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NKS-B Young Scientist Travel Assistance

NKS-B would like to announce travel assistance for 'Young Scientists' wishing to attend and give a presentation at NKS-B seminars and meetings. Those wishing to claim travel assistance must fulfil certain criteria. Applications should be inline with expected travel costs (maximum award per claim of 10 000 DKK). 'Young Scientists' wishing to apply for travel assistance should <u>first</u> contact the NKS-B Program Manager to determine their eligibility. Only after approval from the NKS-B Program Manager will claims for travel assistance be accepted. As part of their claim, all applicants will be asked to submit a short report of the seminar or meeting that they attended, summarising the topics presented and the key issues discussed.

More information on who can apply and how to apply can be found here.

Seminars

First announcement

NKS-B NordThreat seminar - Emergency preparedness seminar to highlight similarities and differences between national threat assessments.

28-29 August 2008 in Oslo, Norway

Organised by the Norwegian Radiation Protection Authority, Radiation and Nuclear Safety Authority, Finland; the Swedish Radiation Safety Authority and the Icelandic Radiation Protection Institute

The seminar will facilitate the exchange of information and opinions and provide a basis for enhancing networks, especially between research communities and emergency preparedness communities.

More information on this seminar can be found here.

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First announcement

NKS-B FOREST seminar - Towards improved understanding of radionuclide transfer in forests and preparedness to handle contaminated forests

7-8 October 2008 in Helsinki, Finland

Organised by Radiation and Nuclear Safety Authority, Finland; Finnish Forest Research Institute; the Swedish Defence Research Agency and Institute for Energy Technology, Norway

The seminar will provide a forum for sharing updated information on radionuclides in forests and on methods for mitigation of harms from radionuclide contamination to forestry. The seminar participants are also invited to discuss future collaborative approaches covering forest radioecology and forest management and other topics as agreed.

More information on this seminar can be found here.

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