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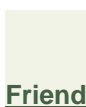
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## Coming Advanced Biofuels Events

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**2014**

**June**

- [EnergyPath 2014 June 16-18 Energy Camps; 19-20 Conference Reading, PA\\*](#)
- [World Bio Markets Asia June 17-18, 2014 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia\\*](#) [Scroll down for special pricing](#)
- [Platts 3rd Annual European Biofuels Conference June 17-18, 2014 Prague, Czech Republic\\*](#)
- [18th Annual Green Chemistry & Engineering Conference June 17-19, 2014 North Bethesda, Maryland](#)
- [5th Congress of the International Society for Applied Phycology – ISAP](#)

2014 June 22-27, 2014 Sydney, Australia

- 22nd European Biomass Conference and Exhibition June 23-26, 2014 Hamburg, Germany\*
- 2014 BIO International Convention June 23-26 San Diego, CA
- Bioenergy and Bioproducts Education Programs: Delaware State University June 23-28, 2014 Dover, DE
- 3rd International Conference on Biodiversity & Sustainable Energy Development June 24-26, 2014 Valencia, Spain
- WEBINAR: Accessing the EU Market for Used Cooking Oil June 25, 2014 11:00 AM EDT
- Hansa Green Tour June 25-28, 2014 Netherlands, Germany, Denmark
- REFF-Wall Street June 25-26, 2014 New York, NY\* Scroll down for discount information.

## July

- Bioenergy and Bioproducts Education Programs: University MD Eastern Shore July 7-11, 2014 Princess Anne, MD
- Bioenergy and Bioproducts Education Programs: EcoComplex at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey July 7-11, 2014
- Infocast's Waste to Bio: Energy, Fuels, Gas & Chemicals Summit July 8-10, 2014 Chicago, IL
- International VDI Conference – Biofuels 2014 July 15-16 Rotterdam, Netherlands
- Short Rotation Woody Crop Conference “Woody Crops: Production Alternatives for Multiple Uses” July 17-19, 2014 Seattle, WA
- 2014 International Poplar Symposium VI (IPS VI) July 20-24 Vancouver, British Columbia
- Bioenergy and Bioproducts Education Programs: Pennsylvania State University July 21-25, 2014 State College, PA
- Bioenergy & Bioproducts Education Programs: Boyce Thompson Institute

July 21-25, 2014 Ithaca, NY

- Bioenergy and Bioproducts Education Programs: West Virginia University July 21-25, 2014 Morgantown, WV
- Conference on Pan American Biofuels and Bioenergy Sustainability July 22-25, 2014 Recife, Brazil
- Bioenergy and Bioproducts Education Programs: Cornell Cooperative Ext Dutchess County July 28-Aug 1, 2014 Millbrook, NY
- Biomass 2014: Growing the Future Bioeconomy July 29-30 Washington, DC\*
- 17th Annual Congressional Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency EXPO + Forum July 31, 2014 Washington, DC

## August

- Bioenergy and Bioproducts Education Programs: Tri-State Workshop with OBIC-Ohio State, Purdue and Michigan State August 4-8, 2014 Indianapolis, IN
- 6th Palm Oil Asia Summit August 13-14, 2014 – Jakarta, Indonesia\*
- Collective Biodiesel Conference August 14-17, 2014 Pittsboro, NC
- August 2014 Field Days Focus on Switchgrass as Bioenergy Feedstock August 19 – Beaver Crossing, Nebraska; August 20 – Dawson, Nebraska
- International Summit on Past and Present Research Systems of Green Chemistry August 25-27, 2014 Philadelphia, PA
- 2nd Oleochemicals Outlook August 26-27, 2014 Jakarta, Indonesia\*
- 20th Asia International Sugar Conference August 26-28, 2014 Yogyakarta, Indonesia

## September

- TCS 2014: Symposium on Thermal and Catalytic Sciences for Biofuels and Biobased Products September 2-5, 2014 Denver, CO
- World Sugar Expo 2014 September 3-4 Bangkok, Thailand
- Next Generation Biomass Conversion – Bioenergy Short Course Series, 2014

