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## Coming Advanced Biofuels Events

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**2016**

**January**

- [Iowa Renewable Fuels Summit — January 19, 2016 — Altoona, IA](#)
- [Lignofuels 2016 Summit — January 20-21 — Munich, Germany](#)
- [WEBINAR: Must-Know Tips for the 2016 BioenergizeME Challenge — January 21, 2016](#)
- [WEBINAR: Excellence in Bioenergy Innovation—A Presentation of 2015 R&D 100 Award Winning Projects — January 21, 2016](#)
- [The Washington Auto Show® — January 22-31, 2016 — Washington, DC](#)
- [National Biodiesel Conference & Expo — January 25-28, 2016 — Tampa, FL](#)
- [2016 Agricultural & Municipal Biogas Forum: Closing the Loop — January 28th – 29th 2016 — Abbotsford, BC, Canada](#)
- [12th Kingsman Dubai Sugar Conference — January 31 – 3 Feb, 2016 —](#)
Dubai, UAE

February

- Energy & Sustainability Extravaganza — February 5, 2016 — Arlington, VA
- National Ethanol Conference: Fueling a High Octane Future — February 15-17, 2016 — New Orleans, LA
- Routine Measurement and Biochemical Analysis of Microalgal Cultures — February 15-19, 2016 — Mesa, AZ
- Global Forum for Innovations in Agriculture — February 16-18, 2016 — Abu Dhabi, UAE
- Algae Commercialization, R&D and Business Networking Forum — February 17, 2016 — Frankfurt, Germany
- Advanced Bioeconomy Leadership Conference 2016 — February 17-19 — Washington, DC
- Clean Low Carbon Fuels Summit — February 23, 2016 — Sacramento, CA
- California Biodiesel Conference — February 24, 2016 — Sacramento, CA
- 6th Carbon Dioxide Utilization Summit — February 24-25, 2016 — Newark, NJ
- ARPA-E 2016 Energy Innovation Summit — February 29 – March 2, 2016 — National Harbor, MD

March

- Sustainable Plastics 2016 — March 1-2 — Cologne, Germany
- Cracking the Nut ’16 — March 1-2, 2016 — Washington, DC
- Argus Emissions Markets — March 2-3, 2016 — Amsterdam, Netherlands
- ECO-BIO Conference — March 6-9, 2016 — Rotterdam, Netherlands
- La Segunda Conferencia Internacional de Biocombustibles — March 9-11, 2016 — Cartagena, Colombia
- World Bio Markets — March 14-17, 2016 — Amsterdam, Netherlands
- Third Annual Forest Investment Conference — March 15-16, 2016 — New York, NY
- World Agri-Tech Investment Summit — March 16-17, 2016 — San Francisco, CA
- SugarTech Indonesia 2016 — March 16-17 — Surabaya, Indonesia
- 9th Annual World Congress of Industrial Biotechnology — March 16-18, 2015 — Daegu, South Korea
- Gasification 2016 — March 23-24 — Rotterdam, Netherlands
- Invest Midwest Venture Capital Forum — March 23-24, 2016 — St. Louis, MO
- Biotech Innovation Showcase and Partnering for Growth Forum — March 30-31, 2016 — Ankeny, IO
April

- **BioCycle West Coast** — April 4-7, 2016 — San Diego, CA
- **Wood Bioenergy Conference & Expo** — April 5-6, 2016 — Atlanta, GA
- **9th International Conference on Bio-based Materials** — April 5-6, 2016 — Cologne, Germany
- **Argus Biomass 2016** — April 5-7 — London, UK
- **South-East European Exhibition on Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy** — April 5-7, 2016 — Sofia, Bulgaria
- **Bio-based Start-up Day** — April 7, 2016, Cologne, Germany
- **International Biomass Conference and Expo** — April 11-14, 2016 — Charlotte, NC
- **BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology** — April 17-20, 2016 — San Diego, CA
- **6th Annual European Algae Biomass Conference** — April 20-21, 2016 — Berlin, Germany
- **2016 Planet Forward Summit on Sustainable Cities** — April 21-22, 2016 — Washington, DC
- **Symposium on Biotechnology for Fuels & Chemicals** — April 25-28, 2016 — Baltimore, MD

