

Abstract Submission

Deadline for abstract submission (oral and poster) is May 1st 2006. Abstracts should include: Purpose, Methods, Results and Conclusions. Figures and tables may be included as long as they fit within the template. All submissions must be made through CAC-2006's website www.cac2006.iqm.unicamp.br. By June 1st the authors will be notified of acceptance via e-mail. Abstracts not selected for oral presentation will be scheduled as poster.

VISA

Participants from countries that need an entry visa for BRAZIL should contact the Brazilian Diplomatic Representation in their own country. For consular service, please consult www.mre.gov.br/ingles. Be aware that it might take a couple of weeks to get the visa.

Social Program

Social activities include welcome dinner on September 11th with Brazilian music and folk dance; visit to "EXPOFLORA", the annual flower and plant exhibition at Holambra on Thursday afternoon, followed by the Conference Banquet, a typical Brazilian "churrasco". Holambra is a lovely small town settled by Dutch (30 Km from Campinas). It is considered the greatest center of flower production and commerce in Brazil. You will be in contact with the lovely and different landscape offered by the flowery fields, the white greenhouses standing out from the green fields, and the Dutch architectural style.

Accommodation

The Conference will be held at Hotel Monte Real Resort, where a number of rooms are already blocked at special discount rate. We want to congregate all participants in the same place, to increase conviviality and exchange among them. Reservations must be booked directly with the Hotel: www.montreal.com.br Continental breakfast, "almoço" (a Brazilian hearty lunch) and dinner are included in the daily rate.

Single - R\$ 175,00
Double - R\$ 230,00
Triple - R\$ 315,00

Transportation

Transportation will be provided by the Conference, in chartered buses, from São Paulo International Airport (Guarulhos) to Águas de Lindóia (Sept. 10th and 11th) and back to the airport (Sept. 15th). The timetable for departure will be announced later in the website. Public transportation can also be used.

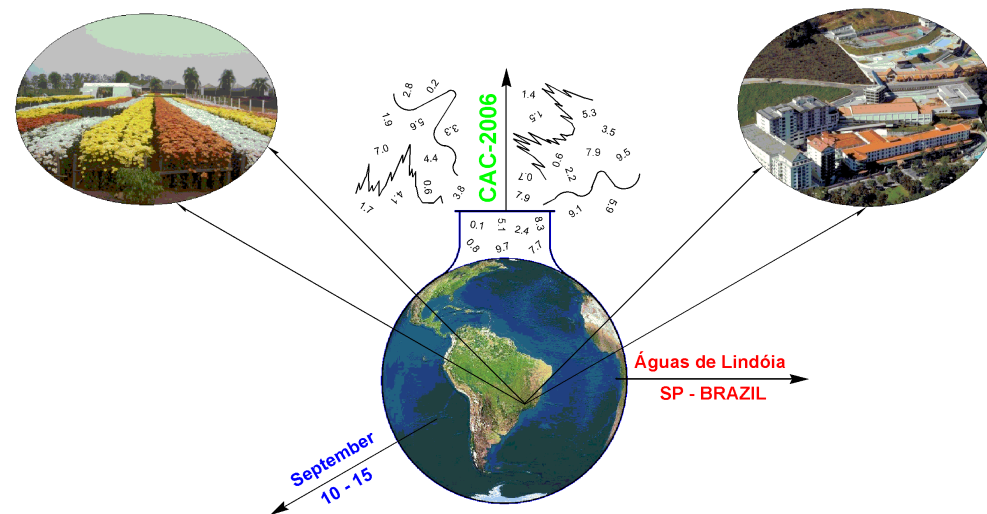
Language & Currency

The language spoken in Brazil is Portuguese. *The Congress official language is English.*

All transactions are done in Brazilian currency, the Real (R\$). Dollars and Euros may be exchanged in local banks, exchange bureaus and hotels. The Real is quite stable during recent times (1.0 dollar \approx 2.5 Real). Major international credit cards are accepted everywhere in Brazil.

