

IFMA NEWSLETTER - MAY 2010 - 18th IFMA Congress - Announcing the "Call for Papers"

18TH INTERNATIONAL FARM MANAGEMENT CONGRESS – Sunday 20th – Friday 25th March 2011

Chateau in the Park Hotel, Christchurch, New Zealand

Theme: "Thriving in a Global World - Innovation, Co-operation and Leadership"

CALL FOR PAPERS – Contributed Papers and Posters – Submit by 30th September 2010.

The 'Call for Papers' for the Congress has now been released. All the details are on the IFMA18 Congress website, and the Call for Papers, Paper and Poster Specifications as well as MS Word templates can be downloaded from the 'Call for Papers Page'.

Basic details are –

The congress organisers are calling for Contributed Papers in either "Peer Review" or "Non-Peer Review (case study)" forms and for posters.

These should be relevant to the theme and fit within the following sub themes:

1. The Environment
2. Education & Training
3. Farm Management
4. Business & Finance
5. Marketing & Trade
6. Innovation & Leadership

At least one author of a paper must register to attend the congress.

The final date for submitting a paper or poster is 30th September 2010

The final date for notification that a paper has been accepted will be **30th November 2010**

The final date for an author to Register for the Congress and be given a presentation slot for their paper is **31st December 2010**.

The organisers request that you use the **MS Word contributed paper templates** (Peer Review, Non-Peer Review and Poster) available for downloading from the 'Call for Papers Page' to prepare and submit your paper.

They are particularly keen to receive non-peer review (case study) practical papers from farmers, farm managers, advisors and consultants involved in the industry.

Papers should be submitted to Kate Saxton at the email address provided (k.r.saxton@massey.ac.nz). John Gardner and Nicola Shadbolt at Massey University will be joint editors of the proceedings.

You should visit the [IFMA18 website](#) regularly to keep up to date with the programme and other information. Currently on the website you will find **drafts** of the Congress and Field Day Programmes (Agenda) and Pre and Post Tours. (Note: the Post Tour currently has incorrect start and finishing dates – should start on Saturday 27th March).

To be sure of getting updated information you should "[Express your Interest](#)" using this link, or the page on the website.

The launch of the 'Call for Papers' is an important moment in the promotion of a congress. Please forward this email to any colleagues, friends or contemporaries that you think will be interested in the congress, and in particular in submitting a paper.

Best Regards,
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