- [September 10-11 San Francisco, CA](#)
- [Fundamentals of Edible Oil Refining, Processing and Quality Management September 13-14 Montpellier, France](#)
- [Asia Pacific Resilience Innovation Summit and Expo \(APRISE2014\) September 15-17 Honolulu, HI](#)
- [Bioenergy from Forest Conference September 15-18, 2014 Helsinki, Finland](#)
- [F.O. Licht's Sugar Africa September 16-18, 2014\\*](#)
- [GTCbio's 5th Biobased Chemicals: Commercialization & Partnering Conference September 18-19, 2014 San Francisco, CA.](#)
- [2014 Extension Energy and Environment Summit Sept. 23-25, 2014 Ames, IA](#)
- [7th Biofuels International Conference September 24-25, 2014 Ghent, Belgium\\*](#)
- [3rd Biofuels Conference: Biofuels – Development or Stagnation September 25, 2014 Warsaw, Poland](#)
- [2014 Algae Biomass Summit September 29-October 2, 2014 San Diego, CA\\*](#)
- [7th European Forum for Industrial Biotechnology and the Biobased Economy September 30-October 2, 2014 Reims, France](#)

## October

- [Bioproducts World Showcase October 5-8, 2014 Columbus, OH\\*](#)
- [National Advanced Biofuels Conference & Expo October 13-15, 2014 Minneapolis, Minnesota\\* Scroll down for discount information](#)
- [Argus European Biofuels and Feedstocks Trading 2014 October 15-16 London, UK](#)
- [All-Energy Australia October 15-16, 2014 Melbourne, Victoria, Australia](#)
- [OPIS RFS2, RINs and Biodiesel Forum October 16-17, 2014 Chicago, IL](#)
- [Export Exchange 2014™ October 20-22, 2014 Seattle, WA](#)
- [3rd International Frontiers in Biorefining Conference October 21-24, 2014 St. Simons Island, GA](#)

- [Lignobiotech III Symposium October 26-29, 2014 Concepcion, Chile](#)

## November

- [F.O. Licht's World Ethanol & Biofuels November 3-6, 2014 Budapest, Hungary\\*](#)
- [EcoChem November 11-13, 2014 Basel, Switzerland\\*](#)
- [Venice 2014 – Fifth International Symposium on Energy from Biomass and Waste November 17-20 Venice, Italy\\*](#)
- [Lignofuels 2014 November 19-20 Madrid, Spain](#)
- [Renewable Energy Latin American & Caribbean Conference & Exhibition \(RELACCx\) November 20-12, 2014 Fajardo, Puerto Rico\\*](#) Scroll down for discount information.

## December

- [F.O. Licht's Ethanol Latin America December 1-3, 2014\\*](#)
- [Pacific Rim Summit on Industrial Biotechnology & Bioenergy December 7-9, 2014 San Diego, CA](#)

## 2015

### January

- [2015 Ag Connect Expo and Summit January 27-29, 2015 Indianapolis, IN](#)

### March

- [AMI's Green Polymer Chemistry 2015 March 18-19 Cologne, Germany](#)

## 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?](#)

Get more information on our home page: [www.AdvancedBiofuelsUSA.org](http://www.AdvancedBiofuelsUSA.org) and in our [Coming Events](#) and [More Coming Events](#) lists.

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

\* **Scroll down for more information.**

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

**Deadline June 2014**

- [CALL FOR ABSTRACTS:](#)

**Deadline July 2014**

- [CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS: BioCycle East Coast Conference 2014 October 27-30 Baltimore, MD DEADLINE: July 15, 2014](#)

**Deadline August 2014**

- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: 3rd International Frontiers in Biorefining Conference October 21-24, 2014 St. Simons Island, GA DEADLINE: August 31, 2014](#)
- [CALL FOR PAPERS: BIO Pacific Rim Summit December 7-9, 2014 San Diego, CA](#)



#### Deadline September 2014

- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: AMI's Green Polymer Chemistry 2015 March 18-19 Cologne, Germany DEADLINE: September 12, 2014](#)

#### Deadline Uncertain

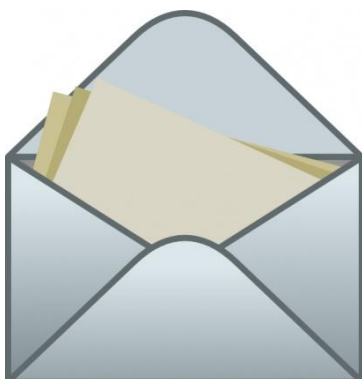
- [CALL FOR ABSTRACTS: 3rd International Conference on Biodiversity & Sustainable Energy Development June 24-26, 2014 Valencia, Spain DEADLINE: uncertain](#)
- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: Collective Biodiesel Conference August 14-17, 2014 Pittsboro, NC DEADLINE: uncertain](#)
- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: World Biomarkets USA October 28-29, 2014 San Diego, CA DEADLINE: uncertain](#)
- [CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS: Lignofuels 2014 November 19-20 Madrid, Spain DEADLINE: uncertain](#)
- [CALL FOR SPEAKERS: Dupont Summit December 5, 2014 Washington, DC DEADLINE: uncertain](#)

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## Happenings on Capitol Hill, at the White House and in Federal Agencies

*An Open Letter to Tom Steyer*

Advanced Biofuels USA asks, "Will Tom Steyer invest as much in renewable transportation fuels as the Koch brothers?"



