

## **First Announcement and Call for Papers**

### **23<sup>rd</sup> International Drying Symposium (IDS 2024)**

**Wuxi, China**

**November 22-25, 2024**

The 23<sup>rd</sup> International Drying Symposium (IDS 2024), which will be organized by the School of Food Science and Technology, Jiangnan University, will be held at the Worldhotel Grand Juna Hotel in Wuxi, China during November 22-25, 2024. IDS 2024 will continue the tradition of the IDS series, founded by Prof. Arun Mujumdar since 1978, as being a global forum for the dissemination and exchange of the most cutting-edge and comprehensive findings and information related to the study, advancement and use of drying/dewatering science and technology. Leading scientists and engineers from academia and industry from all over the world will be gathered at the Symposium. Award program will also be a part of this important event for the world drying community.

The Symposium will include, but not limited to, presentations in the following topical areas:

- Fundamentals, modeling and simulation
- Physical properties and product quality
- Industrial processes and equipment
- Measurement and process control
- Energy and environmental issues
- Osmotic dehydration and drying
- Drying of gases and liquids
- Drying of powdered solids
- Drying in biomass energy applications
- Drying of food and agricultural materials
- Drying of biological and pharmaceutical materials
- Drying of chemicals and polymers
- Drying of wood, pulp and paper, forest products
- Novel drying technologies, R&D opportunities

#### **IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE**

February 15, 2024: Deadline for abstract submission

March 31, 2024: Notification of abstract acceptance

April 30, 2024: Deadline for manuscript submission

June 15, 2024: Final notification of manuscript acceptance

July 1, 2024: Deadline for “early bird” registration

September 1, 2024: Final deadline for registration

Please visit <https://ids2024.com> under construction, will be available in December, 2023) to submit an abstract by January 31, 2024.

The organizers warmly welcome prospective participants to this most important international event in drying science and technology. IDS 2024 is promised to be an unforgettable event and we look forward to meeting all the participants in the wonderful city of Wuxi during November 22-25, 2024.

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