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Oil Spill India 2016

4th International Conference & Exhibition

11th & 12th August 2016, JW Marriott, Sahar, Mumbai, India

Theme : Commitment, Synergy, Excellence



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WELCOME TO THE 4th EDITION OF OIL SPILL INDIA 2016

In the wake of the recent Sundarbans Oil Spill incident, we are yet again reminded of the fragility of similar eco-sensitive areas in the waters following any oil spill & the increasing amount of uncertainty for similar incidents. Fortunately since the last Oil Spill India Conference in September 2014 at Goa, the quantum of work been done & the progress made on actionable points by various stakeholders of the industry led by Indian Coast Guards (ICG) has been noteworthy.

We are riding a new wave of expansive research, innovation and renewed dedication to advancing effectiveness in oil spill response capabilities. Leading the wave of change is the Indian Coast Guard through numerous measures including: the recently released & comprehensively revised National Oil Spill Disaster Contingency Plan 2015 (NOS-DCP), which meets international standards; An Online Oil Spill Advisory system-a system that places India amongst a select list of countries that have indigenously developed capabilities for prediction of trajectory of oil spills; Mapping of environmental sensitivities in coastal zones, deployment of Aerial Dispersant Spray System & finally facilitating the regional oil spill contingency plans under the auspices of the South Asia Cooperative Environment Program of the United Nations including development of national plans for Maldives and Sri Lanka.

One of the central goals of the Oil Spill India (OSI) Conference is to partake at this critical juncture in brining a promising future for the global oil spill industry & its stakeholders. Since its inception in 2011, OSI has continually evolved & OSI 2016 will be no exception in meeting the changing needs and interests of the community that it serves. Themed "Commitment, Synergy, Excellence" OSI 2016 will continue its tradition of providing a forum on stakeholders commitment for Environmental Sustainability, Oil Spill Preparedness & Prevention, the need for Synergy in Oil Spill Response & Excellence in Restoration efforts.

ABOUT OIL SPILL INDIA 2016

Oil Spill India 2016 aims to tackle the most prevalent issues facing the global oil spill industry. The summit agenda would stimulate learning through panel debates, technical case studies and keynote sessions that ensure that attendee's leave with the skills and knowledge required in overcoming the challenges & risks faced by operators & stakeholders. The theme for this year's conference is:

"COMMITMENT, SYNERGY, EXCELLENCE"

Increasing Global concerns on Oil Spill threats & aftereffects have pushed decision makers across the industry to actively implement strategic contingency plans & explore proven strategies and technologies in tackling the challenges of oil spill, ensuring their organizations achieve the zero incident benchmarks.

OSI 2016 offers a thought-provoking working environment to reach out, meet and network with industry leaders and key decision makers as they explore how technological and operating advances can benefit their organization in oil spill planning, preparedness, response & restoration.

The concurrent exhibition provides organisations with an excellent opportunity to showcase their products and services to decision makers and influencers from the industry in the region & beyond.

OSI CALL FOR PAPERS

The paper presentations are the backbone of the OSI's technical program and contribute to the vast canon of [oil pollution](#) knowledge shared between the government, industry, and academia.

As an internationally recognized technical and policy forum, Oil Spill India 2016 is seeking thematically related papers/abstracts for its 4th edition in Mumbai, India, on 11th & 12th August 2016 the Advisory Board has developed a list of focus topics that are considered timely and appealing for presentations in the conference on which authors are requested to submit related papers. Invited authors would present their respective papers during the technical or interactive sessions scheduled during the conference.

Before a paper is invited for presentation at OSI 2016, an author must first submit a comprehensive abstract for consideration. Starting Jan, 1st, 2016, interested authors should visit: <http://www.oilspillindia.org> and click the "Call for Papers" tab to find instructions for submitting abstracts electronically using OSI's online abstract submission system. Abstracts must be in English & should not exceed 400 words. They will be evaluated based on relevance, uniqueness/originality, technical content, and clarity.

The closing date for submission of Abstracts is 31st March 2016.

Authors will be notified of acceptance by 30th April 2016, and Full Papers should be received by 30th June 2016.

AGENDA

S.No.	Date	Time	Session Details	Session Theme
1	11 th August 2016	0830-0930 Hrs.	Registration & Networking	
		0945-1045 Hrs.	Inaugural Session	Commitment, Synergy, Excellence
		1045-1115Hrs.	Exhibition Inauguration/Tea-Coffee Break	
		1115-1200 Hrs.	Plenary Session 1	Global & National Initiatives
		1200-1315 Hrs.	Technical Session - I	Global Best Practices Stakeholder Integration
		1315-1400 Hrs.	Lunch	
		1400-1510 Hrs.	Technical Session - II	Risks in Marine Environment
		1510-1530 Hrs.	Networking over Tea/Coffee	
		1530-1700 Hrs.	Technical Session - III	Environment and Pollution Management
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2	12 th August 2016	0930-1050 Hrs.	Plenary Session 2	Commitment & Synergy - Command & Control
		1050-1115 Hrs.	Networking over Tea/Coffee	
		1115-1200 Hrs.	Panel Discussion	Preparedness & Response Capabilities
		1200-1315 Hrs.	Technical Session - IV	Surveillance Technologies & Techniques for Spill detection
		1315-1400 Hrs.	Lunch	
		1400-1525 Hrs.	Technical Session-V	Role of Salvors, Spill, Responders & Clean up Agencies
		1525-1545 Hrs.	Networking over Tea/Coffee	
		1545-1700 Hrs.	Technical Session-VI	Funding, Insurance, Legal & Training
		1700-1745 Hrs.	OSI Advisory Board Panel Discussion	
		1745-1800 Hrs.	Chairman's Summary and Vote of Thanks	