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Abstracts

Abstracts are invited on the main topic areas of the conference, for consideration by the Scientific-Technical committee. They must be in English and include:

- Main topic area
- Full title of the paper
- For the author for correspondence: full name, affiliation, full address, phone / fax / e-mail
- For additional authors: full name and affiliation
- Preference for presentation (oral or poster)
- Purpose of the work
- Methods, Innovations, Results (as appropriate)
- Main conclusions

Abstracts should be produced according to the template available on-line (www.eurosun2006.org), and in any case no longer than one side of A4, using a font no smaller than 11 point (for ease of reproduction and printing). One monochromatic graphic per abstract may be included within the single-page limit (but avoid graphics with dark backgrounds, as these do not reproduce well). Abstracts should be submitted on-line, according to the instructions given on the web page.

Abstracts will be evaluated on the basis of the clarity of the objectives, the method used and the significance of the results. The author designated for correspondence will be notified of the paper's acceptance or rejection by 1st February 2006.

Submission of an abstract for review is considered as an agreement that the work will not be published or presented elsewhere prior to the conference.

Presentation of papers and publication

In submitting an abstract, authors agree to the decision of the Scientific-Technical Committee on the mode of presentation – either oral or by poster. Authors will be notified at the time of acceptance of the abstract.

Full papers must be submitted for all presentations (oral and posters) by 1st May 2006. This should be done electronically, according to the instructions and templates available on the web site. Abstracts will be published in hard copy, and full papers will be published in CD-ROM form. These will be available for delegates at the conference. Hard copies of the full papers will be available, at an additional cost, after the conference.

Oral presentations will be in the order of 15 minutes plus 5 minutes for discussion. Some topics may be presented in round-table discussions.

Poster sessions will start with a brief oral presentation, of about 3 minutes for each poster.

Submission of a paper is considered as an agreement that the copyright of both the abstract and the paper will be transferred to the publisher.

Notable dates:

- Deadline for submission of abstracts: 1 November 2005
- Notification of acceptance: 1 February 2006
- Early Bird registration deadline: 1 April 2006
- Submission of full papers: 1 May 2006

Conference Location:

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Invitation to EuroSun 2006

We warmly invite you to Glasgow, Scotland, to participate in EuroSun 2006, the premier European solar energy conference. This will be the sixth EuroSun conference, held every two years since its launch in 1996. Leading scientists, engineers, architects, and representatives from industry and business will be present to discuss the latest research results, technological developments and business opportunities in solar and other renewable energy forms. In addition, the conference will include:

- Seminars and workshops on special topics
- Technical tours to projects demonstrating the use of solar energy in northern latitudes and other renewable energy technologies
- A trade exhibition of commercially-available technologies and expertise in solar and other renewable energy.

We do hope that you will join us at the EuroSun 2006 in Glasgow, to share your own experiences and insights into the field with the other participants, to learn about new developments, and to benefit from the wealth of innovative and state-of-the-art technologies that will be on display.

Of course, there will also be social events, where you will be able to catch up with old friends, make new ones, and sample the traditional warm Scottish hospitality.

We look forward to seeing you in Glasgow!

