

February 25-26 2013 Tel Aviv, Israel

Call for Papers

We are pleased to announce Israel's Third Multinational Conference on Missile Defense.

Representatives from government, industry, and research centers, from Israel and many other nations, will meet in Tel Aviv on February 25-26, 2013. The conference will explore all aspects of missile defense, including government policy, defense architecture, highlights of current and future development programs, and emerging technologies.

Conference Co-Chairmen:

Arieh Herzog, Former Director, Israel Missile Defense Organization Alik Hermetz, President, WALES

Conference Hosts: IMDA – Maj. Gen. (res.) Herzle Bodinger, Chairman of the Board ISAA - Emanuel Blass, Chairman of the Board Technologies Group – Col (res.) Amnon Ben-David

And by invitation of the Conference Program Committee and Israel's defense industry.





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In May 2010 and July 2011 Israel hosted its first two Multinational Missile Defense Conferences, with participation of government and defense-industry delegates from Israel, the United States, Europe and Asia. Speakers at the conferences presented papers on a wide range of subjects, including threats, defense architectures and current and emerging sensor, interceptor and battle management technologies, as well as international defense policy and cooperation.

With defense architectures and technologies adapting to growing threats in the Middle East and around the world, missile defense is a timely and urgent subject, and we are pleased to issue this Call for Papers for the third annual Israel Multinational Missile Defense Conference.

Over the past year, missile proliferation has become one of the most critical strategic challenges facing Israel, the United States, Europe and other nations and regions. Israel, in particular, is now facing substantial increases in the numbers, variety and lethality of a broad range of threats, from short-range missiles and rockets to long-range missiles capable of carrying and launching unconventional warheads, threatening both its civilian population and key assets. In response, Israel - with the active support of the U.S. government - is changing and significantly upgrading its missile defense system.

Israel has an impressive history of technology development and innovation, and has become an important player in the evolution of missile defense capability. As new systems in Israel move closer to operational deployment, and with recent developments in other nations also maturing, ISRAEL MULTINATIONAL MISSILE DEFENSE III will provide a timely opportunity for review and discussion of missile defense technology, engineering, management and policy.

This conference, the third in the series, is organized and hosted by IMDA – Israel Missile Defense Association, ISAA – Israel Society of Aeronautics and Astronautics and the Technologies Group.

You are most cordially invited to join us in Tel Aviv, on February 25-26, 2013.





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Call for Papers on the following subjects:

- Emerging Missile and Rocket Threats
- Early Warning and Alert Technology
- Interceptor Technologies
- Sensor Technology
- Command and Control
- Testing and Evaluation
- Modeling and Simulation

- Interoperability
- Active Defense Radar Systems
- International Policy and Cooperation
- Training and Operations
- Multilayered Interception Systems
- End-Game Lethality

The conference is unclassified. All proceedings will be conducted in English.

Abstract Submissions:

- Israeli presenters are requested to submit full presentations and not abstracts by December 1st.
- The Abstract Template may be found at: <u>http://www.technologies.co.il/beta/en-us/Conference.aspx?Id=56</u>
- Must be submitted in English.
- Summarize the objectives and conclusions of the presentation.
- Papers will be selected according to importance, originality, and relevance to the overall themes of the conference.
- Material presented in other forums and not updated will not be accepted.

Conference Presentations:

- Limited to 20 minutes.
- Must be presented in English.
- **Please submit abstracts to: moshe@imda.org.il** Deadline for Abstract Submissions: December 1, 2012.





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Conference Organizers:

IMDA – Israel Missile Defense Association: A non-government, not-for-profit, non-partisan public policy organization, IMDA provides a forum for public education, discussion and professional studies focusing on the defense of Israel against the threat of missile and rocket attacks. IMDA's Board of Directors and Advisory Board include some of Israel's most prominent leaders, with extensive experience in national security and missile defense. **www.imda.org.il**

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