

Sponsor and Exhibitor Information

The Canadian Biosafety Symposium 2009 enables companies and other organizations involved in biosafety to connect with leaders and decision makers from across Canada's biosafety and biosecurity community. The Symposium provides the venue to feature the availability and value of biosafety products and services, and to gain the attention of people who make the crucial decisions in their selection and procurement.

The event will bring together more than 200 biosafety professionals, biocontainment facility managers and laboratory scientists from government facilities, universities and the private sector. It will feature presentations and posters on an array of biosafety topics, including microbiological techniques, laboratory facilities and equipment, biosecurity measures, and infectious diseases affecting humans and animals. This annual event enables the Canadian biosafety community to learn and share knowledge with colleagues from across Canada and other countries.

You have the opportunity to become a sponsor, exhibitor and participant in the Canadian Biosafety Symposium. Just fill out and fax back the attached sponsorship form.

All sponsors will:

- be featured and acknowledged in the Symposium signs, promotional materials, and program, with specific signage and recognition at the event you are sponsoring.
- be given two free conference registrations for your personnel to attend and participate in all Symposium activities, which includes two banquet tickets.
- act with the other sponsors and exhibitors as host of an opening reception in the exhibit area.
- be given booth exhibit display space in close proximity to the events, refreshment areas and social activity of the Symposium.

All exhibitors will:

- be featured in the Symposium program.
- be given one free registration for your personnel to attend and participate in all Symposium events (which include one banquet ticket), and two registrations limited to activities in the booth exhibit area.
- act with the sponsors and other exhibitors as host of an opening reception in the exhibit area.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Gold Sponsor Events (\$7,000)

- Monday evening dinner
- Monday luncheon
- Tuesday luncheon

Silver Sponsor Events (\$5,000)

- Sunday evening reception
- Monday morning breakfast
- Tuesday morning breakfast

Bronze Sponsor Events (\$3,500)

- Monday morning coffee/nutrition break
- Monday afternoon coffee/nutrition break
- Tuesday morning coffee/nutrition break
- Tuesday afternoon coffee/nutrition break

Exhibitor (\$1,300)

Canadian Biosafety Symposium
May 31 – June 2, 2009
Sponsor Application Form

To become a Symposium sponsor, please complete this form with payment and fax or mail it by Thursday, April 23rd, 2009 to:

Canadian Biosafety Symposium
c/o Mindie Copet, Planners Plus
140 Parkdale Road
St. Andrews, MB R1A 3A7
Fax: 204.338-0295

For further information on sponsorships, contact Mindie at 204.338.0154 or email at mindie@plannersplus.ca

Select your organization's level of sponsorship:

Gold **Silver** **Bronze** **Exhibitor**
\$7,000 **\$5,000** **\$3,500** **\$1,300**

Name the event you will sponsor: _____

Payment: Cheque OR Credit Card (in Canadian dollars)

Cheque (payable to "Planners Plus")

Credit Card Type: Visa MasterCard

Credit Card #: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Name on Card: _____ Signature: _____

Please note credit card statement charges will appear as Planners Plus.

Please use the Exhibit Application to secure your exhibit booth.

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov/State: _____ Postal Code/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Exhibitor Guidelines

Dear Exhibitor:

The Symposium displays will be set in the Bluenose Ballroom, this will allow for maximum exposure of your booth display. The tradeshow will begin on Sunday, May 31st, 2009, from 6:30pm to 9:00pm during the opening reception. The trade show will continue on Monday, June 1st, from 7:30 am until 5:00pm and from 7:30am until 3:00pm on Tuesday, June 2nd, 2009. Attendees will have a chance to visit the displays prior to the opening Keynote, during the breaks, at lunch and before the banquet reception.

The following times are guidelines for set up and take down of booths and materials.

Set up **Sunday May 31, 2009**
2:00pm – 4:00pm

On-site, an exhibitor registration table will be located at the main entrance of the Bluenose Ballroom. At this location, Planners Plus will provide you with your booth location, name tags and any other pertinent information. Each draped exhibit booth will include one decorated table and 2 chairs. If you require an internet connection or electrical outlet please contact mindie@plannersplus.ca as additional charges may apply.

Trade show hours **Sunday May 31, 2009**
6:30pm – 9:00pm

Monday June 1, 2009
7:30am – 5:00pm

Tuesday June 2, 2009
7:30am – 3:00pm

It is important that trade show exhibitors are on-site and adhere to the times noted for the tradeshow hours. Please take note of the exhibit hours and plan to have a representative in attendance for those times.

Take down **Tuesday June 2, 2009**
3:00pm - 5:00pm

Exhibitor Registration

Each exhibit booth allows for two designated exhibitors (names):

1. _____
2. _____

Symposium Registration

Each exhibit booth price allows for one free symposium registration (which includes one banquet ticket):

1. _____

Organization/Company name: _____

Mailing address (street, city, province/state, country, postal/zip code):

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

Email address: _____

Fees – Your exhibit fees include one 8' X 10' exhibit space, one decorated table and two chairs. **One Symposium registration** is included which will allow access to the displays, seminars, opening reception on Sunday, May 31, 2009, and reception and dinner on Monday, June 1, 2009. Fees are in Canadian dollars and **include two booth personnel**.

Exhibitor \$1,300.00

Additional Booth Personnel \$150.00

Additional Banquet Ticket (for one) \$80.00 (number of tickets _____)

Taxes included in price.

Total remittance: _____

Please indicate your method of payment (payment in Canadian dollars):

VISA

MasterCard

Card Number: _____

Expiry date: _____

Name on card: _____

Signature: _____

Cheque (payable to "Planners Plus")

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Cancellation:

In the event that notification of intent to cancel is received by the exhibit management at least 45 days prior to the opening of the exhibition, all sums paid by the exhibitor, less a service charge of \$60.00 per booth, will be refunded. No refunds will be made after this date.

For additional symposium information or registration please visit our website at www.icid.com/biosafety or contact Mindie, at mindie@plannersplus.ca or call 204.338.0154