

Wood Characterization: Principles and Applications PLL NEW!

Is your scientific appetite merely whetted by the Sunday afternoon fundamental disciplines sessions? Do you feel like you just aren't getting enough of that good, basic stuff out of your annual meeting? Well, look no further! This year, SWST is offering an ALL NEW **MONDAY** MORNING SESSION made for you!

"Wood Characterization: Principles and Applications". This will be presented in a tutorial/applications/examples format of either tried and true, or some partly tried and maybe true techniques (i.e., neat things the presenters may have tried or are working on) to stimulate thought and interaction on fundamentals of wood science. Each presenter will have about 40 minutes for presentation/Q&A/interaction. Here is what we have lined up:

Wood Viscoelasticity as an Analytical Tool - Dr. Chip Frazier, Virginia Tech

Physical Properties Characterization- Dr. Jim Funck, Oregon State University

Application of Advanced Spectroscopic Tools to Wood and Wood Composites - Dr. Steve Kelley, National Renewable Energy Laboratory, and Dr. Tim Rials, University of Tennessee

Modern Microscopy Methods for Exploring Wood - Dr. Bob Hanna, SUNY-ESF, and Dr. Audrey Zink-Sharp, Virgnina Tech

Applying Statistical Methods: Practices and Pitfalls - Dr. Patty Lebow, USDA Forest Products Laboratory

The session starts with registration* and coffee at 7:30 a.m. on Monday, June 23 in the Factoria Room at the DoubleTree Hotel-Bellevue (Washington). Our speakers will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. The session will conclude at about 11:30, in plenty of time for you to make the FPS Industry Focus Day luncheon.

- *THE BEST PART IS THAT REGISTRATION IS INCLUDED WITH YOUR SWST ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION (Traditional Sunday Session)
- *For those who desire to register only for the Monday Session, a separate registration fee of \$25 will apply. See reverse for details.

YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!!

Registration Form 2003 SWST MONDAY Session: "Wood Characterization: Principles and Applications"

NOTE: IF YOU ARE REGISTERED FOR THE SWST ANNUAL MEETING ON SUNDAY, YOU ARE <u>ALREADY</u> REGISTERED FOR THE NEW MONDAY MORNING SESSION.

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Telephone ()Fax ()
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Registration Fee*
Before June 1 Members, Students, Retired, and Nonmembers - \$25
After June 1 Members, Students, Retired, and Nonmembers - \$40
* Includes Monday morning SWST session with refreshments
Credit Card #(VISA or MasterCard only) Expiration Date
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