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Welcome

Since the first meeting more than 25 years ago, CAC has been a great opportunity to share experiences, exchange knowledge and widen horizons. We hope this meeting will also bring to all positive and fruitful collaboration between chemometricians, chemists, engineers and biologists. Take this opportunity to join us and thus contribute to the success of the 10th CAC.

Venue

The conference will be held at Hotel Monte Real Resort located in Águas de Lindóia, a small town 160 km north of São Paulo and very representative of some part of Brazilian countryside. The thermal springs of Águas de Lindóia are well-known, since 18th century, for leisure and hydrotherapy. It became well known in Europe after the visit of Madame Curie, the Nobel Prize winner in Chemistry, in 1928. Águas de Lindóia has a dry temperate climate at this time of the year with an average temperature of 22°C (72 F). São Paulo and Águas de Lindóia are connected by a modern and safe highway cruising through beautiful and scenic landscapes. Participants should arrive and departure from the São Paulo International Airport - GUARUHLOS (also known as Cumbica). This airport is connected directly to the main cities of the world.

Prepare yourself for early morning walks in the woods up to the surrounding mountains!

Invited Speakers

Bruce R. Kowalski (USA)
Barry M. Wise (USA)
José Cardoso de Menezes (PT)
Alex Freitas (UK)
Lutgarde Buydens (NL)
Paul Geladi (SE)
Paul J. Gemperline (USA)
Rasmus Bro (DK)
Roma Tauler (ES)
Steven D. Brown (USA)
Salvador García-Muñoz (Pfizer, USA)
Beata Walczak (PL)
Klaas Faber (NL)
Patricia Heussen (UNILEVER, NL)

Short Courses

Sunday Sept 10th 2006

- 1 - "*Basic Chemometrics*", Barry Wise (Eigenvector Research Inc. USA) - one day
2 - "*Multi-Way Analysis in Chemistry - Learn to do it yourself*", Rasmus Bro (KVL, DK) - one day

Monday Sept 11th 2006

- 3 - "*Multivariate Image Analysis*", Barry Wise (Eigenvector Research Inc. USA) - one day
4 - "*Introduction to Data Mining and a Case Study in Bioinformatics*", Alex Freitas (University of Kent, UK) - half day
5 - "*Multivariate And Multiway Calibration With Special Focus on Uncertainty Estimation*", Klaas Faber (Chemometry Consultancy, NL) - one day

Fees

	One day	Half Day
Student:	USD 150	USD 75
Regular:	USD 300	USD 150

Selected Topics

I - Human and Social Development:
Applications in Environment and Medicine

II - Industrial Applications
Pharmacology; Food Industry; Agriculture; Process Chemometrics and Process Analytical Technology; Product Design

III- New Applications, Theoretical and Methodological Development
Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery; Multiblock and Multiway Data Analysis

The scientific program starts at 8:30 on Tuesday (September 11th) and closes on Friday afternoon (September 15th).

Scientific Committee

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Registration

Must be made on-line at the conference website. To become effective, registration must be paid.

	Before Jun 30	After Jun 30
Regular	USD 500	USD 600
Student	USD 250	USD 300

Social program Registration Fee for Accompanying Person: USD 150.

Payment: Make your bank transfer or deposit to the following account.

Bank: BANCO DO BRASIL SA
Bank Code: 001
Branch: 2447-3 UNICAMP
Account Name: MMCF CAC2006
Account Number: 17.079-8

Send a copy of the payment receipt by email or FAX (Marcia Ferreira, 55 19 3788-3023).

For students, a number of grants are available. Grants cover registration fee, but do not include traveling costs or lodging expenses. To qualify for a grant, consult the website. The registration fee includes: conference materials, participation in all lectures and poster sections, coffee breaks and social programs.

Proceedings

The Conference proceedings will be published as a special volume of Elsevier's *Analytica Chimica Acta*. The deadline for manuscript's submission will be September 14th, at the Conference.