May

- **ACT Expo** — May 2-5, 2016 — Long Beach, CA
- **ACI's Renewable & Bio-based Chemicals Summit** — May 4-5, 2016 — Chicago, IL
- **Base Oils & Lubricants Forum** — May 10, 2016 — Hamburg, Germany
- **SugarEx Philippines** — May 12-13, 2016 — Negros, Philippines
- **TechConnect World Innovation Conference & Expo** — May 22-25, 2016 — Washington DC
- **Alternative Fuels World Fair** — May 25-28, 2016 — Bologna, Italy
- **International 100% Renewable Energy Conference** — May 26-28, 2016 — Istanbul, Turkey
- **12th International Conference on Renewable Resources & Biorefineries** — May 30-June 1, 2016 — Ghent, Belgium

June

- **BIO International Convention** — June 6-9, 2016 — San Francisco, CA
- **European Biomass Conference and Exhibition (EUBCE)** — June 6-9, 2016 — Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- 2016 Smart Cities Innovation Summit — June 13-15, 2016 — Austin, TX
- 20th Annual Green Chemistry & Engineering Conference — June 14-16, 2016 — Portland, OR
- Oleofuels 2016 — June 21-22 — Liverpool, UK
- International Fuel Ethanol Workshop & Expo — June 20-23, 2016 — Milwaukee, WI
- 6th Annual World Congress of Bioenergy — June 30 to July 03, 2016 — KINTEX, Gyeonggi-do, South Korea

July

- Global Agribusiness Forum — July 4-5, 2016 — Sao Paulo, Brazil
- BioFuelNet’s Advanced Biofuels Symposium (ABS) — July 6-8, 2016 — Vancouver, British Columbia
- Bioenergy 2016 — July 12-13, 2016 — Washington, DC
- EnergyPath 2016 Energy Camp, Conference and Expo — July 24-29 — Penn State/State College, PA

September

- 9th Biofuels International Conference — September 20-22, 2016 — Ghent, Belgium

October

- 11th Biennial SRWC Operations Working Group Conference — October 11-13, 2016 — Fort Pierce, FL
- RENEXPO® Poland — October 19-21, 2016 — Warsaw, Poland
- Algae Biomass Summit — October 23-27, 2016 — Phoenix, AZ
- Export Exchange 2016 — October 24-27, 2016 — Detroit, MI

November

- Symposium on Thermal and Catalytic Sciences for Biofuels and Biobased Products — November 1-4, 2016 — Chapel Hill, NC
- 6th International Symposium on Energy from Biomass and Waste — November 14-17, 2016 — Venice, Italy
- European Bioenergy Future: Where Market and Policy Meet — November 16-17, 2016 — Brussels, Belgium
- Canadian Bioeconomy Conference: Biofuels to Bioeconomy — November 28 – 30, 2016 — Ottawa, Ontario, Canada

December

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.

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

**Deadline: January 2016**


**Deadline: February 2016**

- CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS: BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology — April 17-20, 2016 — San Diego, CA DEADLINE: Poster Deadline—February 29, 2015
Deadline: Uncertain

- CALL FOR PAPERS: 9th Biofuels International Conference —
  September 20-22, 2016 — Ghent, Belgium DEADLINE: unclear
- CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS – Algae Production Methods and
  Technologies DEADLINE: Uncertain

Telling YOUR Story: Nominations for Awards, Recognition

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS: Innovation Award “Bio-based Material of the Year 2016”
DEADLINE: February 8, 2016

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(nova-Institut GmbH) For the ninth year running, the Innovation Award “Bio-based Material of the Year” will be granted to the young, innovative bio-based chemicals and materials industry for finding suitable applications and markets for bio-based …

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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 and we’ll make arrangements.

