

INTRODUCTION

The Eighth Regional Symposium, **PACON 2007: *Ocean Observing Systems and Marine Environment*** will be held on June 24-27, 2007 at the Ala Moana Hotel in Honolulu, Hawaii, USA.

OBJECTIVE

The role of marine science and technology in the economic development of the Pacific Basin resources is of vital concern to planners, policy makers, administrators, educators and scholars. The biennial symposium brings together scholars and resource persons to address key issues concerning marine technology related to the ocean's economic potential from a multi-disciplinary perspective. The symposium facilitates an exchange of views and ideas between representatives of all nations thereby strengthening the global exchange of information and collaborative research linkages.

PACON International Mission Statement

PACON International is a non-profit, professional marine science and technology society dedicated to the sharing of scientific and technical information among those interested in the future of the world's oceans with a Pacific focus.

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VENUE

PACON 2007 will be held at the Ala Moana Hotel in Honolulu, Hawaii. The newly renovated hotel is located just outside the Waikiki resort area and adjacent to Ala Moana Center, Hawaii's largest shopping center with over 260 stores, restaurants, and food court.

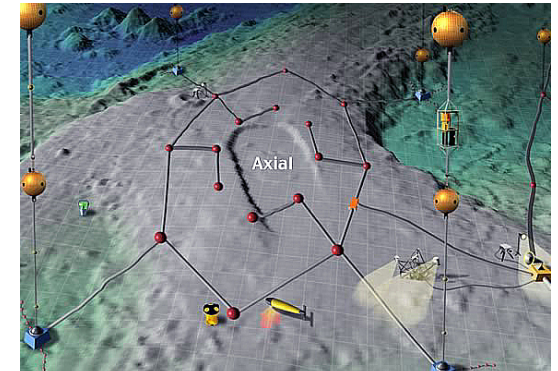
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CALL FOR PAPERS

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CALL FOR PAPERS

The Technical Program Committee cordially invites papers for presentation at **PACON 2007: *Ocean Observing Systems and Marine Environment***. If you are interested in submitting an abstract, please contact the PACON Secretariat or check the website at www.hawaii.edu/pacon for Abstract Guidelines and Abstract Submittal Form. Accepted abstracts will be compiled and published as the **PACON 2007 Program & Abstracts**.

ABSTRACT SUBMITTAL INFORMATION

Abstract Fee: US\$50

- The abstract fee is nonrefundable if paper has been accepted.
- Must be paid with each abstract submitted.
- One abstract fee of US\$50 will apply towards the registration fee.

Deadline: February 28, 2007

Language: English (Official Language)

Abstract Submittal Form: Download from the website www.hawaii.edu/pacon or request via email.

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EXPENSES

Authors are responsible for all expenses incurred in preparing and presenting their papers, including time spent, costs of preparation of manuscripts and illustrations, travel to the Symposium, and abstract and registration fees. It is also the responsibility of the authors to prepare their manuscripts for inclusion in the conference proceedings. All participants including session chairs and coordinators are required to pay registration fees.

Photo Caption: Ocean monitoring networks/sensors.

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TECHNICAL SESSIONS

As the theme, *Ocean Observing Systems and Marine Environment* suggests, the Technical Sessions includes a comprehensive program to include (subject to change):

Advanced Vehicles
Aquaculture and Mariculture Technology
Climate Change
Coastal Hazards
Coastal Environment
Coastal Sediment Processes
Coastal Structures
Coastal Water Level Fluctuations
Coral Reef Science and Management
Education in Marine Science and Technology
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Natural Energy
Ocean Mapping and Seafloor Characterization
Ocean Observing Systems
Operational Experiences in Environmental Monitoring
Ports and Harbors
Remote Sensing and Oceanographic Satellites
Sustainable Coastal Development
Women in Marine Science, Technology and Policy

STUDENT POSTER SESSION

The *Cecilia Hsi Saxena Awards* will be given to the six (6) best graduate student posters presented at PACON 2007. Winners will receive cash prizes. Details for these awards will be provided on our website.

SPECIAL REGISTRATION

Special registration fees will be offered for residents of the State of Hawaii, residents of ASEAN countries, and the Presenting Primary Author. Please contact PACON (pacon@hawaii.edu) for more details.

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

REGISTRATION FEES	Until	After
	May 21, 2007	May 21, 2007
Full Registration: Non Mbr ¹	US\$ 500	US\$ 550
Full Registration: Member ¹	US\$ 440	US\$ 490
Full Registration: Life Mbr ²	US\$ 380	US\$ 430
Full Registration: Student ³	US\$ 110	US\$ 110
Full Regis.: Student Mbr ³	US\$ 95	US\$ 95
One-Day Registration ⁴	US\$ 200	US\$ 200
Spouse or Family Mbr ⁵	US\$ 120	US\$ 120

- 1-includes entry to all Sessions, reception, lunch, awards banquet, Program/Abstracts Book, Proceedings, 1-yr Membership
2-includes entry to all Sessions, reception, lunch, awards banquet, Program/Abstracts Book, Proceedings
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