

*Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey
Center for Elephant Conservation*

**2008
ELEPHANT MANAGERS ASSOCIATION
CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOPS**

**October 4-7, 2008
Orlando, Florida**

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Center for Elephant Conservation and the Elephant Managers Association (EMA) are pleased to announce that the 2008 EMA Conference and Workshops will be held October 4-7, 2008, in Orlando, Florida. This meeting will focus on the challenges, experiences and achievements of successful captive management programs. The program organizers are seeking presentations on a variety of management and care issues facing captive elephant programs. We are particularly interested in presentations addressing programs for training qualified elephant personnel and presentations focusing on the link between captive management programs and range country populations, including research and conservation projects.

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Abstracts (no more than 500 words) should be sent to the following:

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Please include "EMA Conference Abstract" in the subject line.

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All abstract submissions must include this completed form plus the abstract. The abstract should be written as a mini-version of the paper and should contain enough information to allow evaluation of the project.

Abstracts must be received by is June 15, 2008, to be eligible for inclusion in the program.. A notice of acceptance will be provided by July 31, 2008, a **complete version of the paper for the proceedings will be required by **September 1, 2008**.**