## **CONFERENCES AND SYMPOSIA**

# **SOUTHERN AFRICA** & AFRICA 2004

# WATER QUALITY JUNE 23-25

The 1st of three training courses on Environmental Water Quality in Water Resource Management will be held in Bryanston, Johannesburg. The 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> training courses with the same theme will be presented on August 25 – 27 and November 17 – 19, respectively.

Enquiries: Mike Adams, LabHouse (Pty) Ltd, PO Box 344, Cramerview, 2060. Tel: 011-463 5760. E-mail: mikea@labhouse.co.za Web: www.labhouse.co.za

# MUNICIPAL WATER JUNE 28 – JULY I

The annual South African Prepayment Week (SAPW 04) Conference and Exhibition will be held in Johannesburg.

Enquiries: Andrew Evans. Tel: 021 700 3500. Fax: 021 700 3501. E-mail: Andrew@spintelligent.com

# WASTEWATER JUNE 27-30

An IWA specialist conference on water and wastewater management for developing countries will be held at Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe.

Enquiries: Innocent Nhapi, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Zimbabwe, Box MP167, Mount Pleasant, Harare, Zimbabwe. Tel: 263 (0) 4 303288.

E-mail: <a href="mailto:wamdec2004@eng.uz.ac.zw">wamdec2004@eng.uz.ac.zw</a>
Web: <a href="mailto:www.uz.ac.zw/engineering/civil/wamdec2004">www.uz.ac.zw/engineering/civil/wamdec2004</a>

## ECOSYSTEMS JULY 5-8

The South African Society of Aquatic Scientists will hold its 2004 conference at the Eskom Convention Centre in Midrand, Gauteng. The theme is: "Water resources as ecosystems – scientists, government and society at the crossroads".

Enquiries: Lesley Stephenson, Conference Coordinator, Division of Continuing Professional Development, University of the Witwatersrand, PO Box 327, WITS 2050. Tel: (011) 717-7031. Fax: (011) 339-7835. Cell: 083 679 0697.

E-mail: stephensonl@ebe.wits.ac.za

### WATER RESOURCES AUGUST 3-6

An international conference on Water Resources of arid and semi-arid regions of Africa (WRASRA) – Issues and Challenges will be held in Gaborone, Botswana. Enquiries: EM Shemang, c/o Department of Geology, Faculty of Science, University of Botswana. Private Bag UB 00704, Gaborone, Botswana. Tel: (+267) 355 2537. Fax: (+267) 3185 097.

E-mail: waterconference@mopipi.ub.bw or shemae@mopipi.ub.bw

## ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGE-MENT

#### **OCTOBER 5-7**

A short course on environmental management will be held at the Post-Graduate Centre of the University of Pretoria. Enquiries: Ms Anneke Kruger. Tel: (012) 420 5026. Fax: (012) 362 5285. E-mail: anneke.ce@up.ac.za

# GROUNDWATER OCTOBER 11-14

A short course on model sensitivity analysis, data assessment, calibration and uncertainty evaluation will be presented at the University of the Western Cape.

Enquiries: Dr Shafick Adams, Groundwater Group, Department of Earth Sciences, University of the Western Cape. Tel: 021-959 2637. Fax: 021-959 2438. E-mail: groundwater@uwc.ac.za

### WASTECON 2004 OCTOBER 11-15

The WasteCon 2004 Congress with the theme: Integrated Waste Management, will take place at the Sun City resort in North West Province.

Enquiries: Stan Jewaskiewitz, PO Box 79, Allen's Nek 1737, Gauteng. Tel: 011 675 3462. Fax: 011 675 3465.

E-mail: <a href="mailto:iwmsa@iafrica.com">iwmsa@iafrica.com</a> Website: <a href="mailto:www.iwmsa.co.za">www.iwmsa.co.za</a>

### FOG OCTOBER 11-15

The 3<sup>rd</sup> international conference on fog, fog collection and dew will be held at the Commodore Hotel, Victoria and Alfred Waterfront, in Cape Town.

Enquiries: Prof Hannes Rautenbach, University of Pretoria. Tel: 012 420 4111.

