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Central Dredging Association
African Section



First Announcement

Seminar

**SEA SAND AN ALTERNATIVE
FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

22 , 23 April 2015

Casablanca - MAROC



CALL FOR COMMUNICATION

Introduction

Alternative resources unavoidable, the sea sand is essential today all over the world, like material of sustainable development. Fortunately, it is in great quantities in marine layers, easily exploitable which are constantly renewed.

Several European countries, under the constraint of the environmental requirements, and faces the extent of needs, reached great stages in the use of sailor, and have a rich experiment today in this field.

Therefore, the African Section of the Exchange Dredging Association (CEDA), organizes this conference in collaboration with the Company Dredging of Ports DRAPOR SA; with participation of eminent experts and experts of international stature in this important meeting to formulate the appropriate answers to these questions.

The main International symposium aim, which will gather enquiring and professionals of industrial academics and governmental environments, of the countries in Europe and Africa, is to promote an exchange of information and experiments in the field of the production of the sea sand.

The conception of a dredging project is founded upon three essential aspects:

- Activity of sand production: organization, follow-up and control
- western African Experience (Experiment) in marine sand production.
- Statutory Aspects of marine sand production.
- Morocco: + 25 years of experiences (experiments) in marine sand production
- economic and technical Aspects of marine sand production
- Supply in aggregate of big harbor projects.
- Appreciation of the sand of dredging.
- Development of the activities of sailor sands production.

Official languages

English and French will be the official languages of the conference. Papers are invited in both languages.

Presentations will be given in either of these two languages during the technical sessions. Simultaneous translation will be provided.

The presented papers will be published in both languages.

Information for prospective authors

The papers must be original and should not have been published or submitted for publication elsewhere. Any purely promotional text will be rejected. Authors must assign all copyright of their communications to CEDA-AS

Prospective authors are requested to submit a 300-word abstract of their paper before 23 February 2015 electronically. Format (PDF) files are preferred. Abstracts will also be accepted in simple text. The submission must include the name, affiliation, complete mailing address, telephone and fax numbers and email address of each author. The author's name should be legible.

Please submit abstracts to:

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The submitted abstracts will be reviewed by the technical Papers Committee. The TPC reserves the right to accept a submission as an oral or poster presentation.

The technical Paper Committee will assess the abstracts. Authors will be informed not later than 03 March 2015 of the acceptance of the paper and will receive the author's Kit. The Author's Kit will include instructions for the preparation of the full manuscript, the conference registration form and the copyright transfer form. Draft manuscripts, having a text of 3000-5000 word must reach the organizers before 23 February 2015.

All manuscripts will be refereed for quality, correctness, originality and relevance. Reviewer comments will be sent to the authors by 25 March 2015 to assist in revising the manuscripts for the final submission.

It is understood by the submission and our acceptance of it as an oral poster, that one or more of the authors will register for and attend the conference for presentation of the complete paper or poster.

Therefore, one full registration with payment must accompany each draft manuscript or poster.

Important deadlines:

Submission deadlines

23 February 2015

Submission of abstracts	:23 February 2015
Notification of acceptance	:03 March 2015
Submission of draft manuscripts	:18 March 2015
Comments of the Technical Committee of the authors	:25 March 2015
Submission of final version report	: 31 March 2015

Please note: That the above mentioned deadlines will be strictly observed.

Proceedings

The papers and posters presented will be included in the conference proceedings both in English and French languages. They will be distributed to all registered participant at the conference.

Visit Technique

A technical visit to the plat form AZEMMOUR is for 23 April 2015 in the morning.

Social programs

An attractive social program, including a conference Dinner will be arranged for participants and r their partners.

The associated program will offer interesting tours of Casablanca.

Second Announcement – Program and Registration Form

It will be published in March. Members of CEDA will automatically receive the brochure. If you are not a member and you wish to receive the brochure, please send your request to the CEDA-AS secretariat.