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## **01** ABOUT IDA

The International Desalination Association (IDA) is the point of connection for the world's desalination and water reuse community. As the world's leading global organization dedicated to the advancement of desalination, desalination technology and water reuse, IDA brings together people, knowledge, and ideas with the goal of ensuring that the world will have access to a sustainable supply of fresh water.

For more than 49 years, IDA has served as the global hub of expertise, news and information, and professional development for the global desalination industry. Its members include the world's leaders in desalination including end-users, and researchers representing governments, corporations, and academia. A non-profit organization, IDA is associated with the United Nations as part of a growing international network of nongovernmental organizations (NGOs). IDA views desalination and reuse as critical aspects of the solution to address the world's water problems and advocates their use to provide a reliable and sustainable source of fresh water in all parts of the globe. To this end, IDA supports the development of technological solutions that enhance in-crease energy efficiency, lower costs and promote environmental stewardship.

### **IDA Sustainable Water Resources Foundation** (SWRF)



With a continuously growing population, innovative water strategies must rise to meet the increasing demand for clean water.



IDA's Sustainable Water Resources Foundation (SWRF). а 501(c)(3) organization, promotes creative solutions to the world's most pressing water challenges. With a continuously growing population, innovative water strategies must rise to meet the increasing demand for clean water. SWRF promotes this innovation by advocating clean energy solutions, fostering collaboration among professionals, and supporting educational programs and projects concerning the nexus of water, energy, food, and the environment.

In the face of increasing demands for water, exponential population growth, and a changing climate, our water needs have never been greater. The United Nations, alongside the IDA SWRF, prioritizes clean water and sanitation as one of the essential Sustainable Development Goals. Water touches every aspect of human life. It is the nexus where agriculture needs meet human rights and gender equality meets urban planning. Recognizing the mounting challenges of water needs, the SWRF seeks to build a future in which development and responsibility come hand in hand and water is a ubiquitous human right.

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The International Desalination Association (IDA) has a network of regional and association affiliate members from around the world. We are pleased to be associated with the following organizations and their representatives who are on our Board of Directors.

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# About the Congress



# Message from the President of IDA



Dear colleagues,

It has been my honor to serve as IDA President; a term noted to be probably the most extended term in IDA history due to the complex situation we have faced caused by the COVID pandemic.

But it is precisely for this reason I am extremely happy to see the great support from all the members, partners, and affiliates for the organization in our World Congress in Sydney in the coming October 22. This congress will be a record in the number of sponsors, which shows the significant interest in the sector, and I hope it will also be reflected in the number of attendees.

We have many reasons to be proud of the progress the market has developed; the growth rates in Installed capacity of Non-conventional water resources (Reuse and Desalination) have reached a new record during 2021 not only by the number of plants but also in size and capacity. On top of this, the UN has recognized

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in its latest report an important statement about Desalination and Water reuse as key tools to generate new water resources to fight against climate change and try to keep Natural water resources from rivers, lakes, aquifers as a big reservoir for the natural water balance and reservoir for future generations.

With this trend in mind in the sector from IDA, we have prepared with illusion and hard work and a special congress with many new disruptive ideas to be discussed, complementing the big effort to have a wide list of technical sessions and papers showing the most advanced technologies but also as new topics how a new driver "the green hydrogen production from water " could change the sector in the future or new interesting subjects bringing on board for our the Advisory Committee with new legal, financial, governance or utilities angles and visions.

As IDA President, I want to invite all of you to participate with us in this particular moment in the sector and share with us your ideas and projects and enrich the debates we are preparing with care.

I look forward to welcoming you to the IDA World Congress in Sydney!

Mr. Carlos Cosin, President of IDA

# Welcome from IDA Secretary General



Dear colleagues,

#### Welcome!

Here we are, finally in spectacular Sydney, for the International Desalination Association's flagship event, widely recognized as the premier event on advanced water treatment solutions through desalination and water reuse. It's terrific to return to Australia a decade after Perth's 2011 IDA World Congress.