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Scotland – the country

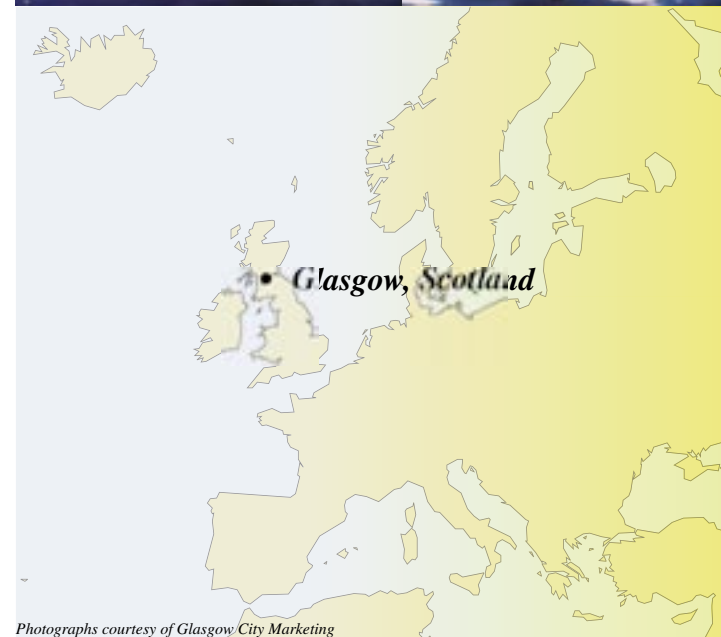
Scotland has a great scientific and technological pedigree – James Watt and Lord Kelvin are but two names that come to mind. In modern-day terms, there is a target of 40% of electricity generation from renewables by 2020. Whilst there is a great potential for wind, hydro, marine and other forms of energy generation, there is also a thriving solar community, and good examples of solar technologies can be seen in Scotland. Culturally, Scotland has a proud history. This includes warriors such as William 'Braveheart' Wallace, the poet Robert Burns, and the designer Charles Rennie Mackintosh. We hope that you will have the opportunity to visit the legendary Scottish Highlands (perhaps catch a glimpse of the Loch Ness monster), sample a dram or two of whisky, hear the skirl of the bagpipes, and maybe even play a round of golf!



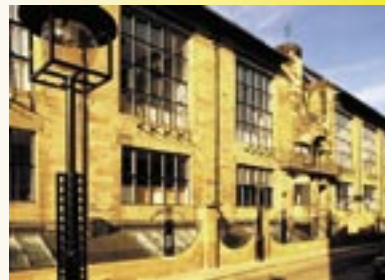
Glasgow – the city

Glasgow is Scotland's largest city, whose present-day character is founded on heavy industries such as shipbuilding. Since the demise of many of these industries, Glasgow has regenerated itself, and it remains a thriving and prosperous city, with a population of some 2 million people.

Glasgow was voted Cultural Capital of Europe in 1990 and UK City of Architecture and Design 1999. It boasts many cultural attractions (such as the Burrell Collection of art), and the Scottish Highlands are readily accessible (Loch Lomond is only half an hour away by car, bus or train). Edinburgh is also less than one hour away. Travel to Glasgow is easy. It is served by three international airports, with frequent flights to London and other parts of the UK, as well as direct and indirect flights to Europe (and beyond). There are two mainline railway stations, long-distance coach services, direct access to the UK motorway network, and ready access to ferries, both to continental Europe and to Ireland.



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Glasgow Caledonian University – the venue

Glasgow Caledonian University (GCU) is the newest of Glasgow's universities, gaining its Royal Charter in 1992. There has been extensive construction of new buildings in the past 10 years, and all the older buildings have undergone major refurbishment in the past decade. It is a modern University campus with modern facilities, in the centre of Glasgow:

- Within 10 minutes' walk from both mainline railway stations
- Next to Buchanan Bus Station, for long-distance coach services
- 300m from the nearest motorway access point
- 5 minutes' walk from main city centre shopping areas, including restaurants and cafes

Delegates can be accommodated in the modern student residences, next to the campus, or for those who prefer it, there is a plentiful selection of hotels within a few minutes' walk.

EuroSun 2006 programme

The conference will run for three full days, 27 – 29 June 2006. It will include: Plenary lectures by invited speakers

Parallel sessions with oral and poster presentations on specific areas of research, development and other expertise
Additional workshops and seminars on special topics on the days before and after the conference itself

Technical tours to projects demonstrating solar and other renewable technologies

Civic reception, conference dinner and other social events, including an accompanying persons' programme

International trade exhibition

Main topics

The main topic areas of the conference will be:

Solar Thermal Energy (low and medium temperature applications)

Solar Thermal Power Plants

Solar Cooling

Daylighting

Architecture and Design

Energy Efficient Buildings

Heat Pumps and other Technical Building Components

Hydrogen Systems

Materials for Solar Energy Conversion

PV Systems and PV Cells

Energy Meteorology

Market and Dissemination Strategies

Energy Policies

Education for the Future

Wind, Hydro and Marine Technologies

Biomass Technologies

The conference language will be English.



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