Visit with Advanced Biofuels USA’s Executive Director at Energy & Sustainability Extravaganza — February 5, 2016 — Arlington, VA

Advanced Biofuels USA’s Joanne Ivancic will join a panel discussion of “Making an Impact In Your Clean Energy and Sustainability Career.” In addition to sharing career information and insights, panelists will talk a bit their specific areas of interest such as Ivancic’s focus on biofuels.

The Association of Energy Engineers - National Capital Chapter, Leaders in Energy, and Mason’s Center for Energy Science and Policy for a Women in Energy and Environmental Leadership lunch and panel discussion, will be followed by a showcase on George Mason University’s clean energy and sustainability research, education and activities.

These events will feature community energy leaders, as well as faculty and staff from across the university, to discuss current campus-level to global scale energy and sustainability issues.  

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We'll Be Covering the Global Agribusiness Forum — July 4-5, 2016 — Sao Paulo, Brazil

If you are at this event, please let us know and we can set up meetings with Danilo Gusmao and Lais F. Thomaz who will be covering this event in Brazil for us. Portuguese or English. Details to come. READ MORE

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

6th Carbon Dioxide Utilization Summit — February 24-25, 2016 — Newark, NJ

ACI’s 6th Carbon Dioxide Utilization Summit will explore commercial aspects of US CO2 re-use applications in several industries such as fuel, chemicals, oil & gas, power & cultivation. The conference will evaluate potential benefits and challenges of investments in carbon dioxide utilisation, as well as the political policy in place to ensure efficient scale of emission reductions are being achieved. READ MORE

ECO-BIO Conference — March 6-9, 2016 — Rotterdam, Netherlands

With fossil fuels becoming more and more limited and global change having unmistakable effects on our everyday lives, working toward a suitable future for both humans and all ecosystems of the world becomes essential. Biobased Economy focuses on developing industrial viable, safe and ecologically friendly biobased (renewable biological sources) solutions to build a sustainable society, involving food, chemicals, energy and materials.

Complementing these technological developments are insights and discussions on societal, economic and environmental relevant and interdisciplinary topics such as ‘Cradle-to-cradle’, ‘green or circular economies’, ‘climate change mitigation’, ‘energy and food security’, ‘resource efficiency’, ‘sustainability in general’ and ‘resource, food and product safety’.
This conference will be a first of its kind and will highlight the emergence of the research and innovation field, where we are today and what needs to be done to develop an economically feasible, safe, sustainable, and ecologically friendly biobased future. The conference will be a platform to further the discussions on this highly societal relevant topic.

Combining industrial needs with an approach from an academic, environmental and societal point of view is a new approach and we welcome your participation and views. READ MORE

**SugarTech Indonesia 2016 — March 16-17 — Surabaya, Indonesia**

The 2nd edition of SugarTech Indonesia 2016 held only once every 2 years is Indonesia's largest specialized sugar and bioethanol technology event that brings together an international congregation of sugar companies and also its supporting industries gathered in the city of Surabaya, Indonesia to showcase the latest developments in the world sugar and bioethanol industry. READ MORE

**Argus Biomass 2016 — April 5-7 — London, UK**

Three days of market insights and focused networking for decision makers from across the biomass supply chain

The Argus Biomass 2016 conference will take place on the 5 – 7 April at the Hilton Park Lane, London. The 7th annual event will bring together key market players in the biomass sector involved in both the industrial and premium pellet market to discuss the key issues affecting the market.

