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The annual New Mexico Mineral Symposium provides a forum for both professionals and amateurs interested in mineralogy. The meeting allows all to share their cumulative knowledge of mineral occurrences and provides stimulus for mineralogical studies and new mineral discoveries. In addition, the informal atmosphere encourages intimate discussions among all interested in mineralogy and associated fields.

The symposium is organized each year by the Mineral Museum at the New Mexico Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources.

Abstracts from all prior symposiums are also available: https://geoinfo.nmt.edu/museum/nmms/abstracts
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Mindat.org has been collecting, organizing, and sharing mineral information since October 2000. Today, an international team of 50 expert managers works to ensure the accuracy of posted data. It has become an essential resource used daily throughout education, academia, and industry sectors.

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This presentation will be a round-up of the latest developments on the site (including the public API and the massive reference library) along with a preview of some of these.

Figure 1. Screen capture of the mindat.org main webpage.