

SWST VISITING SCIENTIST SIGN-UP FORM

The SWST Visiting Scientist Program facilitates the exchange of knowledge between outstanding specialists in wood science and technology and interested persons at educational, industrial, or governmental institutions. Many of the foremost wood scientists in the Society have participated in the Program. Their presentations have consistently won praise from the hosts. And, the scientists themselves have found the visits both stimulating and enjoyable.

In addition to providing a forum for discussions on wood, the Society expects the Program to create interest in careers in wood science and technology and to assist in improving existing educational programs in this area. We believe that bringing people together to discuss these problems benefits both the scientists and the participants.

The format of visits is arranged between the host institution and the visiting scientist. Generally a visit is scheduled for one or two days duration. During this time, the visitor gives a number of lectures or seminars and has discussions with individuals. SWST pays transportation costs of the scientist to and from the host institution. The host is responsible for all of the local costs. As part of the request, the host institution is asked to provide some nominal direct contribution to the program. However, in many cases, the visiting scientist's organization has covered the entire cost of the visit. Visiting Scientist Program application packets are mailed to potential host institutions in the fall of each year. Any SWST Full Member in good standing may participate in the program.

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