E-mail: hannes.rautenbach@up.ac.za

### SOLIDS-LIQUIDS NOVEMBER 8-9

The 2<sup>nd</sup> international symposium on Solid-Liquid Separation (SLS '04), organised by Minerals Engineering International, will be held at the Mount Nelson Hotel in Cape Town Enquiries: Dr Barry Wills. E-mail: <a href="mailto:bwills@min-eng.com">bwills@min-eng.com</a>

## **GROUNDWATER**NOVEMBER 22-24

A short course on fractured rock aquifer assessment will be held at the University of the Western Cape.

Enquiries: Dr Shafick Adams, Groundwater Group, Department of Earth Sciences, University of the Western Cape. Tel: 021-959 2637. Fax: 021-959 2438.

E-mail: groundwater@uwc.ac.za

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## WASTEWATER TREATMENT AUGUSTUS 9-12

A conference on the "Sustainable management of residues emanating from water and wastewater treatment" will be held at the Sandton Convention Centre in Johannesburg.

Enquiries: Dr Heidi Snyman at e-mail: hsnyman@golder.co.za

### **OVERSEAS 2004**

### ICOLD MAY 16-22

The 72<sup>nd</sup> annual meeting of the International Commission on Large Dams (ICOLD) will be held in Seoul, Korea. Theme: Environmental considerations for sustainable dam projects. Sub-topics: Natural environment; Water quality and ecological environment; Socioeconomic environment.

Enquiries: Korea National Committee on Large Dams. 462-1 jeonmin-dong, Yuseonggu, Daejeon 305-390, Korea. Tel: +82-42-860-0316~7 / Fax: +82-42-860-0488. Or register online at

http://www.icold2004-seoul.or.kr

### HYDROSCIENCE MAY 30 – JUNE 3

The 6th international conference on hydroscience and engineering (ICHE-2004) will be held in Brisbane, Australia, with the central theme: "Enhancing the sustainable water resources and environmental quality of the world through the advancement of hydroscience and engineering".

Enquiries: Dr Mustafa Altinakar, NCCHE, School of Engineering, the University of Mississippi, Carrier Hall, Room 102, University MS 38677 USA.

E-mail: iche@ncche.olemiss.edu

## CONFERENCES AND SYMPOSIA

### **WASTEWATER TREATMENT IUNE 1-4**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> IWA leading-edge conference on water and waste-water treatment technologies will be held in Prague, Czech Republic. Enquiries: International Water Association, Alliance House, 12 Caxton Street, London SW1H0Qs, United Kingdom. Tel: +44 (0)20 7654 5500. Tel: +44 (0)20 7654 5555. E-mail: LET2004@iwahq.org.uk

### **ECWATECH IUNE 1-4**

The 6th international trade fair and conference about water, ecology and technology will be held in Moscow, Russia. Enquiries: Mr Sergey Malygin. SIBICO International Ltd, PO Box 173, Moscow 107078, Russia. Tel: +7 (095) 975 5104.

Fax: +7 (095) 975 3423. E-mail: ecwatech@sibico.com Internet: www.ecwatech.com

### **RIVERS JUNE 21-26**

A short course and symposium – River Mechanics '04 - will be held at the Colorado State University Campus, Fort Collins, Colorado, USA.

Enquiries: Pierre Y Julien, Office of Conference Services. Tel: (970) 491-7501.

Fax: (970) 491-7747.

E-mail: OCSReg@ColoState.edu

### ICF **JUNE 21-25**

The 17th international symposium on ice ( Ice mechanics and forces; Ice-water-atmosphere interactions; Ice ecology and management etc.) will take place in Saint Petersburg, Russia.

Enquiries: Alex Kosarev - Tel: +7 (812) 535-88-94. Fax: +7 (812) 535 6720. E-mail: gladkov@hydro.vniig.ru

Web: www.vniig.ru

### **WATERSHED 2004 JULY 11-14**

The Water Environment Federation (WEF) will sponsor an international speciality conference in Dearborn, Michigan, USA, on integrated resource management and environmental protection using watershed approaches.

Enquiries: WEF. 601 Wythe Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-1994, USA. Tel: 703 684 2400 x 7010. E-mail: watershed04@wef.org

## **HYDROLOGY JULY 12-16**

This conference - Hydrology: Science and

Practice for the 21st Century - will be held in London, United Kingdom, and is designed to bring together hydrologists involved in scientific research and operational practice to address key issues affecting hydrology in the new century.

