



SPONSOR/EXHIBITOR AGREEMENT

ISSF 2012

10th International Symposium on Supercritical Fluids

May 13 – 15, 2012
San Francisco, CA, USA

www.ISSF2012.com

SPONSORING ORGANIZATION _____

Contact Person _____

Address _____

City _____ USA State _____ Postal/Zip _____ Country _____

Telephone (_____) _____ FAX (_____) _____

E-mail _____ Web site _____

SPONSORSHIP

- \$10,000.00 GOLD
- \$ 5,000.00 SILVER
- \$ 3,000.00 BRONZE

REQUEST FOR TABLE-TOP EXHIBIT SPACE

- YES
- NO

If exhibiting please locate us DISTANT FROM: _____

PAYMENT

Full payment MUST accompany this Agreement

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: ISSF 2012

Payment must be made in U.S. dollars; and company check must be drawn on a U.S. bank (Critical Fluid Symposia EIN # 27-1603060)

RETURN PAYMENT & FORM TO:

Ms. Janet Cunningham, ISSF 2012 Exhibit Manager
c/o BARR Enterprises
P.O. Box 279
Walkersville, MD 21793, USA
(phone 301-668-6001 / janetbarr@aol.com)
Special deliveries at: 1705 Algonquin Road, Frederick, MD, USA

EXHIBITOR AGREEMENT: By signing this Agreement, the exhibitor agrees to abide by all terms and conditions and regulations set forth on BOTH SIDES of this Agreement.

Authorized Signature _____

Name (printed) _____

Title _____

EXHIBITOR IDENTIFICATION SIGN TO READ

Organization _____

City & State _____

PROOF OF INSURANCE CERTIFICATE (due APR. 2)

By April 2, please supply a Certificate of Insurance certifying your organization has a minimum general/contractual liability insurance coverage of \$1,000,000 personal injury (PI) and \$1,000,000 property damage (PD). Certificate must include ISSF2012, Barr Enterprises, Hotel Owner and Hyatt Corporation as additional insured. See other side of form for details.

COMPANY DESCRIPTION (due by APRIL 2)

- EMAIL to janetbarr@aol.com by April 2 if you want it included in the Final Program (70 words or less).
- Include the name of company, address, phone, and website that you want printed in the Final Program.

For ISSF 2012 Use Only	Date Rec'd: _____
Amount Rec'd: _____	Check #: _____

RULES AND REGULATIONS

LOCATION — The Exhibit, Poster Sessions and Symposium will take place in the Hyatt Regency San Francisco located at Five Embarcadero Center in San Francisco, CA, USA. Critical Fluid Symposia (otherwise referred to as ISSF2012) reserves the right to assign space and make such modifications as may be necessary to adjust the floor plan to meet the needs of ISSF2012. Space will be assigned based on level of sponsorship and date of definite commitment.

EXHIBIT HOURS, REGISTRATION, AND HOUSING — Each unit includes one complimentary symposium registration. Exhibitor hours, registration, and housing information will be posted at www.ISSF2012.com. Exhibitors must check in at the Symposium Registration Desk prior to set-up on Sunday, May 13, 2012, to receive badges. As a courtesy to conference participants and fellow exhibitors, exhibits must be staffed throughout each show day during show hours until the official closing time of the exhibit on May 15, 2012.

CONTRACTORS — ISSF2012 will designate various official contractors for such services as installation and dismantling, drayage, decorations and photography. Exhibitor is free to contract with non-official contractors; however, no non-official contractor will be permitted access to the exhibit area or the space until such non-official contractor has delivered to ISSF2012 a certificate of insurance naming Critical Fluid Symposia, Barr Enterprises, Hyatt Hotel Owner and Hyatt Corporation as Additional Insured and evidencing that such non-official contractor has in place a comprehensive general liability insurance policy covering claims of bodily injury, death and property damage arising out of the non-official contractor's operations at the exhibit location or in the space and having a combined single limit of at least \$1,000,000.00. No solicitation of business by any non-official contractor will be permitted in the exhibit area.

