



Call for Papers for EW Asia 2012 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

SYMPOSIUM INFORMATION

In February 2012, the Association of Old Crows (AOC) and the Shephard Group announced the dates for EW Asia 2012, the second event organised in Asia under their expanded co-operation agreement. EW Asia 2012 will be held 14-15 November 2012 at the Shangri-La Hotel in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

EW Asia 2012 will build on the success of last year's inaugural symposium in Singapore and bring together a wide range of leading military, government, academic and industrial thinkers and leaders in the increasingly important field of Electronic Warfare and associated Electromagnetic Spectrum operations and capabilities including ISTAR, SIGINT, communications and spectrum management. The conference will explore topics of importance to this increasingly critical component of national security across the Pacific basin. This year's event will feature conference sessions, workshops, social events and a large dedicated exhibition area.

Symposium planning is being led by AOC Global Programs personnel who have structured the EW Asia 2012 event into five sessions. These sessions are:

- Session One - An Introduction to Pacific Basin EW Challenges
- Session Two - Perspectives on Regional EM Ops
- Session Three - EW Technology Trends
- Session Four - EM Operations Integration
- Session Five - Future EW

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Each day will begin with a Keynote Speaker to set the stage for the day's presentations and discussions. Each session will include presentations from a variety of invited military, government, academic, and industry speakers supporting the session theme of *Electronic Warfare in the Pacific Region*. There are a limited number of opportunities for outstanding individuals, organizations and companies to make a 20-25 minute *unclassified* presentation at EW 2012 Asia coherent with the theme and suitable for one of the sessions outlined above. Topics likely to be accepted include national perspectives from around the Region; EW and associated

capability briefs especially those dealing with integration; operational experiences; EW in the Maritime, Land, Air, Space and Cyber domains; threat briefs; force, platform and area protection including C-IED; technology advances and new concepts. The conference language is English. Company briefs will not be accepted and company material will generally be limited to one slide in an accepted presentation. Help will be available to potential speakers throughout the planning, preparation and presentation if required.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Potential speakers are invited to submit a short abstract or set of key points/bullets of no more than one page which describes the presentation thesis by **30 July 2012** on any of the topics listed above. We look forward to hearing from you and hopefully working together at EW Asia 2012. The email addresses for the programme planners at AOC Global Programs can be found below.

FOLLOW-UP DEADLINES

- **31 August 2012:** Notification of acceptance or rejection.
- **15 September 2012:** Speakers contacted and invited to register.
- **1 October 2012:** Presenters must be registered by this date
- **15 October 2012:** Presentations completed and

Please send abstracts to both: Christopher Glaze, glaze@crowds.org and John Clifford, clifford@crowds.org who can also be contacted with any enquiries about the conference programme.

For press/media enquiries please contact: Brock Sheets, sheets@crowds.org

For details on EW Asia 2012 exhibition and sponsorship opportunities please contact: Mark Dennington, mark.d@shephardmedia.co.uk