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Call for Papers

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CONGRESS TOPICS

The Congress papers are to be presented addressing any one of the two Questions which are listed under them. A Special Session, a Symposium, and a few Workshops are also being planned (topics are seen below). For the Special Session, Symposium and Seminar, only one paper per country will be entertained. The details of ‘Call for Papers’ are available in Congress Website/ICID Website.

The topics for the two Questions, Symposium and Special Session are:

Congress Theme: Water Productivity Towards Food Security

Congress Questions (Topics/ Sub-Topics)

Question 56: Water and Land Productivity Challenges

56.1 Water and Land Productivity: Concepts, Indices and Targets

56.2 Innovations and Technologies and Best Practices for Sustaining and/or Increasing Water and Land Productivity

56.3 Productivity of Low Quality Waters for Irrigation Uses

56.4 Improving Crop Water Productivity Under Stressed Environment

56.5 Irrigation and Drainage Management Improvements

Question 57: Water Management in Rainfed Agriculture

57.1 Drainage and Flood Management in Rainfed Farming

57.2 Water Harvesting and Conservation

57.3 Supplementary Irrigation

57.4 Rainfed Farm Management

Symposium: Climate change Impacts on Soil and Water Resources

Special Session: Modernization of Water Management Schemes

Key Dates

• Submission of comprehensive “summary and conclusions” (500-600 words) (revised) 30 Nov. 2010
• Intimation of acceptance of “summary and conclusions” 15 Jan. 2011 (revised)
• Receipt of full text of accepted papers 01 Mar. 2011

Program Outline

15 Oct. 2011 (Sat) Arrival and Registration
16 Oct. 2011 (Sun) Registration and Working Group (WG) Meetings
17 Oct. 2011 (Mon) WG Meetings
18 Oct. 2011 (Tue) WG Meetings, PCSPOA Session
19 Oct. 2011 (Wed) PCTA Sessions, Special Session, NC Meeting
20 Oct. 2011 (Thu) Opening Ceremony, Exhibition, Keynote Speakers for Question 56, 57 and Presentation of General Reports
21 Oct. 2011 (Fri) Congress Questions 56 and 57, Symposium and Exhibition
22 Oct. 2011 (Sat) International Executive Council (IEC) Meeting
23 Oct. 2011 (Sun) Concluding Session of Q.56 and Q.57, Presentation of Tehran Declaration, Awards, Closing Ceremony, Cultural Show
24 Oct 2011 (Mon) Start of Study Tours