



56th Annual Meeting of the Entomological Society of Alberta: Third Announcement

THEME Urban Forest Entomology
DATES Thursday 6 November, 2008 – Saturday 8 November, 2008
LOCATION Grant MacEwan Community College,
Robbins Health Learning Centre
10910-104 Ave, just west of the main Grant MacEwan buildings.

-----PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF ROOM LOCATION-----

Thursday registration, mixer will be held in the **Atrium** on the second floor, with the **registration** desk at the top of the long staircase in the **Atrium**.

Friday banquet - will be in 'The Bow' (room 9-115) at the west end of the building.

Friday and Saturday scientific program - Room 9-201 or 9-202

REGISTRATION:

Early registration before September 30, 2008.

Regular members, \$100 (early); \$160 (late)

Student/Retired members, \$50 (early); \$80 (late)

Single day regular members, \$50 (early); \$80 (late)

Single day student/retired members, \$30 (early); \$45 (late)

SEE REGISTRATION FORM ATTACHED AT END OF ANNOUNCEMENT

PROGRAM

Thursday 6 November, 5:30 PM to 10:00 PM: Registration and mixer - Atrium on the second floor, with the registration desk at the top of the long staircase in the Atrium (Robbins Health Learning Centre 10910-104 Ave, just west of the main Grant MacEwan buildings).

Friday 7 November, morning: Symposium: Urban Forest Entomology

- Keynote address: Therese Poland (USDA, Lansing MI)
- Reproductive Biology of the Ash Leaf Cone Roller: Maya Evenden (University of Alberta)
- Cottony Ash Psyllid: Ken Fry (Olds College)
- Critical Pest Infestation Response Plan, Banded Elm Bark Beetle: Jenny Wheeler (City of Edmonton, STOPDED)
- Status of IPM in Canadian Nurseries: Mario Lanthier (CropHealth Advising & Research)
- Population dynamics of birch sawfly: Chris Macquarie (Canadian Forest Service)
- Urban forest issues in Alberta: Chris Saunders (City of Edmonton)

Friday 7 November, afternoon: Contributed oral paper and poster presentations

Friday 7 November, evening: Banquet (after-dinner speaker: Jim Hole, Hole's Greenhouses and Gardens Ltd.)

Saturday 8 November, morning: Contributed oral presentations; ESA Business Meeting

ABSTRACTS

Deadline for submission of abstracts is 9 October, 2008. Send the following information to Joelle Lemmen (jlemmen@ualberta.ca):

type of presentation (oral or poster)

author(s), in the following format:

Evenden, M.¹, Wist, T.², and Lemmen, J.³. ¹Address; ²Address; ³Address.

indicate the **presenter**, if there are multiple authors

presentation title

abstract (not to exceed 250 words)

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Attendees are responsible for their own accommodation arrangements. Beware that the Canadian Finals rodeo takes place in downtown Edmonton on the same weekend as our meeting, so hotel spaces may fill up quickly. Grant MacEwan Community College has dorm rooms and a small number of hotel-style rooms available; see the attached information sheet. Alternatively, the following hotels are close to GMCC:

Coast Edmonton Plaza

http://www.coasthotels.com/hotels/canada/alberta/edmonton/coast_edmonton/overview

Coast Edmonton Plaza Hotel

10155 105 Street

Edmonton, AB T5J 1E2

Tel: 780-423-4811

Fax: 780-423-3204

Reservations: 1-800-716-6199

Holiday Inn Express Edmonton Downtown

http://www.hiexpress.com/h/d/ex/1/en/hotel/yeged?_requestid=827439

10010 - 104th Street

Edmonton, AB T5J 0Z1

Tel: 780-423-2450

Fax: 780-426-6090

Reservations: 1-877 660 8550

Days Inn Edmonton Downtown

http://www.daysinn.com/DaysInn/control/Booking/property_info?propertyId=05961&brandInfo=DI

10041-106 Street

Jasper Avenue & 106 Street

Edmonton, AB T5J 1G3

Tel: 780-423-1925

Fax: 780-424-5302

Reservations: 1-800-329-7466

TRAVEL TO and PARKING at GMCC:

GMCC is located on the northern edge of downtown Edmonton. If you're traveling by rapid transit, the nearest stop is Corona Station, at Jasper Ave. and 106 St. From there it's a 5 minute walk North to GMCC at 104 Ave. and 109 St. For more direct bus links, see the Edmonton Transit website:

<http://www.edmonton.ca/route-schedules-and-maps.aspx>

See the attached map for parking lots and rates at GMCC. The closest parking lot to our meeting is the parkade under the Robbins Health Learning Centre (#3 on the attached map). However, spots there are limited and it is more expensive than the West Parkade (#2 on the attached map), which is connected via pedway to our meeting rooms in the Robbins Health Learning Centre.

NEARBY FOOD and DRINK:

There is a cafeteria with hot lunches available, located on the first floor of the Robbins Health Learning Centre, directly below our meeting rooms. The cafeteria is open 7:30AM to 3:00PM Monday to Friday. It is closed on Saturdays. Several fast food restaurants (Wendy's, Tim Horton's, and Harvey's) are located on the south side of 104 Ave., right across the street from the Robbins Health Learning Centre. Other nearby options include Ceili's Irish Pub (10338-109 St.), Hudson's Downtown (11248 104 Ave.), and Denny's (10803-104 Ave.).

ESAB 2008 Annual Meeting - REGISTRATION FORM

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

preferred name for name tag: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

phone no.: _____ email: _____

Early registration must be received before September 30, 2008.

Full registration includes banquet ticket, one drink ticket at the mixer and mid-morning and mid-afternoon refreshments; single day registration includes one day's access to the scientific talks only.

Before Sept. 30:

After Sept. 30:

Regular members:

full registration: \$100 (early) _____ \$160 (late) _____

single day registration _____ \$50 (early) _____ \$80 (late)

Student/retired members: \$50 (early) _____ \$80 (late) _____

single day registration _____ \$30 (early) _____ \$45 (late)

extra banquet tickets: _____ X _____ \$50 each =

total enclosed: _____

Payment is by cheque, in Canadian funds. Make cheques payable to "The Entomological Society of Alberta".

Send this form to:

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CW405 Biological Sciences Centre
University of Alberta
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