



International Isotope Society

Symposium on Mixed and Low-Level Radioactive Waste

Sheraton Hotel, Overland Park, KS, Thursday, June 9, 2005

We will be conducting a special symposium on mixed and low-level radioactive waste sponsored by the International Isotope Society Low Level Radioactive Waste Committee on June 9, in Overland Park, Kansas – a suburb of Kansas City, Missouri. We are pleased to invite you to attend and call for your contributions.

The topic of this meeting is the disposition of low level radioactive waste: the technical and regulatory issues associated with its generation, storage and disposal. We are very pleased to announce that we have an excellent slate of speakers (please see IIS website for program) who will address the current state of affairs in the international and US arenas. Our speakers will discuss the international perspective on LLRW and recent changes in the US situation, as well as developments in technical options for processing and destruction of LLRW and recent activities at the National Tritium Labeling Facility. In addition, a consortium of RSO's from the Midwest will discuss their approaches and solutions. We are confident attendees will have an excellent opportunity to gain the latest perspectives on the management of LLRW. There are still limited opportunities to accommodate additional speakers.

The meeting will be held at the Sheraton Hotel, in Overland Park, KS, on June 9, 2005. (Please contact the hotel directly for reservations and ask for the "IIS" rate. Rate is guaranteed until April 30.) Registration and a light breakfast will begin at 7:30 a.m. The presentations will start at 8:30 a.m. and end by 3:00 p.m. Please note that this is a distinct and separate function from the 2005 IIS Central Chapter Meeting which you might also be attending. The regular IIS scientific program will commence immediately after the Mixed and LLR Waste Symposium. To attend the "Symposium on Mixed and Low-Level Radioactive Waste", please complete the appropriate sections of the attached registration form and return it with payment (all forms also available on the IIS website: <http://www.intl-isotope-soc.org/>). The registration fee of \$80.00 includes breakfast, lunch, and refreshments on June 9.

The management of the costs and uncertainties of LLRW continue to be problematic for many researchers and remain one of the central problems in initiating work with radioisotopes, especially in the US. We hope that this forum will be of use to you in your isotope-based research. If you would like to present a paper at the symposium please contact Brad Keck at 513-622-2597 (keck.bd@pg.com) or Larry Weaner at 215-628-5604 (LWeaner@prdus.jnj.com) no later than March 31. If you have questions or need additional information you may contact either one of us.

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