

# Ninth International Symposium on Subsurface Microbiology

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## Sponsor Prospectus

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Become a sponsor of the **Ninth International Symposium on Subsurface Microbiology (ISSM 2014)**, the world's foremost conference on the link between microbiology, the subsurface environment, and microbial ecosystems.

ISSM 2014 is being organized by the International Society for Subsurface Microbiology in collaboration with the National Water Research Institute.

The conference will be held at Asilomar State Beach and Conference Grounds, located in Pacific Grove, California. Asilomar has served as a venue for many noteworthy scientific conferences where groundbreaking findings have changed important paradigms in several scientific fields, most notably in molecular biology.



ISSM 2014 will include four plenary sessions featuring keynote speakers and 10 topic sessions with over 80 presentations on subsurface microbiology, including "hot" issues such as long-distance electron transfer by cable bacteria and energy fluxes in the subsurface. In addition, two networking receptions will highlight poster presentations.

### THE BENEFITS OF SPONSORSHIP

❖ **Benefit from exposure to research innovations and breakthroughs in subsurface microbiology that will directly affect how you do business.** Distinguished speakers and well-known experts will share their knowledge and ideas on areas of interest to your company, such as microbial-enhanced oil recovery, bioremediation of contaminated groundwater and soil, groundwater quality, and waterborne disease transmission.

❖ **Increase your exposure to leaders in the international scientific community.** ISSM 2014 is a cost-effective way to increase your visibility by putting your company's name in front of more than 300 scientists and other professionals in the fields of subsurface microbiology and ecology.

❖ **Support the next generation of future scientific breakthroughs.** Travel grants will be offered to deserving graduate students interested in giving presentations at ISSM 2014. Your sponsorship fees will be used to support the Student Travel Grants Program.



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## SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

We offer sponsorship packages that satisfy your needs for involvement and exposure among the subsurface microbiology community.

### “Gold” Sponsor – \$5,000

- Sponsorship of conference dinner
- Up to four (4) complimentary registrations
- One (1) sponsorship of a student presenter
- Promotion as conference sponsor
- Company logo, description, and contact information in conference program
- Signage recognition at the conference
- One (1) skirted 6-foot tabletop exhibit (optional)



### “Silver” Sponsor – \$3,000

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- Two (2) complimentary registrations
- One (1) sponsorship of student presenter
- Promotion as conference sponsor
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- Signage recognition at the conference
- One (1) skirted 6-foot tabletop exhibit (optional)



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- One (1) complimentary registration
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- One (1) skirted 6-foot tabletop exhibit (optional)

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## CONFERENCE TOPICS

- Molecular Tools in Subsurface Microbiology
- Subseafloor Microbiology
- Subsurface Microbial Transport
- Aquifer Recharge Microbiology
- Microbial Aspects of Bank Filtration
- Microbiology of Coastal Beach Aquifers and Hyperheic Zones
- Microbiology of Extreme Subsurface Environments
- Microbial Energetics in Subsurface Systems
- Subsurface Ecosystems: Adaptation, Diversity, and Functionality
- Microbial Ecosystems: From Network to Models
- Microbial Role in the Fate and Transport of Subsurface Pollutants
- Role of Microbial Cycling in Environmental Sustainability
- Chemotaxis in Subsurface Systems
- Emerging Issues in Subsurface Microbiology



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## HOW TO BECOME A SPONSOR OF ISSM 2014

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