2016 Conference Highlights:

- Engaging panel discussions and keynote presentations on the latest market development
- Returning by popular demand: The Premium Pellet Focus Day on 5 April
- Networking tool and app – communicate with attendees one month before the conference
- New for 2015: Panel discussions on wood chips, PKS and other alternative pellets
- A choice of 4 interactive pre-conference workshops READ MORE 10%
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**International Biomass Conference and Expo — April 11-14, 2016 — Charlotte, NC**

The International Biomass Conference & Expo unites current and future producers of biomass-derived power, fuels and chemicals with waste generators, energy crop growers, municipal leaders, utility executives, technology providers, equipment manufacturers, project developers, investors and policy makers. The event fosters public and private partnerships that help bioenergy producers and large-scale waste generators identify and assess available production resources and viable technology solutions for improving operational efficiencies and reducing industrial greenhouse gas emissions. Volatile energy costs, mounting climate change concerns and the anticipation of federal carbon cap-and-trade policies are compelling waste generators to think differently – much differently – about waste liabilities and, in some cases, the rising value of already valuable process side streams. [READ MORE](#) Your $250-off discount code is ABUSA250.

**BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology — April 17-20, 2016 — San Diego, CA**

The BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology is the world’s largest industrial biotechnology event for business leaders, investors, and policy makers in biofuels, biobased products, and renewable chemicals. Please join us from April 17-20, 2016 in sunny San Diego for a week filled with high-level plenary and breakout sessions, One-on-One Partnering meetings, networking opportunities and more! [READ MORE](#)

**SugarEx Philippines — May 12-13, 2016 — Negros, Philippines**

This unique Sugar exhibition held only once every 2 years and co-located with Philippines International Sugar Technology Conference 2016 is Philippines' largest specialized sugar and bioethanol technology event that brings together an international congregation of sugar companies and also its supporting industries gathered in the capital city of Manila, Philippines to showcase the latest developments in the Philippines’ sugar and bioethanol industry.
Highlights Of Sugarex Philippines 2016:

A high-profile International conference entitled “Philippines International Sugar Technology Conference 2016”, which will be attended by 200 international delegates and government officials from the Philippines Sugar industry.

Sugar and Bioethanol Technology Seminars
Visit to a renowned sugar mill and sugar refinery in Philippines

European Biomass Conference and Exhibition (EUBCE) — June 6-9, 2016 — Amsterdam, The Netherlands

The European Biomass Conference and Exhibition (EUBCE) is a world class annual event which, since 1980, is held at different venues throughout Europe.

The EUBCE covers the entire value chain of biomass to conduct business, network, and to present and discuss the latest developments and innovations, the vision is to educate the biomass community and to accelerate growth.

The EUBCE will host a dynamic international Exhibition for companies and research labs to showcase their latest products and bringing scientists, technologists and key players together with leading Biomass industries and organizations.

International Fuel Ethanol Workshop & Expo — June 20-23, 2016 — Milwaukee, WI

7 Facts About Attending the International Fuel Ethanol Workshop & Expo

You’ll Join More Than 2,000 Professionals Focused on Ethanol
Be a part of the largest gathering of ethanol professionals in the world. The best ethanol industry products and services will be there.

Producers will be Attending
During the Last Three Years, 400+ Producers, Representing 87% of U.S. Capacity Attended Each Year.

Four Focused Sessions
With four tracks focused on Production, Leadership & Financial Management, Coproducts and Cellulosic & Advanced Ethanol, you’ll be able to go in-depth on the topics that best interest you.

Strong Business Connections
Based on our surveys, 95% of attendees connect with the right people and make
business deals happen.

Multiple Networking Sessions
As an attendee, you’ll meet people and share your experience, products and/or services multiple times throughout the show.

Conference Social Media Site
You’ll be able to gain access to attendees and communicate with them directly on Ethanol Connect, a Social media site exclusive only to conference attendees.

