

**The 9th Bi-Annual Circumpolar
Remote Sensing Symposium
May 15-18, 2006**

First Call For Papers

The 9th Circumpolar Remote Sensing Symposium deals specifically with remote sensing applications in the Arctic and Antarctic environments. It provides an international forum for the exchange of current applied research in remote sensing and GIS applications for land and resource managers, environmental monitoring and assessment, mineral exploration, and other fields dealing with arctic and Antarctic environments. The symposium will also be an excellent means to promote and exchange ideas for the International Polar Year studies scheduled for 2007/2008. Scientists, resource managers, and other interested parties are invited to attend and present an oral or poster presentation dealing with:

- Environmental monitoring
- Wildlife management and habitat enhancement
- Arctic vegetation mapping and monitoring
- Land and water management and assessment
- Pollution detection and monitoring
- Snow and ice studies
- Climatology
- Oceanography
- Geology
- Mineral and oil and gas exploration
- Archaeology
- Geographic Information Systems and Web based portals
- Mapping, monitoring, or assessment of boreal processes that have direct influence on Arctic processes

Abstracts are due by 1 March 2006. "Notice of Intent to Attend" the conference are requested by October 28, 2005.

Notice of Intent to Attend

To help with overall planning, the symposium staff would appreciate advanced notification of intent to attend this conference. There are no fees associated with this notice, and no fee will be assessed if you do not attend. This notice of intent is strictly advisory and will be used to help with planning meals, space, and facilities. Notice of intent to attend the conference is requested by October 28, 2005. Please notify:

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