



What is a “Win-Win” Experience? You and the CTOTF Champions Program

Since 2004 the Combustion Turbine Operations Task Force (CTOTF) has offered the Champions Program to selected vendors. This program provides the group with needed operating funds and provides the vendors who are chosen to be Champions or Super Champions with unprecedented and guaranteed access to attendees at both the Spring and Fall Turbine Forum conferences.

Industry Advisory Council

New for 2009: Super Champions will be invited to participate in the new Industry Advisory Council. One representative of each Super Champion vendor will be invited to a yearly special meeting to discuss industry issues with and advise the CTOTF Leadership in market directions. This opportunity is available only to Super Champions.

Guaranteed Advance Trade Show Space Invitation

Historically, CTOTF Turbine Forum Trade Shows sell out within a week or two of invitation. Last Spring we sold out in 4 days! However, CTOTF Champions and Super Champions receive early notices with a reserved response time frame. Only Exhibitors who are CTOTF Super Champions or Champions have a guarantee of obtaining exhibitor space at the 34th Annual Spring and Fall 2009 CTOTF Turbine Forum Trade Shows (*if responding positively within the early notice time frame*).

Discounts

Because of the success of the Program, it will be continued for 2009. There will again be two levels of CTOTF Champions. One level will be the CTOTF Super Champion and the other level will be a CTOTF Champion! Designations will be based solely on level of support for the group. (For 2009, the Super Champion fee is \$6,500; the Champion fee is \$3,550). Each level will be offered special discounts for the CTOTF trade show booths, program ads, beverage tickets, and sponsoring opportunities.

Exclusive Advertising

CTOTF Champions and Super Champions will be listed on the CTOTF world wide web site (www.ctotf.org), with their logos, brief corporate description, and a hyperlink to their web sites. Additionally, announcement and acknowledgement notices will be sent to all user members through the CTOTF's private Internet Bulletin Board Communication Service. Logos will be placed on signage at exclusive events. CTOTF Champions and Super Champions will receive a discount on the appropriate turbine forum book ads (except for the covers).

Exclusive Events

CTOTF has restricted vendor participation in their meetings since their inception as a group. Through the Super Champion and Champion program, Super Champions and Champions get additional access to the users. Only CTOTF Super Champion (2 reps free) and Champion vendors (1 rep free) will be able to participate in any CTOTF member event/activity the day before the official Trade Show or in any other Champion Activity that may be offered at



either the Spring or Fall 2009 Turbine Forums. In addition, the Super Champions and Champions are specifically honored at the Spring Turbine Forum at an *exclusive* event. At the Fall Turbine Forum there is again an exclusive event only for the attendees and the Super Champions and Champions. No other group honors their affiliated vendors as does CTOTF.

Super Champion and Champion Shirts

CTOTF Champions will each receive **one** free CTOTF Champion 2009 shirt. Super Champions will each receive **two** free CTOTF Super Champion 2009 shirts. (CTOTF Jackets and additional shirts may be ordered in advance). *Shirts will be presented to your attending reps at the Spring Forum ONLY.*

Opportunity

The CTOTF Turbine Forums cover all makes, models, and configurations of machines. Additionally, new roundtables are added as necessary to cover the hot issues of concern to the turbine industry, e.g., the recently added Generator Roundtable.

Through this program CTOTF provides the opportunity for Super Champion and Champion vendors to meet with all types of users - it is up to you to capitalize on that opportunity. One Champion wrote: "GREAT job on creating lots of opps for "face time" with the users!!! WE APPRECIATE IT!"

Subject to Approval

Participation as a CTOTF Champion or Super Champion is subject to final approval by the CTOTF Selection Committee. (CTOTF reserves the right to reject any application). Please read the CTOTF Policies and Guidelines for Vendors (at www.ctotf.org) prior to applying. By submitting an application to be a Champion or a Super Champion, you are agreeing that your company and your representatives will adhere to the CTOTF Policies and Guidelines for Vendors.

Each Champion or Super Champion designation is for **one** company. If your company has multiple divisions and each carries a different company name, then each separately named company would need to choose to be a Super Champion/Champion.

