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GL¹⁰ Program Committee meets on May 16, 2008

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On 16 May 2008, the Program Committee will meet in Nancy, France to evaluate the abstracts submitted during the Call-for-Papers and to finalize the GL10 Conference Program and Schedule. The Chairperson is Dr. Joachim Schöpfel from INIST-CNRS. Participants who seek to present a paper at GL10 are invited to submit an abstract in English between 300-400 words. The abstract should deal with the problem/goal, the research method/procedure, an indication of costs related to the project, as well as the anticipated results/conclusions of the research. The due date for receipt of abstracts is May 1st, 2008. For further details see,

<http://www.textrelease.com/callforpapers.html>



Brian Hitson, Associate Director DOE/OSTI to Keynote GL¹⁰

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The U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Scientific and Technical Information has held representation on five of the ten GL Program Committees. This year, DOE/OSTI will have an even more marked presence in the person of Brian Hitson, Associate Director DOE/OSTI. Mr. Hitson has agreed to provide the Keynote Address during the GL10 Opening Session. Among other duties, Mr. Hitson is responsible for international information exchange programs, administrative and financial management, cost-reimbursable activities, limited access information programs, and the digitization and preservation of a 1.2 million scientific document repository. As part of his international responsibilities, Mr. Hitson coordinated the development of the global science gateway, WorldWideScience.org and the establishment of its multilateral governance structure, the WorldWideScience Alliance. <http://www.textrelease.com/textreleasehome.html>



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For the sixth year running, the Institute for Scientific and Technical Information (INIST) a subsidiary of CNRS, the National Centre for Scientific Research in France sponsors the GL Conference Series. INIST houses a huge library with extensive collections available to the public through document delivery services. Indexing services are also provided for (grey) literature in Science, Technology, Medicine, Humanities, and the Social Sciences. INIST has recently pioneered the OpenSIGLE Project and in so doing rescues a quarter of a century European Grey Literature. <http://opensigle.inist.fr/>



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