



CALL FOR PAPERS

Annual Fall Conference | November 1-2, 2023 | Providence, RI

The Northeast Recycling Council is seeking abstracts for its [Annual Conference](#) on **November 1-2, 2023**, which will be held at the **Hotel Providence in Providence, RI**. Abstracts should fall under one of the topics listed below.

The Conference provides an opportunity for government and industry to discuss critical and timely issues related to advancing a circular economy. The annual event attracts an expert speaker pool and a diverse audience of individuals from government, industry, and other organizations, all working in sustainable materials management.

TOPICS

Only abstracts that relate to one of the topics listed below will be considered.

- **Product Stewardship and EPR Programs - How Different Programs Work**
- **Media Literacy As It Pertains to Recycling – Telling Truth from Fiction**
 - Acknowledging problems and sharing solutions
 - Data and transparency about how materials are used
 - Providing examples
- **Policies and Regulations to Encourage Small Scale Organics Programs**
- **Scaling New Recycling Operations in Environmental Justice Communities**
- **New Approaches to Recycling Market Development**

Submission Requirements

Deadline: July 12

All items listed below must be submitted in order for the submission to be considered complete. No more than two abstracts will be accepted from one person/organization.

1. Abstract (350 words or less sent as a Microsoft Word or PDF file)
 - a. Detail the proposed presentation content and specify the topic listed above in which it fits
 - b. Specify if and when you have presented the topic at another event (include event name, location, and date)
2. Speaker bio & contact information (must include cell phone number and email address)
3. Headshot (JPG file)

Deadline: Abstracts must be submitted no later than July 12 to Mary Ann Remolador, Assistant Director, maryann@nerc.org. Feel free to call Mary Ann with any questions at 802-451-8852.