



sugarcane
ethanol

Contribution to Mitigate Climate Change



The Brazilian Sugarcane Industry Association (UNICA) is pleased to invite you to attend a side event to discuss the contributions of sustainable sugarcane ethanol production to mitigating climate change. Specifically, the event will:

- Identify the dynamics of land use changes from sugarcane expansion in Brazil;
- Evaluate the effects of greenhouse gas emissions from these changes on overall emission reductions of sugarcane biofuels;
- Assess the impact of ethanol production on food prices.

The following renowned experts in sugarcane sustainability will debate these issues:

Panelists

Isaias Macedo – Visiting Researcher, Interdisciplinary Center of Energy Planning (NIPE/UNICAMP), Brazil

Rodrigo Lima – General Manager, Institute for International Trade Negotiations (ICONE), Brazil

Peter Zuurbier – Director of the Latin America Office, Wageningen University and Research Center, The Netherlands

Moderator

Eduardo Leão de Sousa – Executive Director, Brazilian Sugarcane Industry Association (UNICA), Brazil

The findings of each of these specialists are part of a newly published book entitled “**Sugarcane Ethanol: Contributions to Climate Change Mitigation and the Environment.**” The book was published by Wageningen Academic Publishers and edited by the panelist, Peter Zuurbier, with Jos van de Vooren. Copies of the book will be distributed at the event.

Please join us at the following date, time, and location

Side Event: “SUGARCANE ETHANOL: CONTRIBUTIONS TO CLIMATE CHANGE MITIGATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT”

*Date: **Thursday, December 11, 2008** Time: **7:30 pm to 9:00 pm** Location: **9-Wild Sheep** Note: Cocktails will be served*

For more information about the benefits of production and use of sugarcane ethanol, please visit UNICA’s exhibit booth, from December 8 to 12 at the conference facilities of the Poznan International Fair.

For more information, please visit: www.unica.com.br

