First Announcement

16th International Conference

ASHES
FROM POWER GENERATION

October 21 - 24, 2009
Zakopane, “Belvedere” Hotel

Organizers:
Polish CCP Union

and Partners

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Dear Participants

We are approaching the 16th Conference on “Ashes from Power Generation” organised by the Polish Union of Coal Combustion Products. Our previous EUROCOALASH Conference had European and global impact and proved to be an undisputable success, with the participation of more than 200 Delegates from 20 Countries. The idea of holding an European conference every second year brings us this year to concentrating on the Polish national developments in the field of utilisation of CCPs. In this framework we intend to share first of all the activities, plans and achievements of Polish firms and research centres. Nevertheless, considering the dynamic growth of contacts and collaboration between CCP commercial and research community in Europe and beyond, and also taking into account the position of our Union, we want to maintain some international dimension and aspect on our Conference. This will be represented by our special guests a.o. from Canada and India, the latter representing the very dynamically growing Asian markets.

Thematic Conference Blocks have been prepared by leading centres, firms and persons specialising in utilisation and marketing of CCPs:

- Prof. Wojciech Nowak – Processing of CCPs into sorbents and nanomaterials;
- Dr Jan Hycnar – CCPs from Clean Coal technologies – properties and utilisation;
- Pavel Sokol – Modern CCP technologies in the Czech Republic;
- Janusz Fromm – Co-combustion of biomass and CCPs;
- Sonia Jarema Suchorowska – testing of CCPs and utilisation technology;
- Tomasz Szczygielski – CCPs and REACH, standardization and Waste Directive.

All those interested in contributing to the program of the Conference are welcome to contact the Polish Union of CCP.

It should be stressed, that entering into force of the Waste Directive of the European Parliament in December 2008, as well as its consequent process of implementation in the Member States, will shape a new approach to waste utilisation for many years to come. It opens up the new possibilities of producing coal combustion products with a legal status of a material or recycled raw material not a waste. This may have large impact and consequence for all companies active on this market.

An important part of activity of the Polish Union of CCP is participating in development of technical standards by work in Technical Committees of the Polish Committee for Standardization, and in national and international Expert Groups such as IBDiM and CEN. Specifics of this area and its importance to creation of new possibilities of CCP utilisation will be shared with the Participants of our Conference.

It would be impossible not to devote a part of the Conference to the subject of CCP registration within REACH. The Polish Union of CCP has been substantial in establishing a REACH Consortium, and being elected its Leader, maintains an International Secretariat for co-ordination of actions. The goal is to efficiently and effectively complete all necessary research and achieve the registration of CCPs as chemical substances.

We have been CCP-active already for 16 years and I extend to you our traditional “Welcome to Conference on Ashes from Power Generation”.

Tomasz Szczygielski
Polish Union of CCP
Thematic blocks

I  New international developments in CCP utilisation:
   - Canada
   - India
   - United Kingdom
   - Russia
   - Czech Republic

II  Processing of CCP into sorbents and nano-materials

III  Clean Coal technologies and CCP

IV  Co-combustion of biomass and CCP

V  CCP and Waste Directive/REACH

VI  Revision of CCP technical standards

Outline Program

21.10.2009 – WEDNESDAY
10.00-14.00  Meeting of Polish Union of CCP
14.00-15.00  Lunch
            Registration of Participants
15.00-18.00  Conference Session I
            19.00  Regional Cuisine Dinner “Czarci Jar”

22.10.2009 – THURSDAY
9.00-13.00  Conference Sessions II & III
9.00-15.00  Trip No 1 (Morskie Oko) – for accompanying persons
13.00-14.00 Lunch
14.00-16.00 Conference Session IV
            20.00  Phoenix Awards Gala

23.10.2009 – FRIDAY
9.00-13.00  Conference Sessions V &VI
900-14.00  Trip No 3 (Polana Rusinowa) – for accompanying persons
13.00-14.00 Lunch
14.00-16.00 Conference Session VII
            18.00  Dinner

24.10.2009 – SATURDAY
10.00-16.00  Trip No 5 (Kasprowy Wierch)
            Lunch in Murowaniec.