Dear Mr. Steyer:

According to a [Washington Post article](#) on June 9th 2014, you will be divested of all your investments in fossil fuel enterprises by the end of this month. As the article discussed, that meant you continued to make considerable sums of money from these high CO2 producing entities, even as you said you were providing the financial firepower to fight Climate Change by focusing on campaign donations to like-minded Democratic candidates.

More troubling though, is that as a very knowledgeable and successful energy investor now committed to fighting Climate Change you do not appear to have invested in Climate Change reduction technologies such as Advanced Biofuels and Bioproducts.

Why is that Mr. Steyer?

Are struggling advanced biofuel companies perceived as too risky for your portfolio? Do political campaigns provide a better Return on Investment (ROI) than these emerging technologies?



We think these questions are especially relevant given that the Koch brothers, whom you consider your Climate Change enemy, provide considerably more investment and job creation via the biofuels industry – their Flint Hills Resources makes over 600 million gallons/year of ethanol, as well as biodiesel.

It would seem reasonable then, that their Flint Hills commitment should be the minimum investment benchmark for you as well.

In closing Mr. Steyer, we hope that we have misjudged you. We hope that you have visited the [Advanced Biofuels USA website \(www.AdvancedBiofuelsUSA.org\)](#) to learn about the science, technology, and emerging companies that could begin to make significant Climate Change reductions with the help of your timely investments; and that you are making such investment plans now.

But, if this is not the course you are taking, we have a hard time taking your commitment to reducing the causes of Climate Change seriously. Instead, we are forced to see your actions as those of another ultra-rich fossil fuel investor who wants to play in the non-regulated power-broker game created by the Supreme Court's *Citizens United* decision.

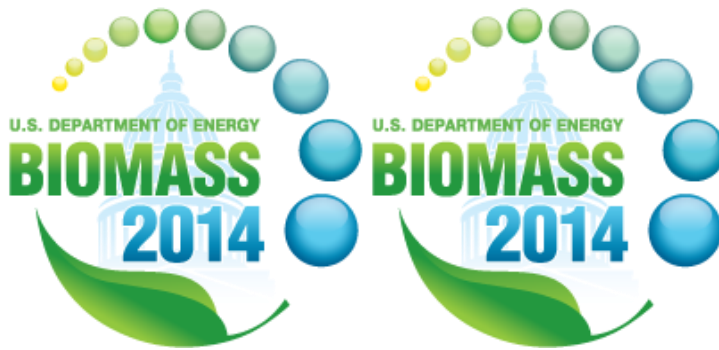
Sincerely,

Joanne M. Ivancic  
Executive Director  
Advanced Biofuels USA

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**Exhibitors and Sponsors Signing Up for Biomass 2014: Register NOW!**





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On July 29–30, 2014, the U.S. Department of Energy's Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO) will host its seventh annual conference—

Biomass 2014: Growing the Future Bioeconomy. **Co-hosted with Advanced Biofuels USA**, at the Washington, DC, Convention Center. Meet top government officials and members of Congress, industry leaders and experts from across the bioenergy supply chain. Continue ongoing dialogue about the critical challenges and key opportunities for the industry, the innovative technologies, priority pathways, financing strategies, and public policies needed to grow the bioeconomy of the future.

**Exhibitors include:**

- Sun Grant Program
- New Holland Agriculture
- Bloomberg Government
- Southern Research Institute
- Bergeson & Campbell (BRAG)
- Texas A&M AgriLife Research
- National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)
- Southwest Research Institute
- Polsinelli, PC
- Herty Advanced Materials Development Center
- Advanced Biofuels Association
- National Biodiesel Board (also hosting a break)
- and more.

[Register NOW](#). The best value conference you'll ever find:

**Federal employees, students and educational nonprofits: \$50; General admission: \$125** (\$200 after July 1)

Key plenary and session topics include:

- Federal Activities in Bioenergy
- Policy Challenges and Opportunities
- Advancements in Bioenergy Feedstocks and Sustainability
- Industrial Perspectives on Pathways to Advanced Biofuels
- Bioproducts Enabling the Bioeconomy
- Developments in Algal Biofuels
- Expanding Pathways to Domestic and International Biofuels Markets
- Deployment Lessons Learned and Best Practices
- Avenues to Project Finance and Investment.

[Register](#) today to join us for this important conference!

