

Aquatic Plant Management Society

Announces Annual Student Paper Contests for Upcoming July 2007 Meeting in Nashville, Tennessee

The Aquatic Plant Management Society is soliciting student papers for their upcoming 47th Annual Meeting to be held July 15 - 18, 2007, at the Gaylord Opryland Resort & Convention Center in Nashville, Tennessee. Oral and Poster Presentations of original research on the biology or ecology of aquatic and wetland plants, control methods (biological, chemical, cultural, mechanical) for invasive exotic or nuisance native plant species, and restoration projects involving wetland or aquatic plants are solicited.

The Society encourages students that have conducted original research to present their findings and gain a valuable perspective on aquatic plant problems and various management applications throughout the U.S. The meeting locale in Nashville provides an excellent opportunity for students from much of the eastern U.S. to attend and present research on aquatic plant management in several diverse settings.

The APMS has a strong ethic of student support and all qualified attendees will be provided room accommodations (based on double occupancy) and waiver of registration fees. In addition, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prize money will be awarded in separate contests for *both* oral and poster presentations. This meeting presents an opportunity for students to develop their presentation skills, learn about the field of aquatic plant management, and meet with key Government, University, Industry representatives and peers with similar educational and professional interests.

Please log on to www.apms.org to learn more about the Aquatic Plant Management Society and this year's meeting. Students may register for the contest by submitting an abstract as per web site instructions. For more information about the contest, please contact:

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