CANCELLATION — All cancellations must be forwarded in writing to the Exhibit Manager. ISSF2012 will refund 50% of the monies paid for exhibit space if ISSF2012 receives written cancellation by February 1, 2012; no refunds will be made after February 1, 2012. Failure to occupy exhibit space does not release the exhibitor from obligation to pay for the full cost of rental. If exhibit space is not occupied by one hour prior to show opening on Sunday, May 13, 2012, ISSF2012 reserves the right to use the space as it sees fit to eliminate empty spaces in the exhibit area. ISSF2012, Conference Organizers, and Barr Enterprises shall not be liable in any way for any loss, damage or injury resulting from the cancellation of the event or from temporary or permanent closing for any reason of all or any portion of the Hyatt Regency San Francisco located at Five Embarcadero Center in San Francisco, CA. ISSF2012 reserves the right to change the location of the event to other localities or premises. In such event, reasonable prior written notice will be given to exhibitor. If reasonable prior written notice is given to exhibitor, exhibitor waives its right to all damages, expenses, losses or claims of any nature arising out of such change of location.

USE OF EXHIBIT SPACE — Exhibitors must confine all demonstrations or promotional activities to the limits of the table-top exhibit space. Sufficient space must be provided within the space to contain persons watching demonstrations and other activities. Exhibitors are responsible for keeping the aisle(s) near their exhibit space free of congestion due to demonstrations or other promotions. No exhibitor shall assign, sublet, or share space without the knowledge and consent of the ISSF2012 Symposium Manager. Organizations or firms not assigned exhibit space will not be permitted to solicit business within the exhibit area. Exhibitors are urged to report any violation of this rule to the ISSF2012 Symposium Manager. In all exhibit areas, built-up exhibits or other construction, including the company name or other advertising, shall not exceed a height of 8 feet at the back of the exhibit. The height along the side may not exceed 4 feet for the front half of the display in from the aisle. Interference with the light and space of other exhibitors is prohibited. If the reverse side of an exhibitor's back wall, or side wall, or display will be visible, it must be finished at the exhibitor's expense. ISSF2012 reserves the right to have the finishing done and billed to the exhibitor. All sound equipment and other noises must be kept at a level low enough that it will not disturb other exhibitors. Public address systems, radio broadcasts, or any other devices used only to attract attention by sound are prohibited. ISSF2012 reserves the right to turn off the electricity for any exhibitor who violates this rule. ISSF2012 reserves the right to restrict or evict exhibits that become objectionable because of noise, method of operation, materials, or any other reason, including the opinion of ISSF2012 that the objectionable exhibit detracts from the ISSF2012 exhibit as a whole. This reservation includes persons, things, conduct, printed matter, or anything of a character that ISSF2012 determines is objectionable. In the event of any restriction or eviction, ISSF2012 is not liable for any refunds or other expenses.

COPYRIGHT FEES — Any and all copyright fees applicable to activities or events conducted by an individual exhibitor or group of exhibitors will be the full responsibility of said exhibitor(s).

SECURITY — ISSF2012 does not warrant or guarantee the presence of guards at any particular time or place in or near the exhibit area. ISSF2012 shall have no duty or obligation to safeguard or insure Exhibitor's property or personnel and by its execution of the Agreement. Exhibitor understands and agrees that Exhibitor is solely responsible for protecting and securing its property and personnel. Each

exhibitor must make provision for safeguarding their own goods, materials, equipment and display at all times and is responsible for obtaining insurance in such amounts as deemed appropriate to comply with their own protection. All property of exhibitors is understood to remain in their care, custody, and control in transit to or from or within the confines of the Hyatt Regency San Francisco located at Five Embarcadero Center in San Francisco, CA. Exhibitor must obtain a blanket rider (portal-to-portal or other "extraterritorial" insurance) to protect its property, personnel and visitors both during the Event and in transit to and from the Event against loss of any kind including, but not limited to, fire, damage or theft. Neither Critical Fluid Symposia, ISSF2012 Conference Organizers, Barr Enterprises, Hyatt Hotel Owner nor Hyatt Corporation's liability insurance covers Exhibitor's property, personnel or visitors against loss, damage or injury; and Critical Fluid Symposia, ISSF2012 Conference Organizers, Barr Enterprises, Hyatt Hotel Owner and Hyatt Corporation is not liable or responsible for any such loss or damage. Small equipment or supplies should be safeguarded against theft before, during and after the Event. Exhibitors are responsible for their own material. If constant surveillance of exhibit equipment or supplies is necessary, Exhibitors must make their own arrangements for security.

