

IPY Canada Early Results Workshop

February 16-18, 2010

The fourth International Polar Year (IPY 2007-2008) has been the largest-ever international research program focussed on the world's polar regions. Scientific results from this 60+ nation initiative will be presented to the international community at the Oslo Science Conference (OSC) 2010.

In advance of OSC 2010, the IPY community in Canada will convene for the **IPY Canada Early Results Workshop** in Ottawa to note IPY's achievements, showcase preliminary findings from Canadian IPY projects, explore ideas for synthesizing and integrating results and begin focusing on the implications of IPY research in terms of climate change impacts and adaptations and health and well-being of northern communities.

IPY CANADA EARLY RESULTS WORKSHOP

February 16-18, 2010

**Fairmont Château Laurier
Ottawa, Ontario**

<http://www.ipy-api.gc.ca>

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

Presenters: January 8, 2010

Participants: January 28, 2010

**Travel Support Request:
January 8, 2010**

**Block booking at Château
Laurier: January 16, 2010**



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The **IPY Canada Early Results Workshop** is the third in a series of workshops organized by the Government of Canada Program for IPY. These workshops bring together the diverse IPY community in Canada to develop and further networks, share information, discuss ideas and build synergies amongst the various Canadian IPY projects. The previous workshops, in October 2007 and December 2008, initiated discussions on data management, knowledge transfer and integration. Canada's IPY Program is now at a stage in which most research projects have completed their final field seasons and data analysis and interpretation is underway. At this point, most IPY project teams have preliminary results to share and discuss.

This Workshop will be the first opportunity for the IPY community in Canada to learn about the findings of IPY science that has been taking place in Canada since 2007.

The objectives of the **IPY Canada Early Results Workshop** are to:

- provide an opportunity for IPY researchers to present their early results to the Canadian IPY and Arctic research community;
- begin and/or promote ongoing initiatives to synthesize IPY research results;
- share information about other IPY program and legacy initiatives (e.g., data management, logistics, licensing, training, communications and outreach);
- stimulate dialogue around policy implications of IPY research, and build momentum for the IPY Global Conference in 2012 which will be hosted by Canada.

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

The IPY Canada Early Results Workshop will provide an opportunity to bring together Canadian researchers, research managers, policymakers and others interested in Arctic science to focus on early IPY results and begin synthesis activities.

Lead researchers from IPY science projects, key representatives of other IPY program components, representatives of organizations involved in northern and Arctic science and representatives of northern Aboriginal and science-focused organizations should plan to attend.

Please note that registration is mandatory as space is limited. There is no registration fee. Presenters will primarily be the Principal Investigators and Co-Investigators from IPY Science projects.

REGISTRATION FORM – Submit to the IPY Federal Program Office by email to api-ipy@ainc-inac.gc.ca or by fax to 819-934-0584

Name [Last, First]:

Organization:

Title:

Address:

Email Address:

Phone No.:

IPY Project Affiliation [if applicable]:

Project No., Title & Principal Investigator

Will you be presenting your IPY results? YES NO

If YES, please submit on a separate page the **TITLE** of your presentation, list of **AUTHORS**, **ABSTRACT** (max. 250 words) and preferred presentation **FORMAT** (oral or poster). Please note presentation format requests will be granted as often as possible.

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Travel Support:

Limited travel support will be available for eligible participants of the IPY Canada Early Results Workshop. To determine if you are eligible for travel support, please contact Stephanie Rees at Stephanie.Rees@ainc-inac.gc.ca; (819) 953-1268.

Accommodations:

Block Booking at the Fairmont Château Laurier: available until January 16, 2010 for \$145.00/night

On-line: <https://resweb.passkey.com/go/ipyearlyresults>

Phone: Global Reservations Centre – 1 (800) 441-1414

Ask for Fairmont Château Laurier and the IPY Early Results Workshop Group Rate

ASSOCIATED EVENTS

- Canadian Arctic Research Licensing Initiative Sessions
- Health Canada Science and Policy Round Table on Northern Health & Community Well-Being
- Arctic Vision: IPY Photo Exhibit
- IPY Researchers' Corner



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