

2006 CSPG CSEG CWLS Joint Convention – Updates

SPECIAL EVENTS – Overview

We are excited to have Jay Ingram from the Discovery Channel's award winning Daily Planet as our Keynote Luncheon speaker on Monday.

As in past years, the Ice Breaker will be on Monday evening. It will be held on the Exhibition Floor and we are looking forward to a great networking opportunity between Delegates and Exhibitors.

On Tuesday there will be a Mini Ice Breaker on the exhibition floor which will conclude the exhibition part of the 2006 Convention.

The always anticipated Core Meltdown party will wrap up the convention on Thursday afternoon at the AUEB Core Research Centre – we hope to see you all there to enjoy some food and beverages with your colleagues.

We are looking forward to a successful 2006 Joint convention to find out

What's next? Where is our industry heading?



Jay Ingram – Co-host of Discovery Channel's Daily Planet

Science broadcaster and writer Jay Ingram is co-host of Discovery Channel's science show, Daily Planet, carrying on the tradition of the award-winning @discovery.ca – television's first daily hour-long prime-time science and nature news magazine. Jay joined Discovery in 1994 and was instrumental in helping shape the program format.

From 1979 to 1992, Ingram hosted CBC Radio's Quirks and Quarks and earned two ACTRA Awards, including one for Best Host. In 1992 and 1993, Ingram hosted two CBC Radio series: Cranial Pursuits, a series "by, for and about the brain", and 'The Talk Show', a language series that won a Science in Society Journalism Award.

Jay also contributed to the CBC television show The Health Show and CBC Newsworld's Canada Live.

For 10 years, Jay wrote articles for popular children's publication Owl Magazine. He has been writing a weekly science column for the Toronto Star since 1993.

In 1984, Jay was awarded the Sandford Fleming Medal from the Royal Canadian Institute for his efforts to popularize science, and he also earned the Royal Society of Canada's McNeil Medal for the Public Awareness of Science in 1997. In 2000, Jay was awarded a Michael Smith Award for Science Promotion by the Natural Science and Engineering Research Council of Canada. He is a Distinguished Alumnus of the University of Alberta, and has received four honorary doctorates.

Jay has written nine books, three of which have won Canadian Science Writers' Awards.

Registration Opens Monday March 27, 2006 Registration fees for this year's convention are as follows:

Please note prices do not include GST

	Early Bird Registration Deadline: April 19, 2006	Regular Registration Deadline: May 5, 2006	On-Site Registration May 15 – 18, 2006
Member (CSPG/CSEG/CWLS)	\$285	\$385	\$485
Non-Member	\$385	\$485	\$585
Retired Members (CSPG/CHOA/CWLS)	\$150	\$150	\$150
Student	\$75	\$75	\$75
Day Pass – Exhibition Hall Only			\$50/day
Luncheon Tickets			\$50 each
Additional Icebreaker Tickets			\$30 each

Registrations may be mailed, faxed or dropped off at the Convention Department c/o CSPG office.

Registrations received after 4:00pm Friday, May 5, 2006 will be held and processed on site.

On-site registration fees will be applied.

Avoid long lines Monday morning...REGISTER EARLY!

On-line registrations will be processed with credit card payments only (VISA & MC).

To pay by check or money order (make payable to 2006 CSPG CSEG CWLS Joint Convention), please send registration form(s), with payment, to:

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