



TORONTO 2012

THE 13th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR TRAVEL BEHAVIOUR RESEARCH

JULY 15-19, 2012

**ANNOUNCEMENT AND SECOND
CALL FOR ABSTRACTS**

**ABSTRACTS DUE:
NOVEMBER 30, 2011**

The 13th International Conference of the International Association for Travel Behaviour Research (IATBR) will be held July 15-20, 2012 in Toronto, Canada. The IATBR Conference series is recognized worldwide as the premier occasion for networking with fellow travel behaviour researchers, sharing cutting-edge research and development through high-impact presentations, learning about the latest techniques in the field, and defining the research agenda for the profession. The 2012 conference represents a return of IATBR to North America for the first time in 15 years. Toronto is a global city containing an incredibly diverse, cosmopolitan, multi-cultural city. It is a cultural and entertainment centre, and it is within easy travel distance of other major tourist venues such as Niagara Falls and the Stratford Festival. Toronto's Pearson International Airport provides excellent North American and overseas airline connections.

The organizing committee seeks abstracts on all aspects of travel behaviour research for presentation at the conference. As in past conferences, papers will be presented in parallel sessions and workshops, with invited presentations in plenary sessions. In addition, poster sessions will be scheduled to accommodate the growing size of the conference and facilitate interactive discussions and networking among delegates. Papers for various sessions will be selected on the basis of extended abstracts (500-1000 words). Papers on a broad range of topics including, but not limited to, freight and passenger activity-travel behaviour analysis and modelling, time-space interactions, agent-based microsimulation modelling, integrated land use – travel demand – transportation modelling, behavioural responses to policy interventions, methodological developments, and survey methods and data collection are welcome. A conference website will be operational shortly containing detailed information about the conference schedule, registration fees, sponsorship opportunities, and location.

Abstracts are due November 30, 2011. All abstracts must be submitted electronically at:
<http://www.citiescentre.utoronto.ca/Research/IATBR2012/Papers.htm>.

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