

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

Purdue Geotechnical Society Workshop

and the

11th G.A. Leonards Lecture:

“Organoclays: Novel Barrier Media for Managing Groundwater Flow and Transport at NAPL-Contaminated Sites”

Prof. Craig H. Benson

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Friday, April 19, 2013, Krannert Auditorium, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

Registration required for workshop and banquet; lecture at 4:30p.m. free & open to the public.

Geotechnical Workshop

“Soilmakers: Engineering Soil for Geoenvironmental Applications”

8:00a.m.-4:00p.m, Purdue Memorial Union

Presentations are invited on soil modification techniques for addressing environmental problems, as well as related analysis, experimentation and field experience.

The concept of the workshop is of an informal forum where engineers, students, and faculty can interact and discuss matters of common interest. Members as well as non-members of the PGS are welcome. The goal is for all participants to share their professional experience through open dialogue and fruitful debate. Short presentations (20 minutes max.) will be scheduled with additional time for questions/discussion. The emphasis is on oral presentations and debate; no written papers will be required, nor proceedings published. Participants will receive abstracts at the meeting and have the opportunity to post highlights of their own presentation on the PGS Web site after the workshop.

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

Analysis & simulation

Brownfields

Business practices

Case histories

Contaminant barriers

Field testing

Ground modification

Impact on tomorrow's practice

Instrumentation and sensors

New technology assessment

Porous- and biomaterials

Quality control

Recycled materials

Seepage control

Site assessment

Site remediation

Smart materials

Waste containment

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INTENTION TO MAKE A PRESENTATION:

Send an e-mail message and abstract to pgs@ecn.purdue.edu giving the following information by **Friday, February 22:**

Presenter: _____

Organization: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____

Phone: _____

PowerPoint projector needed ____

Other A/V needs ____ (specify below)

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

Title of Presentation:

Abstract (Max. 300 words):