

The International Conference on Trends for Scientific Information Professionals







ICIC 2011 - The Meeting

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For those in the sci-tech world, sharing best practices, networking and evaluating trends have become matters of considerable importance, and the annual ICIC Meeting & Exhibition is **the significant forum** for this, attracting over 200 attendees from the main scitech companies and information, service or software providers.



Started in 1989...

These exciting and highly respected annual conferences, that started in Montreux in 1989 and were subsequently held in Annecy, Nîmes, Barcelona, Nice and Vienna, have always provided a barometer as to the strengths and frailties of the world of scitech and patent information.

The conference lasts for two and a half days and features approximately 24 formal presentations, panels on topical matters, all interspersed with short new product information presentations. All sessions are plenary. The conference normally begins with a reception on the first evening to enable attendees to begin to network with each other, and has a cocktail party on the second evening. Lunches are taken at the conference venue, and breaks are designed to facilitate networking and interaction. A focused exhibition of approximately 25 stands is integrated within the conference. Attendance at these meetings is highly international, with no one nationality predominating.

The 2011 ICIC conference is organised by Dr Haxel Congress and Event Management, with Infonortics organising the conference programme.

Subject Areas for the 2011 Programme

The traditional focus of the ICIC programmes is **subjects of interest to information professionals in a scientific or technical environment.** As in previous years, this year's programme contains a number of presentations examining aspects of patent information retrieval, including drug discovery; patent information presents many challenges and is thus an excellent test-bed when it comes to information technology. The ICIC meeting's roots in chemical information also ensure that that area features prominently; chemical information was one of the first fields to attract modern information technologies back at the end of the nineteenth century and the very beginning of the twentieth.

Search and Retrieval is covered by many presentations, including those by David Milward (UK), Anne Bülow (Denmark), Josef Eiblmaier (Germany), James Ryley (USA), Gregory Grefenstette (France) and Ron Kaminecki (USA). Another interesting group of papers explores the challenges of developing modern information centres, with Stefano Caporusso (Switzerland), Dennie Heye (Netherlands) and Thorkild Sørensen (Denmark). And current ,hot' information areas connected with mobile information, social network information and e-business are discussed by Randall Marcinko (USA), Georges Fischer (France), Antony Williams (UK) and Antoine Raulin (France).

This year, the **2011 ICIC Patent Panel** examines whether we are working towards a changed and interesting future for all the participants in Intellectual Property. Patent professionals, including lawyers, users, suppliers and developers will give their views in a panel chaired and animated by Pierre Buffet of Questel. The five expert panellists are Ann Chapman of Minesoft (a service provider), Alfred Elmaleh of the French Petroleum Institute (a patent professional), Monika Hanelt of Agfa Graphics (a patent information expert), James Ryley of SumoBrain (a service and software provider) and Yo Takagi of WIPO. The panellists will examine and discuss, with the audience, a range of questions relating to the future of the patent information domain. The future scenarios touched upon will be of interest to everyone at the ICIC meeting. The 2011 programme promises to be even better, more topical and more vibrant than ever.

Sunday 23 October 2011

15:00 - 18:00	Registration
15:45 - 16:45	Workshop Questel
17:00 - 18:00	Workshop Minesoft
18:30 - 19:30	Welcome Reception
19:30 - 22:00	Welcome Dinner

Monday 24 October 2011

Starts at 09:00

- Welcome
- The New Generation of Digital Natives and their Impact on the Corporate Information Environment - Randall Marcinko (MEI, USA)
- Trust and Confidence in International e-Business
 Georges Fischer (Chambre de Commerce et d'Industrie de Paris, FR)
- New Product Introductions Questel / Digital-Science / Minesoft
- Exhibition and Networking Break
- Making Business Sense of the Continuous and Anarchic Flow of Social
 Media Data Fernando Guererro (Solid Quality Mentor, ES)
- Open Access Repositories: Opportunities and Risks for STI
 Communities Antoine Raulin (Bureau van Dijk Information Management, FR)
- New Product Introductions Linguamatics / BizInt
- Lunch, Exhibition and Networking
- chemicalize.org: Automatically adding Chemistry to Web Pages,
 Predicted Structure Data and Search Alex Allardyce, Andreas Stracz,
 Daniel Bonniot, Ferenc Csizmadia (ChemAxon, HU)
- Mobile Chemistry and "Generation App" Antony Williams (RSC/ChemSpider, USA)
- New Product Introduction:
 InfoChem / LexisNexis / Parthys Reverse Informatics
- Exhibition and Networking Break
- Integrating Proprietary and Public Collections of Pharmaceutically Relevant Small Molecules in the Patent Literature with Reference to Neglected Diseases - Andrew C Hinton, Richard J Koks, James M Siddle, Nicko Goncharoff (Digital-Science, UK)
- Overcoming Issues in Implementing Chemical Structure Searching Across Disparate Data Sets - Ron Kaminecki (Dialog, USA)