NOTE: This program is NOT associated with any other organization's affiliation program. Affiliation with any other organization's vendor program will not entitle your company to access to the CTOTF Trade Shows or any other CTOTF function in which Super Champion and Champion vendors are invited to participate.

The CTOTF Turbine Forums schedule for 2009

Spring 2009 Turbine Forum: April 19-23, 2009
The Sheraton Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama
(Super Champions and Champions will be invited to events on April 19 and the Trade Show on April 20)
Fall 2009 Turbine Forum: TBD



Additional opportunity only for CTOTF Super Champion and Champion Vendors

Sponsor the COMBINED CYCLE Journal (CCJ) Best Practices Awards

For an *additional* contribution of \$400, your company will receive special promotional benefits as a Sponsor of the 2009 Best Practices Awards.

These benefits include: (1) logo and product listing in the Sponsors' section of the CCJ's Best Practices report (\$600 value), (2) company name on the Sponsor's acknowledgement page in the CTOTF's Spring Forum Book and on the Sponsor's acknowledgement webpage at www.CTOTF.org, and (3) logo on signage for the Best Practices Awards Luncheon at the Spring Forum.

In addition, one (1) representative of your company will be invited to the Awards Luncheon, hosted by CTOTF on Monday, April 20, 2009 in Birmingham, Alabama. Judging of entries is by the CTOTF Leadership Committee; presentation of awards is by the CCJ editors.

This extra level of sponsorship and accompanying recognition is only offered to CTOTF Super Champion and Champion Vendors

Please note: The extra contribution will go to the CCJ for funding the awards themselves. The CTOTF collects this extra contribution only as a service to the CCJ Best Practices Awards.



Steps to become a 2009 CTOTF Super Champion or Champion:

1. If you would like to be among the select CTOTF Super Champions or Champions for 2009, please complete and then Fax the attached Application to the CTOTF at 704-681-5232 by December 31, 2008. (NO COVER SHEET REQUIRED)
2. *By January 15th, 2009* the first point of contact listed on the Application will be notified if you are accepted.
3. An invoice will be generated and emailed to the first point of contact.
4. Make your check payable to "CTOTF" and mail it to be received by February 1, 2009, to

CTOTF, c/o Goose Creek Systems, Inc.
6224 Howey Bottoms Road, Indian Trail, NC 28079-7529.

NOTE: Making application is considered a commitment to pay the fee if accepted in the program.

(Sorry, payment by credit card is not accepted for this program).

Our Federal Tax ID Number is 56-1950056

5. No applications will be accepted after January 15, 2008.

Have questions? Please call Wickey Elmo at 704-753-5377



Super Champion/Champion 2009 Renewal Application Form

Submit by fax to: 704-681-5232 by 12/31/08 (no cover sheet required or necessary)

Company: _____

Street/Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code : _____

Country (if other than USA): _____ Country Code: _____

First Point of Contact Name: _____

First Point of Contact Email: _____

First Point of Contact Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

2nd Point of Contact Name: _____

2nd Point of Contact Email: _____

2nd Point of Contact Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

For 2009, we wish to be considered a: (Check appropriate box):

CTOTF Super Champion = \$6,500.00 AND Add \$400 for the CCJ Best Practices Award

Our Super Champion Advisory Council Rep will be: _____ Email: _____

OR

CTOTF Champion = \$3,550.00 AND Add \$400 for the CCJ Best Practices Award

(These are the program fees only and do not include booth fees, Turbine Forum Program Advertisement fees, or additional event or other special sponsorship fees)

Shirt Sizes: 1. Small; Medium; Large; XL; XXL; Ladies (1 Free/Champion Co.)

2. Small; Medium; Large; XL; XXL; Ladies (2 Free/Super Champion Co.)

Additional Shirts @ \$50.00 each: How many additional? _____ X \$50.00 = \$ _____

(add \$ to total, below)

Number of Small _____; Number of Medium _____ Number Large _____ Number XL _____;

Number XXL _____; Number & Size Ladies _____

Total: \$ _____ (US funds only)

An invoice for this amount will be emailed to you upon acceptance in the program.

If necessary, please give a Purchase Order No. : _____

(Sorry, payment by credit card is not accepted for this program).

When notified of acceptance, please mail check to arrive by February 1, 2009 to:

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