

GPD

GLASS PERFORMANCE DAYS CHINA

MAY 11-12, SHANGHAI CHINA

1st Announcement

General Conference Theme:

Renewable energy and glass technology

Given the emerging new glass applications, the GPD conferences will continue to pay special attention on the impact glass technology can have on environmental protection. In this regard, the organizers of GPD China 2009, Glaston and China Building Materials Academy (CBMA) are putting special attention on the role glass can play on energy management, especially from the solar side.

We are now calling for papers

Proposals or abstracts for both theoretical and practical presentations should be submitted online at www.gpd.fi.

Since GPD China 2009 takes place just a month before GPD Finland, speakers can present the same paper in both conferences!

Proposed Sessions

Solar and Glass Technology Session

- Material & processing
 - coatings for solar applications
 - low iron glass
 - glass handling, pre-processing & processing
- Market & applications
 - PV and BIPV
 - thermal collectors & concentrators
 - solar energy markets

Practical and Processing Session

- hands on presentations – practical examples
- production efficiency
- process case studies
- handling and processing coated glass
- laminating & tempering process and products
- standards and regulations

Architectural, Façade and Market Trends

- building case studies
- how new designs or processes can affect the use of glass - an ideal educational possibility for architects, façade builders & glass company management
- what architects & façade builders want from glass processors
- what glass technology can offer architects and façade builders
- energy efficiency

Important dates to remember

Abstract submission deadline: **December 8, 2008**

Notification of paper acceptance:

December, 2008

Release of final Program: **January, 2009**

Submission of final manuscripts for proceedings book: **March 11, 2009**

Submission of PowerPoint presentations:

April 15, 2009

Participant registration opens in **February, 2009**

Workshop possibilities

We are also inviting proposals for practical workshops on specific subjects. Workshops may be held either before or after conference.

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