market and trade aspects to policy strategies, not least to the role of biomass as a source in integrated energy systems.

The EUBCE is supported by European and international organizations such as the European Commission, UNESCO – United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization – Natural Sciences Sector, WCRE – the World Council for Renewable Energy, EUBIA – the European Biomass Industry Association, The Central European Initiative, The Global Bioenergy Partnership and other organisations.

The Technical Programme is coordinated by DG Joint Research Centre of the European Commission. [READ MORE](#)

Oleofuels 2017 — June 28-29, 2017 — Krakow, Poland



Oleofuels 2017 will bring together senior representatives from the biodiesel, renewable diesel and HVO/HEFA industry to discuss all the latest market advancements, developments & business opportunities. The event will cover current key challenges and issues faced by the industry and provide in-depth discussions and analysis of today's European & global policies and regulations, updates on feedstock availability & sourcing strategies, followed by cutting-edge technology & chemistry innovations, providing an informative and balanced

approach for participants from across the entire supply chain

Who should attend: Senior Oleofuels producing companies (first & advanced generation),

feedstock producers & suppliers, regulatory and policy officers, industry analysts and logistics experts, researchers, fuel additive suppliers, environmental organisations, key industry`associations. [READ MORE](#)

***BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology — July 23-26,2017 —
Montréal, Canada***



The BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology provides a unique forum for business executives, government officials, academic researchers and industry leaders to share the latest advances in renewable chemicals, synthetic biology, enzymes, food ingredients, biofuels and more! [READ MORE](#)

Metabolomics Conference 2017 — August 29-30, 2017 — Prague, Czech Republic



Metabolomics is an emerging and promising field among many biological areas of application as metabolite levels changes with developmental, physiological and pathological state. It is sensitive to both genetic and modifying environmental influences that determine the metabolic fingerprint of an individual. Metabolomics Conference 2017 provides a platform to meet top notch experts in the field of metabolomics, systems biology, proteomics, transcriptomics, precision medicine & molecular biology to discuss molecular mechanisms by which genetic information is encoded in DNA. It would be a great opportunity for companies that are dealing in analytical instruments required for this field. It will also be benefitting to the students, researchers, scholars and others participants who will be participating in the world class international workshops, symposia and exhibition which will be directed by specialists in particular field. [READ MORE](#)

Sardinia Symposium 2017 — October 2-6, 2017 — Forte Village, Cagliari, Italy



Following the incredible success of Sardinia 2015 / Arts Edition, which saw the participation of 732 delegates from more than 70 different countries from all the continents, we are proud to announce the 30th Anniversary of Sardinia Symposia, the reference forum for the international community since 1987.

Sardinia 2017 promises to be the most international and largest event of the year in the field of Waste Management and Landfilling. In line with tradition,

the 16th edition of the conference will focus on advances of Waste Management science and technologies, presenting case studies and discussing key controversial subjects, sharing experiences from different countries, and assessing social and economical balances.

The conference will include oral sessions and specialised workshops for a total of eight parallel tracks, parallel events, practical design workshops, business to business meetings, discussion forums, a continuously accessible poster area and a wide exhibition space for companies working in the field of Waste Management. Prior to the start of the Symposium, training courses will be offered by IWWG. [READ MORE](#)

Palmex Indonesia 2017 — October 3-5, 2017 — Medan, Indonesia



The 9th PALMEX Indonesia 2017 is the only specialized Palm Oil event in Asia that brings together an international congregation of both upstream and downstream palm oil companies and also its supporting industries gathered in the capital city of North Sumatera, Medan to showcase the latest developments in the palm oil industry.

North Sumatera, home to one of Indonesia's largest concentration of oil palm plantations and also the presence of many supporting facilities such as palm oil processing plants making its capital Medan the perfect venue for the show. This unique event seeks to educate the public on the importance of the palm oil industry in Indonesia and the future trends of palm oil in the region. More than 7,000 industry professionals from more than 10 countries would be expected to turn up at this event. The international character and regional audience of PALMEX Indonesia 2017 provides unparalleled marketing, education and networking opportunities. [READ MORE](#)

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