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Keep up with the latest developments on [federal legislation](#) related to advanced biofuels via our web site. [READ MORE](#)

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### ***Serious Fun: In 'Galileo's Torch,' "Unlikely Group of Washingtonians Debate Issue that Resonates"***



From part of his biography, [Galileo: A Life](#), **James Reston, Jr.**, transformed into a play, the account of Galileo Galilei's 17th century trial for asserting that the Earth moves around the sun.



He was egged on by the "genial and eccentric businessman named **John B. Henry**" who wanted to use this dramatic story of the never-ending struggle between religious belief and power with scientific observation and explanation to inaugurate the performance space created at a quarry on his Rappahannock County farm.

Henry then recruited friends and associates in prestigious positions in Washington to play the parts for a staged reading. From the biofuels world, Advanced Biofuels USA co-founder and treasurer, **Robert Kozak** portrayed an advisor to Cardinal Bellarmine played by **Richard Viguerie** ("modern conservatism's "funding father"), and ethanol fuel promotor/former Ambassador to the EU and former White House



counsel, **C. Boyden Gray** was Cardinal Maffeo Barberini/Pope Urban VIII.

[v:shapes=" x0000 s1033">](#)In the end, the staging became as important as the reading; using the dramatic backdrop of the quarry rocks, costumes, sound systems

and props to bring the spectacle to life. And aptly demonstrating the extremes that we still live with today: the oppression in the name of religion, and the wonder and perceived threat of scientific knowledge; the use of power in civilian matters to make points related to military engagements; the fear of change exploited for political gain rather than tempered for practical achievements; and the military as a key source of funding for innovations. [READ MORE](#)

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## ***Olatomiwa Bifarin Joins Advanced Biofuels USA as Full Time Summer Intern***



**Olatomiwa Baifarin**, a graduate microbiology student at Catholic University of America's Biotechnology Master's Program, began volunteering with Advanced Biofuels USA as a summer intern. Living in Washington, DC, allows him to monitor hearings on Capitol Hill, attend meetings and briefings in the area and to help Advanced Biofuels USA co-host the US Department of Energy's annual conference, *Biomass 2014: Growing the Future Bioeconomy*.

Watch for Bifarin's [articles](#) reporting on these events.

In addition, Bifarin is attending EnergyPath 2014 to gain a hands-on understanding of renewable energy basics and to represent the biofuels perspective. He will assist **Joanne Ivancic** and **Pamela Rockwell** at the organization's Expo exhibit table; and he'll help with the Advanced Biofuels USA's conference presentation.

Bifarin is expanding his general understanding of developments in the biofuels world by reading articles and posting links to our online library which includes more than 13,000 items.

This trip to study in the US is Bifarin's first time away from the region in Nigeria where he lived, studied and worked. Advanced Biofuels USA is please to be a part of this adventure and looks forward to continuing to work with him as part of our "force multipliers" promoting understanding, development and use of biofuels throughout the world.

## Reports from Conferences and Webinars

### ***Walking a Rough Road to a World Free of Non-Renewable Sources of Energy: Memories of 2014 International Biomass Conference and Expo***



In his report from the 2014 International Biomass Conference and Expo held in Orlando, Florida, **Danilo Gusmao de Quadros (Dan Quadros)** imagined a world with only renewable energy sources, where we would just use sun, wind, and biomass to generate electricity for industries and homes, and fuel for transportation.

"Is it a dream?" he asks. And provides answers from sessions he attended and from extensive interviews excerpted with his report. [READ MORE](#)

[LISTEN](#) to excerpts from his interviews with: **Mike McAdams**, Executive Director of the Advanced Biofuels Association; **Christopher Standlee**, Executive Vice-President of Abengoa Bioenergy; and **Tom Bryan**, president of BBI International.

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***Milsa Vijayadharan** has a masters degree in Chemistry and experience working in scientific laboratories. As she keeps up with developments in advanced biofuels, she occasionally writes articles and adds posts to the Advanced Biofuels USA web site library. Here's some of her latest:*

[\*\*OBN West Coast Partners- California Bioproduct Innovation and Commercialization\*\*](#)

[\*\*ACT Expo 2014- North America's Largest Clean Fleet Expo\*\*](#)

[\*\*Opportunities and Synergies of the 2014 Bioproducts World Showcase and\*\*](#)

## Conference (BWSC)

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*Olatomiwa Bifarin* is studying for his Masters degree in Biotechnology at The Catholic University of America. As an intern at Advanced Biofuels USA, he represents the organization and reports on events in Washington, DC, and nearby areas. Here are some of his latest:

