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**American Phytopathological Society**  
**2011 Field Crops Rust Symposium**  
**December 14-16, 2011**  
**San Antonio Marriott Rivercenter Hotel**  
**San Antonio, Texas**

**Make time for this important event!** The **American Phytopathological Society (APS)** presents this insightful symposium addressing new concerns with field crops rust diseases, and nothing less than world food security is at stake.

### Symposium

Field crops rust diseases have become more important in recent years. Specifically, new concerns have surfaced with diseases such as Ug99 wheat stem rust, new races of wheat stripe rust, southern corn rust, soybean rust, and sugarcane rust which are demanding that we make scientific advances, rapidly, and on multiple fronts. The primary purpose of this first-ever Field Crops Rust Symposium is to “circle the wagons” among the scientific community and compare notes, exchange ideas, and forge new relationships. The idea is to make rapid progress on all rust diseases of major field crops by enhancing scientific communication, collaboration, and cooperation.



### Why Attend?

The Field Crops Rust Symposium Program Committee, chaired by Erick DeWolf of Kansas State University, has developed a program that will encourage a cross pollination of ideas and discussion among the scientific community.

**Check out the [Preliminary Program Schedule](#) online.**

### Who Should Attend?

The Field Crops Rust Symposium is targeted at the scientific community, but commodity leaders, crop consultants, and others will also benefit from attending.

### Registration

Registration fee includes dessert reception and coffee breaks.

**\$95** registration fee, if received by October 25, 2011

**\$139** registration fee, if received by November 22, 2011

**\$179** registration fee, if received on or after November 23, 2011 or onsite



### Poster Fee

**\$45** display fee per poster

Poster categories will include: Corn, Soybean, Wheat, and Other

**Registration opens late August 2011**

### Housing

**San Antonio Marriott Rivercenter**

101 Bowie Street

San Antonio, Texas, U.S.A. 78205

Rate: **\$119** Single/Double

\$20 for each additional person

*Plus 16.75% tax*

Located on the San Antonio Riverwalk, the hotel is conveniently located near shipping, cultural and historical landmarks including the world famous Alamo, and an abundance of dining opportunities for all tastes.



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Visit [www.apsnet.org/meet](http://www.apsnet.org/meet) for more information.

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