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PestWorld heads to San Diego



The San Diego Conference Centre will host the world's biggest pest management event this October when the American National Pest Management Association's (NPMA) PestWorld event travels to the west coast Californian city of San Diego.

Every pest professional should try to make it to a PestWorld at some stage. After all it is the biggest global event in the biggest pest control market in the world. The event attracts thousands of pest management professionals, most from within the USA but there is always a large international contingent.

The exhibition makes PestEx look small with displays of products and, increasingly, services and technologies. The education sessions are so numerous it's often difficult to decide which to attend. Whilst there are some differences between the US and the UK markets, there are also plenty of similarities and so opportunities to learn from each other.

The razmataz of the general sessions is one of the obvious differences. This year's motivational speakers are:

- Richard Montañez who leads multicultural sales and marketing across Pepsi North American divisions and started with the company in 1976 as a janitor;
- Robert Richman, the author of the Culture Blueprint, a systematic guide to building a high-performance workplace.

With direct flights from the UK, it's relatively easy for us Brits to get to California, also a great holiday destination, so two birds could be dealt with at the same time! But, don't worry if you can't make it our editor has already booked her ticket so **Pest** will be there to report on the highlights.



If your interest lies in fumigants and pheromones then here's the perfect excuse to travel to Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe next May when USA-based Insects Limited, and sister company Fumigation Service & Supply, will be hosting the 14th Fumigants & Pheromones Conference. The event will be held at the Elephant Hills Resort between 12 and 14 May 2020.

This biennial event has travelled to many countries since the first conference in Lubeck Germany in 1993, but it is the first time it has been to Africa.

Sharing through education has been the underlying theme for all these conferences which focus on protecting stored products. Speakers for next year's Victoria Falls gathering will, again, be some of the premier specialists in the world. For more information and conference registration visit www.insectslimited.com

Diary dates

9-13 September 2019

12th European Vertebrate Pest Management Conference

VetAgro Sup, Campus Agronomique of Clermont-Ferrand, 89, avenue de l'Europe - BP 35, 63370 Lempdes
<https://evpmc2019.sciencesconf.org/>

24-27 September 2019

FAOPMA - Pest Summit 2019

Daejeon Convention Center, Daejeon, Korea
<http://www.faopma2019korea.org/>

15-18 October 2019

PestWorld 2019

San Diego Convention Center, Manchester Grand Hyatt Hotel, San Diego, California <http://pestworld2019.org/>

6 November 2019

PestTech 2019

Arena MK, Stadium Way, Bletchley, Milton Keynes MK1 1ST <http://www.npta.org.uk/pesttech/>

14 November 2019

SOFHT Annual Lunch, Lecture & Awards

The Brewery, 52 Chiswell Street, London EC1Y 4SD
<http://www.sofht.co.uk/>

20-21 February 2020

Expocida Iberia 2020

IFEMA - Feria de Madrid Av. Partenón, N° 5, 28042 Madrid, Spain <https://www.expocida.com/es/>

11 March 2020

PPC Live 2020

Yorkshire Event Centre, Great Yorkshire Showground, Harrogate HG2 8NZ <https://bpca.org.uk/Upcoming-Events/ppc-live-2020-professional-pest-controllers-live/>

18-19 March 2020

Pest-Protect 2020

Arena Berlin, Eichenstraße 4, 12435 Berlin, Germany
<https://www.pest-protect.eu/en/trade-fair-symposium.html>

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