

Young Generation & Professional Forum for UKC 2009

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Title of Symposium

Young Generation & Professional Forum (YG&PF)

Objective

The primary objective of the Young Generation and Professional Forum (YG&PF) at US-Korea Conference (UKC) 2009 is to attract Korean-American undergraduate and graduate students in science and technology and young professionals in the region to showcase their research, to offer invaluable networking opportunities with prominent leaders attending UKC 2009, and to provide workshops especially designed for career development to outperform in early years on the job.

Scope

This year's forum focuses on the central role that sustainability plays in the development of society, and how the needs of society impact the direction of sustainability research. The forum will feature speakers and workshops that engage the participants to explore how sustainability builds a better environment and world.

Forum Events and Activities

- Technical Poster Presentations*
- Panel Speaker Sessions**
- Guest Speaker Presentations
- Workshop**
- Networking Activities

* Awards and prizes will be given to outstanding poster presentations and essays.

** Career development workshop and panel discussion will be open to registered YG, YP and KWiSE members

Registration and Submission

- Register for KSEA membership* at <http://www.ksea.org>
 - * Membership fee: Free (undergraduates), \$15 (graduates), and \$35 (professionals and regular members)
- Submit an essay (~1,000 words) about your aspiration in life or current career goals or a poster presentation at UKC 2009 on a technical topic of your choice
- Submit abstracts at <http://ukc.ksea.org> > paper submission > online abstract submission > symposium / forum > [YGF] Young Generation & Professional Forum
- Session title and topics cover any area
- Abstract submission deadline is extended to April 8, 2009

Financial Support

YG&PF participants will attend primarily from the region within a driving distance. Travel reimbursement is intended to cover expenses up to 200 miles. Lodging and meals are provided for all active participants. Special consideration will be given to a limited number of applicants from Midwest, Southwest and East coast regions. All scholarship recipients attending UKC2009 are expected to participate.

Organizing Committee

Tom Oh (Committee Chair), Ben Lee (Advisor), Brian Choi, Chulwoo Oh, Daniel Won, Minyoung Suh, Sangwon Chung, Tae-hyung Kim, Yoonji Lee

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Guidelines for Poster Presentation and Essay

	Poster Presentation	Essay
Topic	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Original research from academia or industry in the fields of science or engineering 2. New innovations or emerging technologies from your industry or field 3. Course or research projects 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A personal statement about your aspiration in life or current career goals and how KSEA can help you achieve those goals 2. Your experience at a KSEA Young Generation (YG) conference (i.e. YG&PF, YGTLC, YGF, Regional Forums) 3. Unique topic of interest to the young generation and professionals will also be considered
Submission	<p>Abstract by the extended YG&PF due date of April 8, 2009.</p> <p>Presenters are required to print and bring their own posters to the conference.</p>	<p>Abstract by the extended YG&PF due date of April 8, 2009.</p> <p>Full essay by the full paper YG&PF due date of May 15, 2009.</p>
Format	<p>Please see Instruction for Poster Format document under the Paper Submission section for poster format</p> <p>THE LINK SAYS NOTHING!!</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Around 1,000 words. 2. Photos and graphics highly encouraged 3. Submitted in Microsoft Word format
Selection	<p>Awards and prizes will be given to outstanding poster presentations.</p>	<p>Awards and prizes will be given to outstanding essays.</p> <p>Selected essays will be published in the YG&PF program booklet and/or KSEA newsletter.</p>
Example		<p>Please see the selected essay on Page 12 of the KSEA Newsletters vol.37 as one example</p>