



INTERNATIONAL NUCLEAR REACTOR MATERIALS  
RELIABILITY CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION &  
MATERIALS RELIABILITY PROGRAM TECHNICAL  
ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETINGS

*November 2–6, 2020 • InterContinental New Orleans • New Orleans, Louisiana*

**BACKGROUND AND OBJECTIVES**

The objective of the conference is to gather the leading domestic and international nuclear engineers, materials scientists, vendors and consultants in a forum for exploring, discussing and reporting the latest research, plant experiences, analyses, planning and solutions for increased materials reliability in nuclear power plant components for current and extended periods of operation. The Materials Reliability Program (MRP) Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) Meetings will serve the purpose of allowing committees, namely Internals and Integrity, Inspection, and Pressure Boundary to convene and discuss materials reliability topics.

The conference will provide a venue for discussion and increased understanding of the latest EPRI research, as well as the latest academic, government and industry research and experience on materials issues that are relevant to the continued safety, reliability and competitiveness of nuclear power plants both domestically and internationally. Utilities, vendors, consultants, researchers, NRC and INPO are invited to participate in this event. The focus of the MRP TAC Meetings will be to provide status updates of MRP 2020 projects, report out on recent Operating Experience (OE) that has occurred across the worldwide PWR fleet and to discuss new project ideas for 2021-2022 Strategic Planning.

**TARGET AUDIENCE**

In 2016, this conference was held at the Hyatt Regency McCormick Place in Chicago, Illinois, USA. Over 225 people participated, and approximately 25% of those were with an exhibiting company. New for 2020, is the combination of this conference with a regularly

scheduled Materials Reliability Program (MRP) fall meeting. Thus, utility participation is expected to increase substantially from the 2016 conference.

MRP, BWRVIP, WRTC, IMR, and SGMP Utility Members; Nuclear Engineers; Materials scientists; Engineers; Vendors; NEI and INPO; NRC.

**SPONSORSHIPS**

Sponsoring the International Nuclear Reactor Materials Reliability Conference Exhibit Show is a great way to increase your impact with current and potential customers. We invite you to consider one of the following levels of participation.

- Platinum Level (four available) ..... \$17,500
  - Equal billing with EPRI on all conference materials
  - Participation on the Technical Steering Committee
  - Recognition in conference marketing materials as Platinum Sponsor
  - Introductory comments in Plenary Session
  - Full company description and logo in final program and web site
  - Two Exhibit booths, (10' x 10'), one 6' table and two chairs
  - Four conference registrations
  - Four Exhibit staff passes
  - Recognition on Registration web site
  - Special nametag ribbons
  - Special mention on mobile app.
- Gold (two available) ..... \$10,000
  - One exhibit booth
  - Two full conference attendee passes
  - One exhibit-only pass

- Recognition of sponsoring a morning coffee break of your choice
  - Acknowledgement at conference as a GOLD Sponsor in EPRI signage
  - Recognition on Registration web site
  - Logo and acknowledgement on sponsor slide to be displayed during general session
  - Special nametag ribbons
  - A listing on mobile app.
- Silver (four available) ..... \$7,000
- One exhibit booth
  - One exhibit-only attendee pass
  - Acknowledgement at conference as SILVER Sponsor in EPRI signage
  - Recognition on Registration web site
  - Logo and acknowledgement on sponsor slide to be displayed during general session
  - Special nametag ribbons
  - A listing on mobile app.
- Bronze (four available)..... \$5,000
- One exhibit booth
  - One exhibit-only pass
  - Logo and acknowledgement on sponsor slide to be displayed during general session
  - Listing on mobile app.
  - Special nametag ribbon
- Breakfast Sponsor (three available) ..... \$4,500
- You will gain an additional opportunity to network with the attendees through a dedicated group breakfast.
  - Recognition signage at the door as well as a table tent sign with your logo on each table.
  - Table tent cards with your logo and company name will be placed on each table
- Wireless Internet (either one sponsor at \$4,000 or two at \$2,000 each)
- All conference attendees will have access to free wireless internet and power strips in the meeting room, courtesy of this sponsor.
  - Each attendee will be given a custom created business card with your logo to include wireless network code.
  - Tent cards will also be placed on each table in the General Session room.
- Specialty Drink Bar for Tuesday Reception or Specialty Coffee Bar Station (one available or two sponsors at \$2,000 each) ..... \$4,000
- You will get your choice of either a Margarita or wine and beer bar, Specialty Coffee station, etc. in the reception area.
  - Recognition display and signage
  - Tent cards with your logo to be placed on tables
  - Listing on mobile app.

