

**The Twenty-Third International Conference on Solid Waste
Technology and Management
March 30 - April 2, 2008 Philadelphia, PA, U.S.A**

Call For Papers

A major international conference on solid waste will be held in Philadelphia, PA, U.S.A. on March 30 - April 2, 2008. Participants are expected from over 40 countries.

Researchers, educators, government officials, consultants, managers, community leaders, students and others with an interest in solid waste are invited to submit papers for **oral or poster** presentation at the Conference.

Papers related to all aspects of solid waste technology
and management are of interest, including:

Landfilling topics	Agricultural wastes
Recycling	Research topics
Energy recovery and thermal treatment	Modeling
Waste reduction	Utilization of waste materials
Economics	Case studies
Policy	Solid waste dust
Regulations	Innovative technologies
EU directives	Waste collection
Facility siting	Waste generation studies
Public involvement	Integrated waste management
Education	Equipment
Household hazardous wastes	Sludge
Waste composition studies	Ash
Composting and biological treatment	Use of waste materials in construction
Chemical and biochemical treatment	Environmental impacts
Municipal wastes	Construction and demolition wastes
Industrial wastes	Geotechnical topics
Contaminated sites	Liners, caps, gas and leachate
Mining and mineral wastes	Environmental equity
Medical wastes	Waste in developing regions
Scrap tires	All other related topics

Abstracts should be submitted on-line at **www.widener.edu/solid.waste**. Click on “2008 Conference, Call For Papers”. If you do not wish to submit on-line, a one-page abstract (in English) should be sent to:

Dr. Ronald L. Mersky, Conference Chair, Department of Civil Engineering, Widener University, 1 University Place, Chester, PA 19013-5792 U.S.A., Fax: 610 499 4461, email: solid.waste@widener.edu, phone: 610 499 4042. **Include: the paper title; the names of all authors; the complete postal and email addresses of the corresponding author; a brief abstract. Indicate if you want oral or poster presentation or both.**

The deadline for submission of abstracts is October 31, 2007. **Early submission is encouraged.**

For more information: www.widener.edu/solid.waste