



## Wildfire 2013 Poster session, 22 Oct 2013 Update & instructions for presenters

Wildfire 2013 is the latest in the series of biennial wildfire conferences for the UK & Ireland, attracting over 100 wildfire practitioners from the Fire & Rescue, land management, emergency planning and related disciplines, as well as academic researchers.

The conference is taking place at the Vale Resort, Hensol, Glamorgan on the 22nd & 23rd October.

The NERC-funded Knowledge Exchange project, *Knowledge for Wildfire*, is offering students, researchers and others the opportunity to promote their work and get feedback from practitioners by presenting a poster at the conference.

Posters will be displayed in the main conference room, so will be highly visible to the delegates. There is a dedicated poster session set aside before lunch on the Tuesday.

Posters so far include topics as varied as:

- The fate of charcoal from moorland fires;
- Results from the EU-funded FIREMAN team on a long-term performance of prescribed moorland burning;
- Flammability properties of British moorlands and heathland vegetation;
- The geography of vegetation fires in Greater Manchester using Fire and Rescue Service incident data.

## Instructions for poster presenters

- Poster presenters, please register online for the conference as soon as possible and book your accommodation. Poster authors will be eligible for the student rate registration (one or two day). For more details please see http://www.ruraldevelopment.org.uk/wildfire/
- Posters will be displayed on a wooden wall (Blutack will be provided). The display area will accommodate an AO poster in portrait format, or A1 or smaller in either landscape or portrait.
- All posters should be set up by 11.30a.m. on 22nd October. Set up on the evening of the 21st October may be possible if advised in advance.
- We encourage authors to leave posters on display until 2.00p.m. on 23rd October, but let us know if this is a problem.
- Authors are requested to be present at the dedicated poster session on Tuesday after the KfWf oral paper.
- We expect there to be an opportunity for presenters to make their posters and abstracts available on the conference webpage or <u>KfWf website</u> after the event.

## STOP PRESS:

- We still have space for a few more posters.
- We also have one remaining **bursary** of up to £150 for a poster presenter.

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