Biochar Summit 2027 – Guidelines for Industry Talks

Submission guidelines

General information

- Please submit your talk before the submission deadline: **18 January 2027**
- Submission results will be released in early March 2027.
- The review process separates scientific abstracts and industry talk submissions into two respective tracks. Each submission track has corresponding criteria and will be reviewed by separate review committees. Please ensure to submit to the correct track under the correct guidelines.
- All submissions will be reviewed based on their quality, novelty, relevance and impact of the topic. Moreover, alignment with conference themes will be a criterion for successful presentation slots.

Submitting your Industry Talk

- Talk submissions must be submitted through the Biochar Summit online submission tool.
- You will be acknowledged of the receipt of the submission via email within three working days.
- If a revision is required, you will be notified.
- If your submission is accepted for presentation or poster, you will be notified via email and invited to register for the Biochar Summit 2027. Please keep an eye on your inbox and junk mail folders for updates.
- Registration is mandatory for all stage presenters and poster presenters.

To facilitate the submission and review process, please consider the following guidelines:

General guidelines

- The talk submission must be submitted through the Biochar Summit online submission tool.
- The talk submission must be submitted by the company giving the talk.
- The presenter must be identified in the submission process.
- The talk submission should be written in English.
- The talk submission should represent the original work of the presenter and/or their company.
- Please indicate one or two of the most relevant themes for your talk from the conference session topics.
- Submissions that do not follow the guidelines will be asked to revise.
- Submissions received after the given deadline, due to any reason, will not be accepted unless the deadline is extended.
- Submissions may not be edited/updated after final submission.

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Basic format for Talk Submission

Please download the industry talk submission template and follow the format carefully:

- An industry talk submission is a summary of your proposed talk:
  - Objectives
  - Context/Challenge
  - Insights & Experience
  - Relevance for the Industry
- The talk must be rooted in a topic relevant to the biochar industry. It should not be a corporate pitch.
- Talk submissions must be based on on-going or completed activities, not ideas or planned work.
- Talk title: limited to 20 words
- The talk submission should be one paragraph with a word limit of 200-400.
- The use of keywords is encouraged (no more than 6 keywords).
- Talk titles should be short but descriptive. Informative titles indicating key points are encouraged. Abbreviations should not be used in the title.
- The talk should be submitted as Word (PDF document.

Font

- Title: Times New Roman, 12 points, Upper case, Centered text in bold
- Body: Times New Roman, 11 points; Line spacing: 1.5, one column of text

Links & Images

- A maximum of 3 images/figures/charts can be included per submission.
- Include the images in the same document (MS word or pdf) following the description of keywords and themes.
- Include a 1–2-line caption under each image, describing the content.
- 1 Reference link may be added to provide further detail and context.

Submission Categories

Agriculture

- Biochar applications in soil (climate change resilience, habitat development, effects on system robustness, yields, negative priming effect, etc.)
- Biochar and its role in livestock health (e.g. regarding altered digestion, emissions, toxins, animal health)
- Composting
- Emissions reduction in agricultural systems

Construction & Material Applications

- Building materials
- Polymers
- Consumer goods
- Novel applications

Environmental Remediation
- Filtration & process solutions
- Soil remediation from contaminants (ie: PFAS & PAHs)

Market Perspectives
- Market trends & insights
- Biochar in the carbon market
- Supply & demand dynamics

Project Development, Financing & Scaling
- Financial tools
- Growth drivers & barriers
- Success stories & models

Production, Characterization & Technologies
- Biochar production via pyrolysis or other processes
- Feedstock & Biomass efficiency
- Heat & Electricity production
- Pyrolysis systems in symbiosis with other systems
- Electrotechnical & syngas management
- Product characterization
- By-products

Safety, Logistics & Regulations
- Shipping, transport and other logistics
- Guidelines & Regulatory barriers
- Novel solutions to safety hazards

Steel & Metallurgical Applications
- Process & biochar integration
- Industrial scaling
- Carbon-offsetting

Urban Integration
- Circularity in urban systems
- Sewage sludge, filtration and other treatment solutions
- Urban design with biochar-based materials

Other