### [Pyrolysis of Biomass for Fuels and Chemicals: NEWBio Webinar Report](#)

### [EPA Funds Cook Stoves Research to Ameliorate Air Quality and Mitigate Climate Change](#)

### [Managing Climate Risks in the Southeast](#)

### [Climate Panel and Years of Living Dangerously](#)

### [Aftermath of Climate Change: National Landmarks at Risk](#)

### [Where is Blue Carbon Going?](#)

## **Future Events: Come Visit Us!**



[registration details.](#)

On July 29–30, 2014, Advanced Biofuels USA will manage the exhibit hall for the U.S. Department of Energy's Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO) seventh annual conference—Biomass 2014: Growing the Future Bioeconomy at the Washington Convention Center. [Click here for links to application forms, exhibitor and sponsor information and links to the Department of Energy website for agenda and](#)



**ALBRIGHT COLLEGE**  
READING, PA  
JUNE 15-20

[energy path2014.org](http://energy path2014.org)

Meet Advanced Biofuels USA's summer intern, **Olatomiwa Bifarin** who will take part in the whole week of activities.

And, stop by the Advanced Biofuels USA booth during the Thursday and Friday conference to meet **Pamela Rockwell**, talk about educational activities and gather more

information. You can also participate in an interactive introduction to advanced biofuels session lead by **Joanne Ivancic**. See you there. [More information below.](#)

## Upcoming Advanced Biofuels Conferences and Activities: Details, Discounts, Deals

### *Platts 3rd Annual European Biofuels Conference June 17-18, 2014 Prague, Czech Republic*



Reassessing strategies in an evolving biofuels landscape

Platts 3rd annual European Biofuels Conference returns this year in the new location of Prague, featuring greater content and even more networking opportunities. This focused event assembles the industry's leading producers, refiners, feedstock suppliers, traders and analysts, and will provide a unique and comprehensive overview of the European and international biofuels markets, including developments in first and second generation fuels, changes in EU requirements and the outlook for 2020.



Why attend:

- Receive a comprehensive overview of European biofuel's current strengths and future competitiveness from the key industry leaders
- Understand the challenges for Biofuels in the context of changing legislations and policies
- Assess the development of trade flows, feedstock options and capacity outlook
- Gain further insight on key market developments in the U.S., South America and Asia, and their effect on Europe [READ MORE](#) **Ask for the 15% Advanced Biofuels USA discount.**

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### ***World Bio Markets Asia June 17-18, 2014 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia***



World Bio Markets Asia, 17-18 June 2014, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, is the first Asia-based international event looking at upstream development and conversion technologies in the Asian bio-based markets both in the bio-based fuels and chemicals markets.

With enriched and abundant feedstock resources and growing consumer demand for bio-based products there has not been a better time to develop the Asian bio-economy and promote the bio-based market opportunities across the region. World Bio Markets Asia will bring together the most influential thought leaders and decision makers from across Asia's bio markets and beyond to create a one-stop-shop for education and networking.



Stay one step ahead of the region's bio-based activities at World Bio Markets Asia as the market grows to become an increasingly important part of the global matrix.

[READ MORE](#) Use discount code **ADVBIO** for special pricing.

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### ***European Biomass Conference and Exhibition June 23-26, 2014***

#### ***Hamburg, Germany***



The European Biomass Conference and Exhibition (EU BC&E) ranks as one of the top world leading events in the Biomass sector, combining a highly respected international Conference with an Industrial Exhibition. It highlights progress in research, technological development and production processes and brings together all key specialists to make it the most important international platform for dialogue between research, industry, research and industry, and policy in the biomass sector.

This event is supported by European and international organizations such as the European Commission, UNESCO - United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, Natural Sciences Sector, EUBIA - the European Biomass Industry Association, WCRE - the World Council for Renewable Energy and further organisations.

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

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## ***REFF-Wall Street June 25-26, 2014 New York, NY***



REFF-Wall Street is the premier renewable energy financing event in the U.S. Attendees of this event include CEOs and other senior company officials, lenders, investors, investment bankers, private equity investors, venture capitalists and other top transactional professionals in renewable energy finance.

The event draws an especially senior audience, comprising of over 600 senior decision makers, financiers and professionals in the renewable energy finance field.

Use 20% discount code **SPT20ABU** and [REGISTER TODAY!](#) [READ MORE](#)

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## ***Biomass 2014: Growing the Future Bioeconomy July 29-30 Washington, DC***



Advanced Biofuels USA, co-hosting with the U.S. Department of Energy's Bioenergy Technologies Office, invites you to Biomass 2014: Growing the Future Bioeconomy. This year's conference will be held July 29-30, 2014, at the Washington, D.C. Convention Center, in downtown Washington.

Sponsoring or exhibiting at Biomass 2014 is a great platform to raise your organization's profile and highlight your position as a key leader in the field of bioenergy and associated bioproducts.

