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Foreword

We live in challenging times and adapting to change is essential for all sectors of the world economy. Agriculture in particular is under enormous pressure (especially in Australia) from a changing climate in terms of weather, labour, resource availability and the economic conditions. Research, development and adoption of new agricultural technologies provide real opportunities to ensure that agricultural production systems remain sustainable.

The 2009 CIGR sponsored International Symposium of the Australian Society for Engineering in Agriculture (titled 'Agricultural Technologies in a Changing Climate') meeting provides a unique forum for local and international delegates to share ideas and tackle diverse topics while focusing on the main challenges associated with 'climate change' in its broader sense.

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The last 'biennial' conference of the Australian Society for Engineering in Agriculture (SEAG) was held in Adelaide. An interesting trend was observed then and seemingly the same trend continues during this current meeting, namely, that many of the presentations are related to the field of "information engineering". Close to 50 percent of the submitted papers deal with the acquisition and management of information, including interesting topics such as sensor development, data mining, signal processing and modelling studies. The remainder of the presentations report on diverse topics related to agricultural engineering (including post harvest technologies, food processing, machinery design, tillage optimization, irrigation, water, livestock and environmental management etc.); making the 2009 SEAG Conference a truly informative event. Our high profile keynote speakers from Europe and Africa will initiate the Symposium with thought provoking presentations. Approximately 80 papers will be presented during the course of this Symposium and large percentage of the presentations will be made by overseas delegates; representing in excess of 15 countries from five continents.

The organisation of such international meetings would not happen without the hard work of the conference organising team. We also would like to thank the contributions of many individuals who have assisted the conference organisers with venue arrangements, paper reviews, editing, and various other tasks. Without this input and the coordination to bring it all together, this conference would not have been possible. We also would like to acknowledge the moral support (CIGR) and the financial assistance of the main sponsors, including the University of Southern Queensland, Grains Research and Development Corporation and Engineering Australia.

The plenary sessions offer the opportunity to share information and the social activities facilitate the forging of friendships. With this in mind we would like to encourage all delegates to enjoy the company of other like-minded delegates, share ideas, network, collaborate and of course enjoy Brisbane and this wonderful country of Australia. In essence, we would like to wish you (on behalf of the SEAG and the Conference committee) a very productive and enjoyable time during the SEAG2009 International symposium.



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**The extended deadline for submitting an abstract to 2009
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Brisbane, Australia, 13-16th September 2009
will be 15 March, 2009**

Dear Colleague,

Just a brief e-mail to remind you that the extended deadline for submitting a short abstract to the SEAg conference will be 15 March, 2009. I would like to ask you to promote the event in your respective countries. We especially would like to see a more significant participation from our SE Asian neighbor, as the idea of regional collaboration cannot proceed without getting together at conferences such as this one.

For further information, please visit: <http://www.seag2009.com>

The SEAg conference will be held between the 13 and 16 of September, 2009, in Brisbane, Australia. The Symposium will be supported by the CIGR and Engineers Australia.

Style and format guidelines for the short abstract are available to the link: http://www.seag2009.com/pdf/Abstract_Templates.doc

Hope to see you at the Conference and pls in the meantime distribute this message as widely as you can via your networks.

Best regards

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