



CALL FOR PAPERS

Plant Canada 2011 “Plant Adaptation to Environmental Change” Halifax, Nova Scotia, July 17–21, 2011 A Joint Colloquium of

Canadian Society of Agronomy, Canadian Society for Horticultural Science, Canadian Botanical Association, Canadian Society of Plant Physiologists, Canadian Phytopathological Society and Canadian Weed Science Society

We are pleased to announce a call for papers for the Plant Canada 2011 colloquium, “Plant Adaptation to Environmental Change,” to take place at Saint Mary’s University, Halifax, from July 17–21. Plant Canada is the largest gathering of plant scientists in Canada with representation from the Canadian Society of Agronomy (CSA), the Canadian Society for Horticultural Science (CSHS), the Canadian Botanical Association (CBA), the Canadian Society of Plant Physiologists (CSPP), the Canadian Phytopathological Society (CPS), and the Canadian Weed Science Society (CWSS).

The Plant Canada 2011 colloquium features invited symposium speakers, contributed papers (oral presentations and posters), competitive presentations for graduate students, society annual meetings, and offsite tours. Saint Mary’s University is located in downtown Halifax with easy access to local entertainment, an historic waterfront, museums and galleries, shopping, dining, and city nightlife. Please visit our website at www.Plantcanada2011.ca for program highlights.

Members are encouraged to submit titles and abstracts of papers and posters to be presented at sessions sponsored by their society. Each society is also hosting a Graduate Student Presentation Competition. All abstracts will be published in the colloquium proceedings and on Plant Canada’s website (www.plantcanada.ca). Following peer review, papers submitted under CSA, CSHS, and CWSS are eligible for publication in a special issue of the *Canadian Journal of Plant Science* (CJPS). Submission of full manuscripts for publication in CJPS is optional. Details are available at: <http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/cjps-aic>.

The deadline for submission of titles and abstracts is: April 15, 2011.

Detailed instructions for submission of titles and abstracts are available at: <http://Plantcanada2011.ca>.

For help using the web-based application form, contact Marilyn Roberts, Department Secretary, Plant and Animal Sciences, NSAC, by phone (902-893-6644) or e-mail (mroberts@nsac.ca).

The Program Committee has planned a stimulating scientific program interspersed with wonderful leisure options, including many events of particular interest to students. Please plan to attend and encourage your students to do likewise.

Maritime hospitality is assured!

Important Announcement - Extending Deadline Dates

The planning committee has extended the deadlines for submission of titles, abstracts and ‘Early Bird’ registration as follows:

-**April 15** will be the new deadline for ‘**Early-Bird**’ Registration. Thereafter, registrations will be accepted as “late registrations”

-**April 15** will be the new deadline for title and abstract submissions for **oral presentations**.

-**May 20** will be the new deadline for title and abstract submissions for poster presentations.