Biomass 2014 will examine the dynamic fields of bioenergy and bioproducts in 2014. As exciting new technologies move forward within a shifting policy and

economic landscape, the conference will provide an excellent forum to increase the visibility of your company with bioeconomy policy decision-makers.

Biomass 2014 boasts a new emphasis on attendee interaction with federal agency staff, more focus on practical tips and insights on interacting with budget-conscious federal agencies and strategies to not only survive, but thrive in a more market-focused world while also implementing important energy efficiency and renewable energy federal policies and personal values.

Last year's conference had 500 registrants and featured keynotes from Secretary of Energy, Dr. Ernest Moniz; Secretary of Agriculture, Tom Vilsack; Senator Chuck Grassley (R-IA); John Garamendi, U.S. House of Representatives (D-CA); Margo Oge, formerly the Director of the Office of Transportation and Air Quality and many other energy policy and development leaders. We are planning on 600 attendees for this year.

Planned again at a premier downtown location close to the DC METRO subway system and newly connected to the Marriott Marquis Conference Center Hotel, Biomass 2014 promises to be one of our best biomass conferences yet. [READ MORE](#)

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***6th Palm Oil Asia Summit August 13-14, 2014 – Jakarta, Indonesia***



Theme: "Mounting Pressures on Sustainability & New Challenges for the Palm Oil Industry"

Highlights:

- Finding a compromise and common ground for the multiple sustainable standards
- Indonesia's Biofuel Mandate - As dry weather in Asia is threatening to curb supply of palm oil , just as demand in biodiesel increases, it remains to be seen how much of Indonesia's biodiesel mandate can be fulfilled
- India's recent policy changes and impact on their palm oil imports
- Four Pillars of Sustainable Palm Oil from Univanich - Thailand's largest sustainable and most successful palm oil producer
- Africa - Sharing of lessons learnt by Olam
- Improvement in Planting Materials and Soil & water resources management
- Strategies for sustainable upstream yield improvement

Finding added value in palm oil waste

For more information please click on the link:

<http://www.cmtevents.com/main.aspx?ev=140824&pu=256433>

Or contact Hafizah Adam: [hafizah@cmtsp.com.sg](mailto:hafizah@cmtsp.com.sg)

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***International Summit on Past and Present Research Systems of***

## ***Green Chemistry August 25-27, 2014 Philadelphia, PA***



OMICS Group invites all the participants across the globe to attend the International Summit on Past and Present Research systems of Green Chemistry during August 25-27, 2014 at Philadelphia, USA. The major objective of the International conference is to emphasize the importance of Green Chemistry, explore recent advancements, and

research by making room to experts and researchers from around the globe. The gathering will address sustainable developments in areas such as Physical Chemistry, organic chemistry, novel methodologies in physical and applied chemistry. This Green Chemistry will be the best venue for academicians, researchers and interested parties to discuss proposals and most sound issues related to eco-friendly chemical processes.

The meeting will be a multidisciplinary gathering and present major areas such as analytical Chemistry, green synthesis, catalysis, education and policies. The forum of Scientists, students and researchers from all corners of the globe, come together to discuss future science. Each session of the meeting will be included with expert lectures, poster and discussions, join us to design sustainable processes, innovations by which and how these strategies drive new policies, advances the business and human health protection. We are glad to invite you on behalf of organizing committee to join us, where you are the decision maker for future. [READ MORE](#)

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## **2nd Oleochemicals Outlook August 26-27, 2014 Jakarta, Indonesia**



Themed: "Asia to drive growth to 2020"

### Key Highlights

- Global Oleochemicals Market Outlook
- Shale gas and its impact on Oleo industry
- Alternative Feedstock supply & market trends
- MCT and new application possibilities
- Analysis of biodiesel and glycerin markets
- End user's perspective on emerging trends in Home & Personal Care and Industrial Sector
- Growing the Specialty chemicals market

For more information please click on the link:

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Or contact Grace Oh: [grace@cmtsp.com.sg](mailto:grace@cmtsp.com.sg)

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## **F.O. Licht's Sugar Africa September 16-18, 2014 Durban, South Africa**



Bringing together biofuel and ethanol producers, traders, sugar millers, technology companies, shipping and logistics companies and users of fuel, industrial and beverage ethanol, F.O. Licht's Sugar and Ethanol Africa will be a unique opportunity to network and hear from key industry players from a region that offers huge potential for expansion and investment.