CARE OF BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT — Exhibitors, or their agents, must not injure or deface the walls or floors of the building, the exhibit space, or the equipment of the exhibits and surrender the space occupied during the exhibition (ordinary wear and tear excepted) in the same condition as it was at the time of the exhibitor's use and occupation. If such damage appears, the exhibitor is liable to the owner of the property so damaged. All materials used in decoration must be flameproof. Electrical wiring must conform to the National Electrical Code Safety Rules. Combustible materials or explosives are not permitted in the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel.

INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS — Exhibitor covenants and agrees that it will protect, save and keep Critical Fluid Symposia, ISSF2012 Conference Organizers, Barr Enterprises, Hyatt Hotel Owner and Hyatt Corporation forever harmless and indemnified against and from (i) any penalty, damage or charges including reasonable attorney's fees imposed for violation of any law or ordinance occasioned by the act or neglect of Exhibitor or those holding under Exhibitor, (ii) all claims, loss, liability, judgment, cost, damage or expense including all reasonable attorney's fees arising out of or from any accident or other occurrence causing injury or death to any person or damage to any property on or about the exhibit area occasioned by any act, omission or negligence of Exhibitor, its employees, representatives, agents and those persons attending the Event at the specific request or invitation of Exhibitor, and (iii) all claims, losses, liability, judgment, cost, damage or expense including reasonable attorney's fees, arising out of or occasioned by any failure of Exhibitor in any respect to comply with and perform all the requirements and provision of this Agreement.

EXHIBITOR'S OWN RISK — Exhibitor understands and agrees that ISSF2012 has only a license to use the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel and that ISSF2012 is not in any way responsible for the condition or maintenance of the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel. Exhibitor understands and agrees that all of exhibitor's personal property of every kind or description which may at any time be in the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel shall be at the exhibitor's sole risk. Critical Fluid Symposia, ISSF2012 Conference Organizers, Barr Enterprises, Hyatt Hotel Owner and Hyatt Corporation shall not be liable for any damages to said property or loss suffered by any cause whatsoever including but not limited to water from any source whatsoever or from the bursting, overflowing or leaking of sewers, steam pipes or from heating or plumbing fixtures or from electrical wires or from gas or odors or caused in any manner whatsoever. Exhibitor agrees to place and maintain at exhibitor's own expense adequate insurance to cover all personal property placed by exhibitor in the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel. Exhibitor covenants and agrees to indemnify and hold Critical Fluid Symposia, ISSF2012 Conference Organizers, Barr Enterprises, Hyatt Hotel Owner and Hyatt Corporation harmless from any injury to or death of Exhibitor, Exhibitor's agents, employees or those persons attending the Event at the specific request or invitation of exhibitor resulting from or arising out of exhibitor's use of the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel except that attributable to the negligence or willful misconduct of ISSF2012.

INSURANCE — Insurance and liability are the full and sole responsibility of the exhibitor. Minimum general/contractual liability insurance coverage required is \$1,000,000 personal injury (PI) and \$1,000,000 property damage (PD). Exhibitor shall supply a Certificate of Insurance certifying the coverage mandated above, and naming as Additional Insured: Critical Fluid Symposia, Barr Enterprises, Hyatt Hotel Owner and Hyatt Corporation. Exhibitor shall require a similar Proof of Insurance certificate from its exhibit-related contractors, certifying the liability coverage mandated above. In addition, exhibitor agrees to hold the indemnities harmless from all loss, costs, claims, causes of action, obligations, suits, damages, liability, expenses and costs, including reasonable attorney's fees, arising from or out of any violation or infringement by exhibitor, exhibitor's agents or employees of any patent, copyright or trade secret rights or privileges. If Exhibitor cannot obtain this insurance, Exhibitor must sign and return a "WAIVER AND RELEASE." Exhibitor will not be permitted to enter the exhibit area or use the space unless the certificate or waiver is delivered to ISSF2012. Certificate holder and address: ISSF2012, Barr Enterprises, PO Box 279, Walkersville, MD 21793, USA.