Food and Drinks are Included
As an attendee of the conference you’ll enjoy breakfast, lunch and dinner in the expo hall. In addition to food, the bar in the expo hall will be open. READ MORE

Oleofuels 2016 — June 21-22 — Liverpool, UK

Current & Future Challenges & Opportunities for Liquid Biofuels from Oils & Fats

Oleofuels 2016 is the progression of ACI’s highly successful European Biodiesel series of events which ran from 2008-2013. The change of name reflects the fact that the event will now cover all fuels made from oils & fats including biodiesel, HVO & bio jet as well as take a more global view which is key especially when it comes to certain feedstocks.

The two day conference will bring together the leading executives and experts from across the entire value chain for two days of informative presentations, interactive discussion & excellent networking opportunities. READ MORE

6th Annual World Congress of Bioenergy — June 30 to July 03, 2016 — KINTEX, Gyeonggi-do, South Korea

Leading Bio-economy for Next Decade — Bioenergy has a significant impact on societies throughout the world in the past and continues to do so today. Bioenergy 2016 will showcase the bioenergy research in a global context and will bring together world-class researchers in bioenergy, including academia, policy makers, industrialists and other related stakeholders. It will include high profile plenary keynote speakers, subject-specific break-out sessions, workshops and poster presentations.

Join us in Gyeonggi-do, South Korea for the Bioenergy 2016. Over the three days of the conference, there will be many opportunities to learn more about the industry in Asia as well as the latest global trends in fibre supply, sustainability, products, technology, policies and other drivers of the future bioeconomy. READ MORE
Global Agribusiness Forum – July 4-5 2016 – Sao Paulo, Brazil

The Global Agribusiness Forum (GAF), held every two years, is internationally recognized as the most important event of the agribusiness in the world. By encouraging debates between the most important leaders, authorities and specialists of the agribusiness, the event has been the platform to identify solutions for the challenges and opportunities for the agriculture and livestock across the globe.

In its last edition, the global agriculture and livestock chain was officially represented by 1,100 leaders and authorities from 43 countries, 129 partner organizations, which included the private sector, governments, associations, entities, universities, non-governmental organizations and communication vehicles. The GAF counted with the official support of the governments of Brazil, European Community, Canada, Cuba, France, Turkey, Singapore and the state governments of Manitoba, Ontario and Sao Paulo. With live transmission by Canal Rural and internet, GAF was watched by 36,000 spectators.

In July 2016, the GAF2016 will promote the debate of how to integrate producers and consumers, add value to production and increasing productivity, ensure the food supply to the world of constant transformation and growth. The results and proposals of the event, once again, will be compiled and published in an official document – The Agribusiness Consensus – that will be sent as a suggestion to authorities of the agriculture sector, and public policies makers of all over the world. READ MORE

9th Biofuels International Conference — September 20-22, 2016 — Ghent, Belgium

As biofuel producers, regulators and experts come together in Ghent to discuss the industry’s transition to advanced biofuels, where will you be?

2 great networking tours now included in your delegate ticket!

With the 2 day conference 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, it’s a must attend industry event with many great networking opportunities.

Prior to the conference on 20 September, join us for a visit to Terneuzen and the locks, sponsored by Zeeland Seaports.

On 21 September after day 1 of the conference, all delegates and speakers are invited on board Port of Ghent’s port yacht ‘Jacob van Artevelde’ for a port tour with
finger food and Ghent specialities.

Don’t miss out on these great networking opportunities all included in your delegate ticket – limited spaces! So be part of the industry’s future and join us now. READ MORE

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**Symposium on Thermal and Catalytic Sciences for Biofuels and Biobased Products — November 1-4, 2016 — Chapel Hill, NC**

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**6th International Symposium on Energy from Biomass and Waste — September 14-17, 2016 — Venice, Italy**

The aim of the Venice 2016 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 2014, was attended by over 500 scientists and operators from approximately 54 different countries.

The sixth edition of the Symposium will feature:

- Three days of scientific presentations
- One day of guided technical tours at biochemical and thermochemical plants
- Six parallel oral sessions, poster sessions and an exhibition by companies working in the field
- Expected attendance of over 600 delegates from tens of different countries worldwide

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