



## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

**2016 RPIC Federal Contaminated Sites  
National Workshop**  
April 25-27, 2016

Le Centre Sheraton Montreal, Montreal, Quebec, Canada



### WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

*The 2016 RPIC Federal Contaminated Sites National Workshop* will provide a forum for the contaminated sites community to learn about technical, scientific and organizational innovations, and best practices for the management of contaminated sites. The Workshop will offer a unique opportunity for the public, private, and academic sectors to meet and exchange new ideas and information with colleagues and industry representatives from across the country and abroad.

**The Real Property Institute of Canada (RPIC) and the Contaminated Sites Management Working Group invite you to submit presentations on technologies and issues related to the assessment, remediation and management of federal contaminated sites. Abstracts are encouraged in, but not limited to the following topics:**

#### Assessment

Assessment technology, innovation, option analysis, human health risk assessment, etc.

#### Sustainability

Green and sustainable remediation approaches, environmentally responsible redevelopment and reuse, green remediation best management practices, principles for greener clean-ups, etc.

#### Monitoring

Data quality, cost evaluation, emerging real time monitoring technology, etc.

#### Remediation

New remediation technologies, remedial option analysis, aquatic remediation, etc.

#### Management

Project management approaches, lessons learned, liability, communication, stakeholder engagement, program management, etc.

#### Contaminants of Special Concern

Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs), perfluorinated compounds (PFCs), 1,4-Dioxane, source and fate of emerging contaminants, etc.

### ABSTRACTS

Abstracts for poster and oral presentations should be no more than 500 words and **must** include biographies for all presenters. The abstract may be submitted in English or French and must be submitted to [fcsnw@rpic-ibic.ca](mailto:fcsnw@rpic-ibic.ca).

#### Guidelines for submitting abstracts:

NEW FOR 2016! All abstracts (oral and poster) must be submitted using the new abstract submission form. Abstracts will be selected for inclusion in the preliminary program on the basis of a peer review by a panel of experts. Oral presentations are to be 20 minutes in length.

**Note: One discounted delegate pass for the workshop will be made available for each accepted presentation. Additional presenters will need to register at the full rate.**

### FINAL PRESENTATIONS

PowerPoint (PPT) presentations must be submitted for review by subject experts. Authors of accepted presentations must revise their PPT presentations as required by the reviewers. Revised PPTs are to be submitted by e-mail. The workshop presentations will be made available on the RPIC website ([www.rpic-ibic.ca](http://www.rpic-ibic.ca)) following the Workshop.

### OFFICIAL LANGUAGES

Initial abstracts may be submitted in English or French. All final abstracts and presentations crediting federal government employee authors must be submitted in English and French. The translation may follow the revised final version.

Abstract Deadline	October 28, 2015
Author Notification	November 25, 2015
Draft PPT Due	January 11, 2016
Final (Revised) PPT Due	February 22, 2016
Translated PPT Due	April 4, 2016

**For more information please visit the 2016 RPIC Federal Contaminated Sites National Workshop website:**  
<http://www.rpic-ibic.ca/en/events/federal-contaminated-sites-fcs-national-workshop/2016-fcs-national-workshop>.