ISSF 2012 – The Versatility of Supercritical Fluid Technology

ISSF 2012 is held once every three years and brings together a group of top researchers, practitioners and industrialists from around the world to contribute cutting-edge presentations on emerging applications and processes important to discovery, development, and economic production in all areas of critical fluids. ***The meeting has major support from the critical fluids scientific community; however, there is no association providing funding for the meeting. Therefore, it is critical to raise funding through sponsorships to help support the program.*** As a leader in the supercritical fluids arena, we would appreciate your contribution to the program by becoming a valued sponsor. **Contributions to ISSF 2012 are tax-deductible.** We appreciate your thoughtful consideration to the request and look forward to hearing from you with your suggestions to customize a sponsorship that will give you the visibility you desire. Details about the meeting are posted at www.ISSF2012.com. Please direct inquiries to janetbarr@aol.com.

GOLD SPONSOR – \$10,000 ☒ Sponsoring organization: _____

Select one option – Additional options may be purchased

- Support to attract leading international researchers and sponsor graduate students and faculty
- Souvenir Bags provided/shipped by the sponsor to the meeting
- Name badges & lanyards provided/shipped by the sponsor to the meeting (*already sponsored*)
- Executive Portfolios provided/shipped by the sponsor to the meeting
- Sponsor of Best Poster Competition
- Color Ad on the outside back cover of the Scientific Program (online and print)
- Color Ad on the inside front cover of the Scientific Program (online and print)
- Color Ad on the inside back cover of the Scientific Program (online and print)
- Your company logo printed on all Symposium Signage set up throughout the meeting
- Sunday Welcome Reception
- All Coffee Breaks (already sponsored)*
- Conference dinner on Tuesday (already sponsored)*

And the following are included as complimentary with the sponsorship:

- One complimentary table-top exhibit space
- Two complimentary full meeting registrations
- Two complimentary tickets to the conference dinner
- One page product literature/small souvenir insert in the souvenir bags
- Complimentary black and white ad inside the online scientific program
- Your company logo and link posted on the ISSF2012 website
- Sponsorship of one program session

SILVER SPONSOR – \$5,000 ☒ Sponsoring organization: _____

Select one option – Additional options may be purchased

- Support to attract leading international researchers and sponsor graduate students and faculty
- Souvenir Bags provided/shipped by the sponsor to the meeting
- Name badges & lanyards provided/shipped by the sponsor to the meeting (*sponsored by Waters*)
- Executive Portfolios provided/shipped by the sponsor to the meeting
- Pens and paper provided/shipped by the sponsor to the meeting
- Color Ad on the inside front cover of the Scientific Program (online and print)
- Color Ad on the inside back cover of the Scientific Program (online and print)
- Your company logo printed on all Symposium Signage set up throughout the meeting
- Sunday Welcome Reception
- All Coffee Breaks (sponsored by JASCO)*
- Conference dinner on Tuesday (sponsored by Supercritical Fluid Technologies)*

And the following are included as complimentary with the sponsorship:

- One complimentary table-top exhibit space
- One complimentary full meeting registration
- One complimentary ticket to the conference dinner
- Complimentary black and white ad inside the online scientific program
- Your company logo and link posted on the ISSF2012 website

BRONZE SPONSOR – \$3,000 ☒ Sponsoring organization: _____

- One table-top exhibit space
- One complimentary full meeting registration
- Your company logo and link posted on the ISSF2012 website