



*THE FIBER SOCIETY*



*Advancing Scientific Knowledge  
Pertaining to Fibers and Fibrous Materials*



2nd International Symposium on

**MATERIALS FROM  
RENEWABLES**

November 8-10, 2017  
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA, ATHENS

**The Fiber Society's Fall 2017 Technical Meeting and Conference  
and  
International Symposium on Materials from Renewables (ISMR)**

***Advanced, Smart, and Sustainable Polymers, Fibers, and Textiles***

**November 8–10, 2017  
University of Georgia  
Athens, Georgia, USA**

***Call for Papers***

The Fiber Society seeks papers on fundamental research related to the science and engineering of fibers and fibrous materials for its Fall 2017 Technical Meeting and Conference, scheduled for November 8–10, 2017, at the University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia. Submissions of original work related but not limited to the following themes are welcomed:

- Fiber Manufacturing & Characterization
- Sustainable Polymer Materials
- Advanced Cellulose Fibers and Textiles
- Smart Fibers and Textiles
- Fibers for Biomedical Applications
- Natural Protein Fibers
- Fiber-reinforced Composites
- Fundamentals of Fiber and Textile Science, Testing, and Characterization
- Design and Merchandising
- Eco-textiles
- Advances in Braiding, Weaving, and Knitting
- Natural Fibers: Hair Care
- Ceramic and Optical Fibers
- Nanocellulose
- Nonwovens
- Fashion and Design
- Nanofibers and Nanofibrous Materials
- Dyeing and Finishing
- Product Development

**Online submissions only will be accepted beginning of 06/01/2017.** Access the Fiber Society website at [thefibersociety.org](http://thefibersociety.org) and follow the link for submission; **do not** email your submission. Formatting guidelines for oral and poster abstracts are provided online. Submissions **must be** in the proper Word document format; no PDFs. **Submission deadline is 09/15/2017.** Notification of acceptance will be no later than 10/01/2017.

Conference registration will be online through the Fiber Society website. Up-to-date information about the conference, hotel accommodations, travel, and more will be available on the website as details are finalized.

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