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## **Early Bird Registration Deadline for GRC Annual Meeting & GEA Geothermal Energy Expo is This Week** ***Save \$100 by registering before midnight on Friday***

**Las Vegas (August 28, 2013)** – The deadline for earlybird rates for registration for the international geothermal event of the year is this Friday, August 30. The GRC Annual Meeting & GEA Geothermal Energy Expo will bring together geothermal companies, academics, financiers, policy leaders, students, and other individuals to attend or exhibit at the event, to be held from September 29 to October 2 at the MGM Grand in Las Vegas.

Early birds who register before August 30 pay only \$695 as GRC members or \$795 if non-members. The non-member registration includes GRC membership through 2014. Students with a current identification card from an accredited institution pay just \$5 which includes GRC membership through 2014. Registration to the GRC Annual Meeting also includes entry to the GEA Energy Expo.

Registration is available from the GRC website at [www.geothermal.org](http://www.geothermal.org). A *Preliminary Program* complete with a Registration Form is available to view and download. However, the GRC recommends online registration through a secured connection. The link is also available on the front page of the GRC website at [www.geothermal.org](http://www.geothermal.org).

This is the premier gathering to learn about the latest developments in geothermal energy. Last year, the GRC Annual Meeting & GEA Expo hosted representatives from more than 39 countries. Participants from six continents were present. In 2013, an even broader attendance is anticipated.

The GRC Annual Meeting will offer technical, policy, and market conference sessions, educational seminars, tours of local geothermal and renewable energy projects, and numerous networking opportunities.

The GEA Expo floor features a unique opportunity for leaders in the business to showcase their projects, equipment, services and state of the art technology to the geothermal community. Exhibit space still remains but is selling quickly.

Join the conversation on Twitter by following the GRC @GRC2001 and #GRC2013 or GEA at @geoenergist and #GEAExpo2013.

For GRC Annual Meeting information or sponsorship opportunities, please contact Estela Smith, 530.758.2360 or [grc@geothermal.org](mailto:grc@geothermal.org). For GEA Expo exhibitor or sponsorship opportunities, please contact Kathy Kent, 202.454.5263 or [kathy@geo-energy.org](mailto:kathy@geo-energy.org).

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**About the Geothermal Resources Council:**

With the experience and dedication of its diverse, international membership bolstering a more than 40 - year track record, the Geothermal Resources Council (GRC) has built a solid reputation as the world's preeminent geothermal association. The GRC serves as a focal point for continuing professional development for its members through its outreach, information transfer and education services. For more information, please visit [www.geothermal.org](http://www.geothermal.org). Get your daily geothermal news at [Global Geothermal News](#). Become a fan on [Facebook](#). Follow GRC on [Twitter @GRC2001](#). Check out GRC's [YouTube Channel](#). See geothermal photos on GRC's [Flicker page](#).

**About the Geothermal Energy Association:**

The Geothermal Energy Association (GEA) is a trade association comprised of U.S. companies who support the expanded use of geothermal energy and are developing geothermal Resources worldwide for electrical power generation and direct-heat uses. GEA advocates for public policies that will promote the development and utilization of geothermal Resources, provides a forum for the industry to discuss issues and problems, encourages research and development to improve geothermal technologies, presents industry views to governmental organizations, provides assistance for the export of geothermal goods and services, compiles statistical data about the geothermal industry, and conducts education and outreach projects. For more information, please visit [www.geo-energy.org](http://www.geo-energy.org). Check out GEA's [YouTube Channel](#). Follow GEA on [Twitter](#). Become a fan on [Facebook](#).

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