

## Conference Announcements: *InLCA*

### **The International Conference and Exhibition on Life Cycle Assessment: Tools for Sustainability**

- **Date:** April 25-27, 2000
- **Location:** Crystal City Hyatt, Arlington, Virginia, Washington DC Metro Area
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LCA is being developed and applied internationally by corporations, governments, and environmental groups to incorporate environmental concerns into the decision-making process. It is being widely adopted as a means to evaluate commercial systems and develop sustainable solutions.

Presentations and discussions during *InLCA* will focus on approaches that integrate environmental, economic, and social values for decision-making, with emphasis on LCA applications and case studies. The conference will bring together practitioners and decision-makers. Speakers will discuss how LCA can be used to:

- *create* marketing advantages
- *improve* environmental decision-making
  - *save* organizations money
- *organize* environmental management systems
- *measure* environmental performance and progress towards sustainability
- *communicate* within and outside of organizations.

**Fee:**

\$175 – Early Registration  
\$200 – Registration after 2/14/00  
\$150 – Government and Students