GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT IN URBAN AREAS - FLORENCE, ITALY

FINAL CALL FOR ABSTRACTS! Abstract deadline extended to SATURDAY JANUARY 28th.

Dear friends,

This is your final chance to submit an abstract for our session on "Groundwater Management in Urban Areas" at the 32nd International Geological Congress (IGC), to be held in Florence, Italy, August 20-28th, 2004. http://www.32igc.org/

This session is sponsored by the International Association of Hydrogeologists Commission on Groundwater in Urban Areas (IAH CGUA) and is dedicated to the memory of Matthias Eiswirth, Commission Vice-Chair who died December 30th, 2003 (http://www.scar.utoronto.ca/~gwater/IAHCGUA/index.htm)

The IGC is held just once every four years and is the premier international event for geologists across the globe. Our session on "Urban Groundwater Management" provides us with a rare opportunity to promote our urban groundwater research on the world's most prestigious stage. Negotiations are underway to publish the session proceedings in full through a leading international agency.

Potential authors who are unable to attend the session, but would like to contribute to the post-meeting "memorial volume" should contact me directly (gwater@utsc.utoronto.ca)

Please don't miss the January 28th deadline and make sure that your abstracts clearly identify the session (T38.02). Authors may present only one paper orally but can co-author papers that are presented orally by colleagues. There are no limitations on the number of posters submitted. Final decisions on acceptance will be released March 1st, 2004.

Both oral and poster papers will be considered for formal publication as "full" papers. In any circumstances, all abstracts accepted will be published in abstract form by IGC.

Ideally, abstracts should be submitted electronically via the website. Details are at http://www.32igc.org/circular-scientific02b.htm You need to fill in a "registration" form first http://php3.cineca.it/32igc/authors04/mod_registrazione.php3, which allows you to login and start the submission process. Authors / presenters who do not have internet access can submit their abstract on paper forms obtained from the Scientific Secretariat:

Phone/Fax: +39 055 2382146, casaitalia@geo.unifi.it.

Finally, I should like to apologise for the inevitable duplicates of this message some of you will receive. Please feel free to forward this message to anyone who would like to receive it.

With very best regards, Ken Howard - IAH Commission Chair

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