Detailed Program of Conference will be provided in Announcement 2
Deadline

**September 15, 2009** the deadline for sending papers for Conference Council.

**October 1, 2009** the deadline for sending registration forms and transferring the conference payment.

There is **5% of discount**, when the conference fee is payed by September 15, 2009

Refunds cut down by 20% (due to administrative costs) will be possible only basing on written cancellations, which will come in to the conference office before **October 5, 2009**.

**Time and venue**

**“Belvedere” **** Hotel**
Droga do Białego 3,
34-500 Zakopane, Poland

Start of conference - October 21, 03 p.m
End of conference - October 23, 02 p.m

**Addres of the conference office**

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*with a note “Ashes 2009”*
For participants of a conference all hotels has prepared special price offer (discount of 35%).

1 Hotel “Belvedere”
Droga do Białego 3
www.belvederehotel.pl

Prices of rooms:
- single room .......................................................... 105 €
- double room............................................................. 128 €

Price includes:
- buffet breakfast and free entrance to the aquatic center (swimming pool, jacuzzi, Rome baths).

“Belvedere” hotel offers:
- Recreation (swimming pool, jacuzzi, Rome baths)
- Center of biology recreation
- Sport center (bowling, billard, golf symulator, dart, gymnastic room, fitness room, squash, solarium)
**ACCOMMODATION**

2 “Czarny Potok” Hostel***
Tetmajera St. No 20,  www.czarnypotok.pl

**Prices of rooms:**
- Single room and breakfast ........................................... 55 €
- Double room and breakfast ........................................... 68 €

3 “Adria” Hostel***
Grunwaldzka St. No 5,  www.regle.pl/adria

**Prices of rooms:**
- Single room and breakfast ........................................... 32 €
- Double room and breakfast ........................................... 37 €

**Conference Center**

**ZAKOPANE**

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**Legend:**

1 “Belvedere” Hotel
2 “Czarny Potok” Hostel
3 “Adria” Hostel
4 “Czeci Jar” Restaurant
Małe Żywczańskie St. No 11a
## Registration Form

### 16th International Conference

**ASHES FROM POWER GENERATION**  
October 21-24, 2009, Zakopane, “Belvedere” Hotel

### Registration of a new participant

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### Planned arrival .................................  Planned departure .................................

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### Planned payment

- **Participation fee:** ................................. **€ 500** (tax included)

  We oblige ourselves to transfer the total into the account of Polish CCP Union by **October 1, 2009**

  *The price includes:* participation in the conference, simultaneous translation, conference proceeding, conference bag, coffee breaks, lunches, dinners, Feniks Award Ceremony and trips no 2, 4, 5. *The price does not include accommodation and breakfast.*

- **Spouse fee** (not participating in the conference): ................................. **€ 200** (tax included)

  *The price includes:* lunches, dinners, Feniks Award Ceremony.

- **Trip No 1** ........................................... **€ 38**
- **Trip No 2** ........................................... **€ 17**
- **Trip No 3** ........................................... **€ 21**
- **Trip No 4** ........................................... **€ 16**
- **Trip No 5** ........................................... **€ 31**

### Signature

- **Signature of the Head Accountant**
- **Company stamp**
- **Signature of the President/Director**

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Please send by mail or fax by October 1, 2009.
APPLICATION FOR PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

[Form fields for: first name, last name, position, organization, city, country]

Proposed title:

Type of presentation:  □ paper  □ hanging up poster  □ multimedia presentation
□ foils  □ transparencies  □ others ..................................

The text should be submitted in MS-Word format (papers) or ad a Power Point presentation on a CD/DVD or by e-mail to edyta.kryszkiewicz@ekotech.pl (Maximum number of pages is 10 with 12 pt. font and 1,5 intrval). An abstract should be included as well.

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