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Tuesday 25 October 2011

Starts at 09:00

- How to Perform Comprehensive Patent Landscape Searches
 Anne Bülow (Danish Patent & Trademark Office, DK)
- Challenges in Next Generation Scientific and Patent Information Mining Josef Eiblmaier, Hans Kraut, Heinz Saller, Peter Loew (InfoChem, DE)
- New Product Introductions STN / ChemAxon / Dialog
- Exhibition and Networking Break
- The 2011 ICIC Patent Panel
- Lunch, Exhibition and Networking
- Synthesising Knowledge by Exploiting Diverse Data Sources: from Microblogs to Patents - David Milward (Linguamatics, UK)
- From BACON to XML Why Patent Information Publishers are still
 Converting Image Data to Searchable Text Richard Garner (LexisNexis, UK)
- Chembl Open Data for Drug Discovery
 John P. Overington (European Bioinformatics Institute, UK)
- New Product Introductions Fairview / Max.recall
- Exhibition and Networking Break
- Making Searching Faster and More Complete: Cross-Collection Search and Automated Result Set Analysis - James Ryley (Sumobrain, USA)
- Multi-file Searching of Polymers in Various Databases
 Gururaj Bagalkotker (Dolcera, IN), Lakshmikant Goenka (Dolcera, USA), Naveen
 Mamindlapelli (Dolcera, IN)

Wednesday 26 October 2011

Starts at 09:00

- Search Based Applications at the Confluence of Database and Search Engine Technology - Gregory Grefenstette (Exalead, FR)
- Challenges and Organisational Model for the Establishment of a New Information Service - Stefano Caporusso (Styron Europe GmbH, CH)
- Value-added Information Services: How to Stay Relevant in a Changing World - Dennie Heye (Shell International, NL)
- Reform and Organisation of Manuals and Guidelines for In-House Information Resources at the DKPTO - Thorkild Sørensen (Danish Patent Office, DK)
- Exhibition and Networking Break
- Maximising Search Results in Bio-pharmaceutical Space Srinivasan Parthiban (Parthys Reverse Informatics, IN)
- Patent Research in Asian Languages Rahul Verma (Evalueserve, IN)

2011 Meeting ends at approximately 13:00

14:00 - 15:00 Workshop LexisNexis



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The 2011 ICIC will take place at the World Trade Center Barcelona.

Location - The ideal space for the ICIC 2011

- The World Trade Center Barcelona is the business park in the Catalan capital. Located on the seafront just a few minutes from the city centre, it has a unique congress, convention and meeting centre with 20 different rooms and some spectacular views.
- The WTCB offers a prestigious location in Barcelona's Port Vell (Old Port) district, surrounded by the Mediterranean, plus a combination of the latest technology and the widest possible range of services for businesses.
- It also features a commercial area and a Grand Luxe 5-star hotel as an integral part of the amenities of this up to the minute business park, bathed in the light and the sun of the Mediterranean.
- For all these reasons, the World Trade Center Barcelona has cemented its position as one of the most important business hubs in the city of Barcelona: a point of reference for business on an international scale, and of course the ideal place to hold an event.

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WTC Barcelona

Moll de Barcelona s/n, edifici Est, 1ª planta. 08039, Barcelona, Spain. www.wtcbarcelona.com

Hotel

The Eurostars Grand Marina Hotel offers a total of 291 rooms, in an 8-storey building resembling a transatlantic liner, on the central wharf of the port of Barcelona. There are 244 double rooms and 47 suites. The rooms are luxurious, avant-garde in design with balconies overlooking the Mediterranean and optimum equipment of the highest quality.



Eurostars Grand Marina is an avant-garde and minimalist design hotel set in the Port of Barcelona. The hotel is surrounded optimum comfort and luxury.

The hotel is located in the Barcelona World trade Center building, the ICIC 2011 Conference venue. The metro stop "Drassanes" (L3 - green line) is only a few minutes walking from the Hotel. The location of Grand Marina Hotel is ten minutes by taxi from the airport and Sants railway station.

The perfect situation of the hotel in the Barcelona Port, two minutes walking distance from the Columbus monument, offers the Conference participants the possibility of walking to countless city sightseeing, cultural and shopping opportunities in Barcelona.

There is information about the hotel rooms at www.grandmarinahotel.com

Networking Programme

All registered ICIC participants are invited to join our Barcelona Networking Programme.

Conference Welcome Dinner

Welcome Dinner, Sunday 23 October at Grand Marina Hotel sponsored by Digital Science Location.

Conference Cocktail

Conference Cocktail, Monday 24 October at Grand Marina Hotel sponsored by Questel.

Conference Lunches

Conference Lunch, Monday 24 October and Tuesday 25 October sponsored by Linguamatics

Conference Dinner

Conference Dinner, Tuesday 25 October at Barceloneta or Olympic Harbour



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