Underwater Intervention 2011
February 22 - 24, 2011
New Orleans, LA

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS
<http://www.underwaterintervention.com/CallforPapers.shtml>

Diving and diving operations, manned submersibles, ROVs, HOVs, AUVs, tools and techniques: if you are in the business of getting jobs done in the undersea environment you want to be part of the Underwater Intervention 2011 technical program.

Building on the success of UI'2010, Underwater Intervention once again offers a variety of opportunities to participate including presentations, panel sessions, tutorials, and workshops.

> Presentations: One of three 20-min presentations in a thematic session
> Panel sessions: Experts discuss current and future topics impacting our industry
> Tutorials: Half or full day educational seminars on a variety of topics
> Workshops: Hands-on equipment training by the companies that built them

For the Proceedings, UI is accepting abstracts, full technical papers, Power Point presentations, or multimedia submissions. Pick the format that works for you to share your latest technical achievements and hand-on experiences with your colleagues.

If you have worked in offshore mineral recovery, fisheries, offshore construction, seafloor systems, commercial diving, undersea vehicles and components, engineering research and manufacturing, marine science, ocean eco-tourism, ocean exploration, marine archaeology and salvage, undersea documentary films, maritime security, training, or other marine projects involving manned or unmanned intervention technologies, this is the perfect opportunity to address your community at large and share ideas and challenges.

Presenters will receive a **complimentary registration** for the entire conference and other benefits. Exhibitors are encouraged to leverage their booth with a technical presentation. Presentations are to be instructional rather than overtly commercial, however discussions of offshore challenges that lead to developments of new products are entirely appropriate. A personal story of meeting and overcoming challenges in the field or on expedition are

well received. A 20 minute presentation with 5 minutes of Q&A offers the immediate feedback from a very attentive audience and opens the door to meeting new people and produces many side bar discussions during the three days.

Please submit an abstract of 200-500 words via email to the Technical Program Co-Chair in the area of interest to you (identified on the UI website), or to Kevin Hardy <khardy@ucsd.edu> or Steve Struble <sstruble@aqueossubsea.com> to reserve a place in the line up. A single image that complements the abstract is suggested, but not required. Multiple submissions are acceptable from a single author, but each individual presentation topic must be submitted as a separate abstract. Final submissions for publication are due December 15, 2010.

UI Presenters will receive: 1) Complimentary Pass for the Entire Conference; 2) Express check-in at the Speaker Lounge; 3) Speaker Lounge - open all day during the show, 4) Complimentary Breakfast (in Speaker Lounge), and 5) Speaker Appreciation Gift.

All Technical Presentation/Workshop Rooms will be furnished with the following AV equipment: Projector, Screen, laser pointer, Podium and Microphone. Presenters must bring their own laptop to plug into the LCD projector. Rooms will be set "classroom" style with a head table.

In one file (.doc, .PDF or .txt) please include:
    Principal author's name:
    Company:
    mailing address:
    e-mail:
    phone:
    fax:

    submission type (presentation, panel, tutorial, or workshop):

    Paper title:
    Abstract (200-500 words)
    Single image that complements the abstract (optional):
    Co-Author(s):
    Co-author company:
    Co-Author e-mail:
    Preferred Session: (from "UI 2011 Suggested Presentation Themes" below)
    If this material is sponsored by U.S. Government, indicate agency and office:
    Author bio: (50 words, for Moderator introduction at conference)

UI 2011 Suggested Presentation Themes include:
    Acoustics and communication
    Bridges, Dams, Inshore Structures
    Cables & Connectors
    Deepwater Field Development Technology
    Diving
    Diving, Commercial, Case Studies
    Diving, Commercial, Equipment Development
    Diving, Commercial, Safety/Training
    Diving, Contaminated Water

Dynamic Positioning
History of Saturation Diving and Submerged Operations
Maritime Legislation and Policy
Manned Submersibles (including life support, stored power systems, technology and operations))
Marine Archaeology
Marine Construction
Marine Education
Marine Mineral Resources
Marine Salvage Operations
Military Applications for Underwater Technology
Moorings (including Buoy Technology, and Ropes/Tension Members)
Navigation
Nuclear and Hydro Energy
Ocean Engineering
Ocean Exploration
Ocean Mining
Ocean Pollution and Mitigation Technologies
Offshore Structures
Remote Sensing
ROVs, mini (incl technology and operations)
ROVs, workclass (incl technology and operations)
ROVs and Seafloor Structure Interface (incl Submarine Cable Networks)
Salvage
Scientific Research in Underwater Operations
Underwater Sensor Technologies
Shipwreck Exploration
Survey Technologies
Technological Developments in Underwater Operations
Sonar and Acoustics
Underwater Operations and Projects
Underwater Imaging
Unmanned Maritime Vehicles (incl AUVs, surface craft, other free vehicle technology and operations)

Information on presenter registration will be available shortly.

Please contact any of the UI Technical Program Committee Co-Chairs if we can answer any questions or provide further information.

We look forward to working with you on Underwater Intervention 2011in New Orleans.

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