

The Journal of Industrial Ecology Celebrates its 10th anniversary and the inclusion of the Journal in the Science Citation Index Expanded

On Thursday, May 11, 2006 Yale's *Journal of Industrial Ecology* will be celebrating its 10th anniversary and recent inclusion in the Science Citation Index Expanded, an important benchmark in scientific publishing. The *Journal of Industrial Ecology* is a peer-reviewed international quarterly dealing with industry and the environment; it is published by MIT Press, owned by Yale University and headquartered at the Yale School of Forestry & Environmental Studies (F&ES).

The event includes a panel discussion on the past and future of industrial ecology with distinguished speakers from 4 - 5:30 p.m. at F&ES in Bowers Auditorium at Sage Hall, 205 Prospect Street. Participating in the panel are John Ehrenfeld, Executive Director of the International Society for Industrial Ecology and co-editor of the *Journal*; Faye Duchin, Prof. of Economics at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, and world leader in input-output analysis for environmental assessment; Ramesh Ramaswamy, Director and founder of the Resource Optimization Initiative in Bangalore, India, the leading organization applying industrial ecology in developing countries; and Charles Powers, Chair of the Industrial Ecology, Pollution Prevention, and the New York/New Jersey Harbor Project at the New York Academy of Sciences. Reid Lifset, Editor-in-chief of the *Journal of Industrial Ecology* will be the moderator.

The Journal of Industrial Ecology has reached several landmarks this year. Especially exciting is the news that the *Journal of Industrial Ecology* has been accepted for listing in the Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIExp), maintained by Thomson/Institute for Scientific Information. This also means that the *JIE* is carried by Current Contents, the prominent abstracting and indexing service. Approximately 2,000 new journals are reviewed every year by ISI staff and only about 10-12% are accepted for inclusion.

Additionally, a recent article in the journal *Business, Strategy and the Environment* ranked the *Journal of Industrial Ecology* first of all the journals dedicated to publishing in the field known as Organizations and Natural Environment (ONE). The article assessed the quality of the academic, practitioner, general management, and specialty journals that publish articles in the environmental strategy and management field. Support for this event has been generously provided by Hamilton Sundstrand, a global supplier of technologically advanced aerospace and industrial products, and by the Richard Lounsbery Foundation. For additional information regarding the talk, please contact Jennifer McFadden, Program Coordinator at the Center for Industrial Ecology, at (203) 432-6953 or jennifer.mcfadden@yale.edu.