



## EmCon 2014

### 4th International Conference on Occurrence, Fate, Effects, and Analysis of Emerging Contaminants in the Environment 19-22 August 2014, Iowa City, Iowa

Dear Colleague:

On behalf of the organizing committee we cordially invite you to present and attend **EmCon2014** being held at the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa USA.



This meeting will bring scientists from across the globe together to discuss their latest research findings on the fast changing topic of emerging contaminants. A plenary session format will be used for the entire program (e.g. no concurrent sessions) in order to provide all speakers an undivided audience and the attendees the opportunity to see every presentation. World-class speakers are already in place for the opening reception to start off this exciting program. To maximize networking opportunities, multiple social events have been organized including the opening reception, poster session, and banquet at historic locals (see example picture) providing a unique atmosphere for this conference. Highly interactive poster sessions continue EmCon's tradition of engaged discussions. Detailed information can be found at [www.emcon2014.com](http://www.emcon2014.com).



#### Important Deadlines

Abstracts submission: March 14, 2014 ([www.emcon2014.com](http://www.emcon2014.com))  
Abstract acceptance: May 1, 2014  
Advanced registration: to May 15, 2014 (fees increase \$100 after May 15)

#### Topical themes for EmCon2014 include:

- Sources and exposure pathways
- Treatment processes and technologies
- Waste, wastewater recycling and reuse
- Sampling, analytical and characterization methods
- Fate and transport in aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems
- Aquatic and terrestrial effects
- Risk assessment, risk management, regulations and policy frameworks



We invite you to submit an abstract and/or attend EmCon 2014 and look forward to your valuable contributions.

See you in Iowa City!

Sincerely,

*The EmCon2014 Scientific and Planning Committee:*

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