Please quote VIP code: **FKB2226ABW** when making your booking for a **10%**

discount. [READ MORE](#)

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## ***7th Biofuels International Conference September 24-25, 2014 Ghent, Belgium***



- Key sponsors the Port of Ghent, hosting the networking reception
- Potential tour to be held by the Port of Ghent 23 September 2014

Focusing on the latest developments in biofuels policy, international biofuels trading, sustainability, solutions for first generation producers, progress in advanced biofuels and information on feedstock pricing and trends. This 2 day conference will both educate and stimulate.

The event attracts a senior audience from around the world – one where you are able to interact with speakers, pose your own questions and create new business relationships.

With so much happening in the biofuels market the main aims of this event will be to:

- Update delegates on the latest changes to biofuels legislation and policy
- Provide information on international biofuels trade, including biofuel and feedstock prices, risk reduction and trade activities
- Inform attendees about the latest research into sustainability, ILUC and multiple counting strategies
- Aid first generation producers continue profitable production and add retrofit

solutions

- Drive second generation production forward, scaling up commercial scale advanced biofuels plants and hear from producers around the globe [READ MORE](#)

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***2014 Algae Biomass Summit September 29-October 2, 2014 San Diego, CA***



The 2014 Algae Biomass Summit will be in San Diego, a major hub of algae industry activity. Every year the Summit brings together all the leaders in the academic, government and private sectors. Don't miss this chance to connect with the entire algae industry. [READ MORE](#)

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***Bioproducts World Showcase October 5-8, 2014 Columbus, OH***



The OBIC Bioproducts Innovation Center (OBIC) at The Ohio State University will host the Showcase. OBIC seeks to promote the biobased materials and products industry. While OBIC has historically promoted the industry through cluster development strategies to accelerate bioproducts commercialization, it is now expanding through this new event in 2014.

Its main mission is to showcase USDA BioPreferred and Certified Biobased products in a single event for both commercial and government procurement officials.



The Bioproducts World Showcase is for:

- Government Procurement Officials
- Buyers for major retailers and distributors
- Producers of biobased materials
- Product manufacturers (biobased and conventional)
- Entrepreneurs

Features of the event will include educational sessions with industry experts and a trade show showcasing the future of the bioproducts industry. [READ MORE](#)

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### ***National Advanced Biofuels Conference & Expo October 13-15, 2014 Minneapolis, Minnesota***



Produced by BBI International, this national event will feature the world of advanced biofuels and biobased chemicals—technology scale-up, project finance, policy, national markets and more—with a core focus on the industrial, petroleum and agribusiness alliances defining the national advanced biofuels industry. With a vertically integrated program and audience, the National Advanced Biofuels Conference & Expo is tailored for industry professionals engaged in producing, developing and deploying advanced biofuels, biobased platform chemicals, polymers and other renewable molecules that have the potential to meet or exceed the performance of petroleum-derived products. [READ MORE](#)

Use discount code: **ABUSA250** to receive the \$250 off full registration!

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### ***F.O. Licht's World Ethanol & Biofuels November 3-6, 2014 Budapest, Hungary***



Now in its 17th year, F.O. Licht's World Ethanol and Biofuels is the must attend event for the global ethanol and biofuels community. Recognised as the best forum for in-depth analysis and as the biggest week of trade and business in the year, this really is the annual global meeting place where fresh ideas, lots of business and new contacts are made.

F.O. Licht's World Ethanol and Biofuels conference is the No.1 networking forum for the industry, attracting a cross-section of the supply chain from all over the world.

- Hear and Meet Ethanol & Biofuel Producers from Across the Globe – 25% of Total Attendance
- Be Part of the Biggest Week of Trade and Business in the Year
- Covering all Biofuels, Biochemicals and Providing 2G Solutions
- You'll be Alongside 600+ International Executives with a Stake in this Industry
- Be Part of an Event Which Provides the Best Content Designed by Experts in the Ethanol and Biofuels Market
- More Face-To-Face Networking Opportunities [READ MORE](#)

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### ***EcoChem November 11-13, 2014 Basel, Switzerland***



11-13th November 2014

The chemicals market is changing. Fast. Society wants all the benefits that the chemical industry provides with none of the negative health and environmental problems and consumers increasingly demand products and processes that are more sustainable.

New Knowledge, New Relationships, New Ideas

Understanding the challenges and opportunities which are rapidly emerging requires new thinking, new ways of working together throughout value chains and across disciplines, new products and technologies and new ways to remove barriers. The Ecochem Exhibition and Conference will provide an independent, scientifically-supported platform to accelerate innovation, research, commercialisation and market uptake in the design, production and use of efficient, effective, safe and more environmentally benign chemical products and processes.