## EXHIBIT BOOTH FEES

- Exhibit Booth .....\$1,750
- Booth package includes: pipe and drape 10' x 10' booth, one 6-foot table, two chairs, signage, one electrical outlet, one full conference admission and one exhibit only admission. The cost for a second booth would be \$1,200.
- Additional full conference admission ..... \$950
- Additional Exhibit Staff Only ..... \$550

## ACCOMMODATIONS AND LOCATION

Attendees are responsible for making their own hotel reservations. To obtain the special group rate at the hotel, you must mention this EPRI Conference.

InterContinental New Orleans  
 444 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130, USA  
 Reservations can be made directly through the conference registration site in CVENT  
 General Hotel Information: 1.504.525.5566  
 Group Room Rate: \$185 per night plus taxes and fees  
 Cut-off Date: **October 12, 2020**

*Please make sure to ask for the EPRI Rate.*

## TENTATIVE AGENDA AT A GLANCE

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

- 7:00–8:00 AM Breakfast  
 8:00 AM–5:00 PM EPRI MRP TAC/OE Session  
 12:00 Noon–1:00 PM Lunch

*Breakfast, Lunch and AM/PM Breaks in the Exhibit Hall*

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

- 7:00–8:00 AM Breakfast  
 8:00–10:00 AM Materials Reliability Conference: Plenary and General Session  
 10:30 AM–5:00 PM Materials Reliability Conference: Technical Sessions  
 12:00 Noon–1:00 PM Lunch  
 6:00–7:30 PM Reception

*Breakfast, Lunch, AM/PM Breaks and the Reception in the Exhibit Hall*

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

- 7:00–8:00 AM Breakfast  
 8:00 AM–5:00 PM Materials Reliability Conference: Technical Sessions  
 12:00 Noon–1:00 PM Lunch

*Breakfast, Lunch, AM/PM Breaks in the Exhibit Hall*

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

7:00–8:00 AM	Breakfast
8:00 AM–12:00 Noon	Materials Reliability Conference: Technical Sessions
12:00 Noon–1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00–5:00 PM	EPRI MRP TAC/OE Session
4:00–6:00 PM	Exhibits Tear Down

*Breakfast, Lunch, AM/PM Breaks in the Exhibit Hall*

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

7:00–8:00 AM	Breakfast
8:00–12:00 Noon	EPRI MRP TAC/OE Session
12:00 Noon–1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00–5:00 PM	Open/Tentative/TBD

*Breakfast, Lunch, AM/PM Breaks in the Exhibit Hall*

## CANCELLATION POLICY

If full payment is not received by September 1, 2020, booth space will be cancelled without confirmation from show management. We will immediately open that space up for sale to other companies interested in exhibiting.

If booth is cancelled between the dates of October 1–October 23, 50% of payment will be refunded. There will be no refunds after October 23.

## CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Please visit website for full details including abstract due dates, topics and additional contact information; see also EPRI Product 3002016891.

For more information and to register for this event, please go to [www.epri.com](http://www.epri.com) and select the Main Calendar under the Events tab on the top of the menu bar. Select the month of November 2020 and locate this event by the date, then click on the link, and follow the simple early registration instructions.

## KEY CONTACTS FOR MORE INFORMATION

The possibilities are not limited to these packages. Please contact Hannah Thomson to discuss opportunities. Thank you for your interest and participation.

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## 2016 CONFERENCE EXHIBITORS AND SPONSORS

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- Dominion Engineering, Inc.
- GE Hitachi Nuclear Energy
- Mitsubishi Nuclear Energy Systems, Inc.
- Structural Integrity and AZZ/WSI
- Studsvik
- Westinghouse Electric Company, LLC

Deadline for Program Listing is **October 2, 2020**

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