Enquiries: For more information, please visit the website: www.hydrology.org.uk/ bhs2004/welcome.htm

### WATER GOVERNANCE **AUGUST 29 – SEPTEMBER I**

An international speciality conference on "Good water governance for people and nature: What roles for law, institutions, science and finance?" will be held in Dundee, Scotland.

Enquiries: American Water Resources Association - 4 West Federal Street/PO Box 1626, Middleburg VA 20118-1626. Tel: (540) 687 8390. Fax: (540) 687 8395. E-mail: info@awra.org

### **ANAEROBIC DIGESTION AUGUST 29 - SEPTEMBER 2**

The 10th World Congress - Anaerobic Digestion 2004 - with the theme: Anaerobic Bioconversion for Sustainability will be held in Montreal, Canada.

Enquiries: Mrs Marie Lanouette, National Research Council Canada, 1200 Montreal Road, Building M-19, Ottawa, ON, Canada K1A0R6. Tel: (613) 993-0414.

Fax: (613) 993 7250. E-mail: ad10.2004@nrc-cnrc.gc.ca Website: http://www.ad2004montreal.org

### **BIOTECHNOLOGY SEPTEMBER 6-8**

The first international meeting on environmental biotechnology and engineering will be held in Mexico City in Mexico. Delegates will be provided with up-to-date information on advances the remediation of soils and aguifers, microbial ecology and the application of molecular biology to solve environmental problems.

Enquiries: Dr Hector M Poggi-Varaldo, CINVESTAV-IPN, Department of Biotechnology and Bioengineering, PO Box 14-740, Mexico DF 07000 Mexico.

Tel: 52(55) 5061 3800 (ext 4324 or 4336). Fax: 52(55) 5061-7002

### **ECOHYDRAULICS** SEPTEMBER 12 - 17

The 5th international symposium on ecohydraulics will be held in Madrid, Spain. Theme - "Aquatic habitats: analysis and restoration".

Enquiries: The Secretariat - Londres, 17 -28028 Madrid, Spain. Tel: +3491 361 2600. Fax: +3491 355 9208. E-mail: ecohydraulics@tilesa.es Web: http://www.tilesa.es/ecohydraulics

### **TROUT FARMERS** SEPTEMBER 16-18

The 50th conference and trade show of the US Trout Farmers Association will be held in Twin Falls, Idaho, United States.

Enquiries: Mary Lee.

Tel: 304 728-2167. Fax: 304 728 2196.

E-mail: ustfa@intrepid.net

### **WORLD WATER SEPTEMBER 19-24**

The International Water Association (IWA) will hold its 4th world water congress in Marrakech, Morocco.

Enquiries: AMEPA - Tel: +212 3763 2093.

Fax: +212 3763 7682. E-mail: sehi@elan.net.ma Web: http://www.iwahq.org.uk/

### **AQUACULTURE SEPTEMBER 26-29**

The Australasian Aquaculture 2004 conference will be held in the Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre in Darling Harbour,

Enquiries: Dr Tom Lewis. 73 Lansdowne Crescent, West Hobart 7000. Tel/Fax: (03) 6231 9230. Cell: 0417 537 806.

### **DAM SAFETY SEPTEMBER 26-29**

The 21st annual dam safety conference and exhibition will be held in Phoenix, Arizona, USA.

Enquiries: Susan Sorrell. Tel: 859 257 5140. E-mail: info@damsafety.org Web: http://www.damsafety.org

### **WETLANDS SEPTEMBER 27-30**

The 9th international conference on Wetland Systems for Pollution Control will be held in Avignon, France.

Enquiries: The Secretariat. CEMAGREF - 3, bis quai Chauveau, 69336 Lyon Cedex 09, France. Fax: +33 4 7847 7875.

E-mail: wetlands@lyon.cemagref.fr

### **AQUACULTURE OCTOBER 20-23**

The conference "Aquaculture Europe 2004: Biotechnologies for Quality" will be held in Barcelona, Spain.

Enquiries: The Secretariat. Tel: +32 59 323859. Fax: +32 59321005. E-mail: ae2004@aguaculture.cc

Web: http://www.easonline.org