IBA 33rd Biennial Conference

November 3 – 6, 2013
San Francisco, California

Leave your office prison, hop on the trolley and join us!
Join us at the Argonaut Hotel in Fisherman’s Wharf, San Francisco for our 33rd Biennial Conference on Agglomeration. The four day event will start on Sunday, November 3rd and will continue through Wednesday November 6th, 2013.

2013 Conference and Workshop

The Institute for Briquetting and Agglomeration (IBA) announces its 33rd Biennial Technical Conference to be held in San Francisco, CA November 3rd to 6th, 2013. For over 50 years, the IBA sponsored the premier conference on state-of-the-art agglomeration technology. The Papers presented will include details of actual operations, as well as theoretical approaches to agglomeration. This year’s conference will be preceded by a half-day hands-on workshop, “Particle Size Enlargement through Agglomeration – Methods and Practices”. This is an excellent opportunity for newcomers, as well as a refresher course for those pursuing knowledge on the current methods of agglomeration. This is the conference that will enable you to interact with the delegates and to discuss specific issues with the industry experts on a one-to-one basis.

The Conference will be held at the Argonaut Hotel which is located in the Fisherman’s Wharf district.

A limited number of student discounts are available. Please contact the IBA for additional information and qualification criteria.

See below for announcements and a link to the hotel. Note: Cancellation requests must be received in writing and postmarked before Oct. 1, 2013 to receive a refund.
• **Hotel Information**

The iconic [Argonaut Hotel](#) is perched on the edge of the bay at Fisherman’s Wharf. It is consistently ranked a top ten hotel in San Francisco by Trip Advisor and Fodors. Call the hotel directly at 866-415-0704 to make a Reservation. Rates are $230.00 a night for a Single/Double when identified as an IBA attendee.

• **Vendor’s Night**

Interested in exhibiting at Vendor’s Night?

On Monday evening we meet in our social room for a reception sponsored by various vendors associated with agglomeration. The vendors will be issued a standard “table-top” exhibit area for their display. The evening is a casual affair with hors devours served along with your favorite adult beverages. It is a time to meet those who are attending the conference and to answer any questions about your services or products. The reception is open for all registered delegates and guests.

*Cost is $750.00 to exhibit.* (In order to exhibit at Vendor’s Night, you must also be registered for the Conference). The Vendor’s Night will be from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM or later. All exhibits must be removed at the conclusion.

• **Workshop**

A workshop will be held on Sunday, November 3rd from 1:00 to 5:00 PM that is titled “Particle Size Enlargement through Agglomeration – Methods and Practices”. This is an excellent opportunity for newcomers, as well as a refresher course for those pursuing knowledge on the current methods of agglomeration. The instructors are recognized as leaders in the field of agglomeration and will present a basic understanding of the agglomeration methods.

Class participation is encouraged during this four hour course and a certificate of attendance will be issued at the end of the workshop. Refer to the Registration Form for details on cost.
• Field Trip

On Wednesday at the conclusion of the Membership Meeting there will be a field trip to the Clorox Research and Development facility located in Pleasanton, California. Interested parties will board a bus that will take us to the site. A gourmet lunch will be available at the Clorox cafeteria for a nominal cost. The bus will return us to the Argonaut Hotel at the conclusion of the tour.

Clorox is very active in the agglomeration of materials for their products and we will be able to view the various processes during the tour.

Please refer to the Registration Form for information on the nominal charge for the tour.

• Preliminary Conference Program

Sunday November 3rd 2013

- Registration for Workshop and Conference: Noon-5:00 pm
- Workshop “Particle Size Enlargement through Agglomeration – Methods and Practices” 1:00pm to 5:00pm

Monday November 4th 2013

- Session I 9:30 am to Noon
- Session II 1:30 pm to 5:00pm
- Spouse/Guest Tour
- Vendors Night 5:00pm to ?

Tuesday November 5th 2013

- Session III 9:30am to Noon
- Session IV 1:30 pm to 5:00pm
- Presidents Banquet 6:30pm

Wednesday November 6th 2013

- Session V 9:30am to Noon
- Round Table Discussion
- Business Meeting
- Tour of Clorox R&D Center 1:30pm
REGISTRATION FORM

INSTITUTE FOR BRIQUETTING AND AGGLOMERATION

33RD BIENNIAL CONFERENCE

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

NOVEMBER 3 THROUGH 6, 2013

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION:

DELEGATE: $695.00 Member, $795.00 Non-Member
GUEST: $375.00

(GUEST REGISTRATION INCLUDES WELCOME GIFT, VENDOR’S NIGHT, LUNCHEON AND TOUR OF SAN FRANCISCO AND THE PRESIDENTS BANQUET).

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION:

DELEGATE: $400.00

FIELD TRIP TO CLOROX FACILITY:

DELEGATE: $50.00
GUEST: $50.00

VENDOR’S NIGHT: $750.00 PER TABLE.

TOTAL: ____________________________

ALL FEES ARE IN U.S. DOLLARS PAYABLE BY CHECK OR PAYPAL. REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT CAN BE MADE ON LINE THROUGH OUR WEB SITE www.agglomeration.org.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO AND RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:

INSTITUTE FOR BRIQUETTING AND AGGLOMERATION
PO BOX 205
PORTERSVILLE, PA  16051
USA

NAME (PRINT OR TYPE):__________________________________________________________
GUEST NAME: ________________________________________________________________
COMPANY AFFILIATION: _________________________________________________________
EMAIL AND TELEPHONE: _______________________________________________________

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