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***Venice 2014 – Fifth International Symposium on Energy from Biomass and Waste November 17-20 Venice, Italy***



The production of energy from alternative sources and its impact on climate change are among the main strategic tools implicated in the sustainable development of our society. Numerous types of biomass and wastes contribute towards the production of energy and reduction in the use of fossil fuels by means of biological, chemical and thermal processes. Existing biomass and waste to energy technologies are currently undergoing rapid development. Despite growing interest in the use of these technologies, in many countries their implementation remains limited.

The aim of the Venice 2014 Symposium is to focus on the advances made in the application of technologies for energy recovery from biomass and waste and to encourage discussion in these fields. The previous edition of the Symposium, held in 2012, was attended by nearly 580 scientists and operators from approximately 62 different countries.

The fifth edition of the Symposium will be held in the stunning island of San Servolo in the Venetian Lagoon and will feature:

Three days of scientific presentations

One day of guided technical tours at biochemical and thermochemical plants

Six parallel oral sessions (one of which in Italian), poster sessions and an exhibition by companies working in the field

Expected attendance of over 600 delegates from tens of different countries worldwide

The Symposium is organized by the International Waste Working Group (IWWG) with the scientific support of the Universities of Queensland, Padova, Hokkaido, Rostock, Trento and Hamburg University of Technology. [READ MORE](#)

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### ***Lignofuels 2014 November 19-20 Madrid, Spain***



Following the success of the previous events in London, Stockholm and Copenhagen we are delighted to announce that Lignofuels 2014 will be returning to Madrid, Spain, on the 19th – 20th of November 2014.

On its 6th edition, this two day annual conference will once again bring together key industry stakeholders, from across the globe, to engage in interactive discussions as well as network with a variety of people. You will be joined by advanced biofuels companies, enzyme companies, biotechnology developers, chemical companies and many more.

We also have the exciting opportunity to visit Abengoa Bioenergy's W2B Demonstration Plant during the afternoon of Tuesday 18th November 2014 as part of the event. Only a limited number of attendees will have this opportunity.

The plant has capacity to treat 25,000 tons of municipal solid waste (MSW) from which it will obtain up to 1.5 million liters of bioethanol, using technology developed by Abengoa to produce 2nd generation biofuels from MSW using a fermentation and enzymatic hydrolysis treatment. During the transformation process, the organic matter is treated in various ways to produce organic fiber that is rich in cellulose and hemicellulose, which is subsequently converted into bioethanol.

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***Renewable Energy Latin American & Caribbean Conference & Exhibition (RELACCx) November 20-21, 2014***



***Fajardo, Puerto Rico***

Renewable Energy Latin America & Caribbean Conference & Exhibition (RELACCx) is the premier renewable energy finance and development event for Latin America and the Caribbean. This two-day conference will take an in-depth look at political and financial landscapes, prominent and emerging markets, and existing energy infrastructure to provide the audience with the tools needed to accelerate renewable energy development in these regions.

From new business models that encourage small-scale renewable energy deployment to financial mechanisms for utility-scale power plants, this conference addresses current challenges and opportunities from investor, project developer, policymaker, and regulatory perspectives. Learn from the successes of existing projects to better understand industry hurdles, and gain key insights from financial institutions to minimize risk and increase the viability of renewable energy projects in your country.

Use 20% discount code **SPT20AB** and [REGISTER TODAY!](#)

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## ***F.O. Licht's Ethanol Latin America December 1-3, 2014***

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## ***AMI's Green Polymer Chemistry 2015 March 18-19 Cologne, Germany***

**GREEN POLYMER  
CHEMISTRY 2015**

**18-19 March 2015**  
Maritim Hotel,  
Cologne, Germany

AMI's Green Polymer Chemistry 2015 is the 4th edition of the international conference on sustainable synthesis of plastics and elastomers including materials currently available in the marketplace. The event will take place from 18-19 March 2014 at the Maritim Hotel, Cologne, Germany.

The conference consists of a 2-day techno-economic programme alongside a focused exhibition with a networking evening cocktail reception on the 18th March for all delegates and speakers.

The Green Polymer Chemistry conference is an ideal forum for today's market, as the polymer industry looks at alternatives to fossil feedstock to ensure a long-term future. The programme aims to cover:

- The latest developments in producing conventional polymers from sustainable sources, such as biorefineries, algae, waste and CO<sub>2</sub>.
- What is the LCA and carbon footprint of the alternative sources, and is there competition with food and fuel?
- Are there "green" polymers that are commercially feasible in terms of price and availability for large brand owners

Green Polymer Chemistry 2015 offers high-level professional networking, for brand owners, environment and sustainability managers, business development and innovation professionals, chemical engineers, plastics manufacturers, agriculture specialists, biorefinery experts, biochemists, researchers and suppliers to the industry to debate sustainable, economic solutions for the polymer industry. [READ](#)

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