

Dear Sir or Madam,

As you might know the 3rd Calgary Symposium on Sport Surfaces will take place from 20-22 August 2003. This venue is probably the most important one in the industry and does take place every 10 years only!!

eximlink will participate and is offering the following service to everybody who is interested in the venue but either has no time to participate or for whom the costs for a participation are too high.

**Our service:**

- Full set of exhibition papers.
- Customized summary of papers and presentations, according to your specific requirements.
- All information will be sent to you on CD-Rom within two weeks from the venue.
- A personal presentation at your office can be arranged but is not included in the price below.

**Selected Program Topics:**

- (1) Biomechanical aspects of Sport Surfaces with specific discussion of
  - General concepts for load and performance during sport activities
  - Indoor Court Surfaces (wood/synthetic)
  - Outdoor Surfaces (e.g. Traditional Turf and **in-filled Turf**)
  - Track and Field, Football, Soccer, etc.
- (2) Injuries due to Sport Surfaces
- (3) Sport Surface Design, Architecture and Planning
- (4) Standards for Sport Surfaces
- (5) Surface Criteria for Children and Adults

More information on the important event:

<http://www.sss-2003-calgary.com/>

Total cost of our service: EUR 550.00 / GBP 390.00 (excl. VAT, if applicable)

For comparison, the total cost for attending the venue are minimum EUR 2,100 (GBP 1,460), including flight, accomodation, conference registration and expenses.

Looking forward to discuss your personal requirements anytime!

With kind regards,



Mag. Robert Weibold  
Managing Director

# PROGRAM

## Tentative Schedule

(prepared: June 16, 2003)

### Wednesday, August 20th

#### Free communication

Morning and Afternoon

#### Opening Function

1730	Nigg, Benno	Symposium Opening
1800	Petiot, Bernard	The Cirque du Soleil stage surface story
	Verkhovsky, Boris	
1830		Welcome Reception

### Thursday, August 21st

#### General Biomechanics

0845	Nigg, Benno	Impact forces, soft tissue vibrations and muscle tuning
0945		Coffee Break in exhibition area
1030	Stefanyshyn, Darren	Energy and performance aspects in sport surfaces
1115	Shorten, Martyn	Head impact and head injuries on sport surfaces
1200		Lunch in exhibition area

#### Injuries and Sport Surfaces

1400	Stefanyshyn, Darren	Joint loading and injury prevention - the importance of joint moments and translational/rotational friction
1445	Dick, Randall	The NCAA Injury Surveillance System with specific consideration of sport surfaces
1530		Coffee Break
1615	Meeuwisse, Willem	Injury risk in Canadian University Football (artificial turf vs. natural grass)
1700	Cole, Gerald	Functional surface testing using a robotic system
1745	Nigg, Benno	Tennis injuries
1800		Free Evening

### Friday, August 22nd

#### Design, Selection and Installation of Sport Surfaces

0830	Johnston, Robert	Design and construction aspects of sport surfaces – the architect's perspective
0915	Wilson, Ron	Synthetic Turf from a design professional's point of view
1000		Coffee Break in exhibition area

#### Surface and Shoe

1030	Lafortune, Mario	Sport surface and sport shoe
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1115	Krabbe, Berthold	Relevance of surface characteristics for footwear development
1200		Lunch in exhibition area
<b>Testing of Sport Surfaces</b>		
1400	Cox, Alastair	Performance testing procedures A comparison of various testing concepts
XXXX	Kolitzus, Hansjörg	Important criteria when developing guidelines/standards for sport surfaces
1530		Coffee Break
1615	Stefanyshyn, Darren	Surface testing and standards
	Shorten, Martyn	
	Nigg, Benno	
1900		Banquet