IDA World Congress 2022 will consist of dynamic panel discussions, an excellent technical program, keynote presentations, an industry-driven exhibition, unparalleled networking opportunities, and specialized workshops. Global attendance from public and private sector leaders, researchers, and academics in desalination, water reuse, energy, environment, and project finance will provide knowledge-sharing and discussion opportunities for participants on many technical and business topics that explore what is needed to ensure

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a secure water future. We will also welcome the new board of directors for Term 20 and announce our host for the IDA World Congress 2024

First held in 1987, the IDA World Congress has been a global meeting point for promoting the appropriate use of desalination and water reuse technologies as a critical part of addressing the world's freshwater shortages. The theme of the 2022 World Congress is Charting Resilient Water Solutions to secure a sustainable future that efficiently meets the growing water demand causing threats to water security and the increasing frequency and severity of droughts resulting from climate change.

Thanks to the IDA Team and the IDA World Congress Technical Program Committee for their hard work and dedication. A special thank you to our members, sponsors, partners, and each delegate for your support of the IDA as we begin the celebrations in anticipation of her fiftieth anniversary in 2023!

Yours sincerely



Ms. Shannon McCarthy, IDA Secretary General

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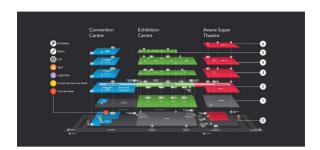


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### **Venue Information**



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#### **CONVENTION CENTRE**

The main entrance to the Convention Centre can be found at the northern end of ICC Sydney. closest to Cockle Bay (Darling Harbour) and Harbourside Shopping Centre. The closest drop off and taxi zone address is Iron Wharf Place. The closest light rail stop is Convention stop, and the closest train station is Town Hall.

#### **EXHIBITION CENTRE**

Exhibition Centre is located between Convention Centre and Aware Super Theatre (formerly First State Super Theatre). There are two entrances to the Exhibition Centre. The main entrance is located closest to the Convention Centre followed by a second entrance is via escalators or lifts closest to Aware Super Theatre and Moriarty Walk. Exhibition Centre is walking distance from both Town Hall and Central Station. The closest light rail stops are Exhibition stop and Convention stop.

# Master Schedule



# **04 MASTER SCHEDULE**

# **Pre-Congress**

#### Sunday, 9 October 2022

07:00-17:00	Construction of Exhibition Floor Exhibition Hall 5-6
10:00-17:00	Delegate Registration Open Exhibition Hall 5-6
13:00-14:00	Technical Program Meeting Room E3.1 & E3.2, Exhibition Hall 5-6
15:00-16:00	Term 19 Outgoing Board Meeting Meeting Room E3.1 & E3.2, Exhibition Hall 5-6
16:00-17:00	Term 20 Incoming Board Meeting Meeting Room E3.1 & E3.2, Exhibition Hall 5-6
18:00-20:30	Welcome Reception on the Jackson Sydney Harbour boarding at Pyrmont Bridge near ICC Sydney, 17:45 sharp, vessel leaves at 18:30

# **Congress - Day 1**

#### Monday, 10 October 2022

07:00-17:00	Delegate Registration Opens Exhibition Hall 5-6
07:30-08:15	Co-Chairs & Presenters of the Day (Only) Breakfast Meeting <i>Lunchroom Hall 5</i> -6
07:30-08:15	VIP Breakfast Meeting — Opening Plenary Speakers (Only) <i>Grand Ballroom,</i> Convention Center Building
08:30	Opening Ceremony Grand Ballroom,

#### 08:30-09:30

#### Welcome Remarks and Kevnote Presenters

- Ms. Shannon McCarthy. IDA Secretary General
- Mr. Gumaroy Newman, Australian Welcome to Country
- ► Hon. Minister Tanya Plibersek MP, Minister for the Environment and Water, Australia (special remarks)
- Hon. Secretary John F. Kerry. Special Presidential Envoy for Climate Change, USA (special remarks)
- Hon. Sebastián Piñera Echeñique, Former President of Chile (special remarks)
- Mr. Carlos Cosin. IDA President. CEO. Almar Water Solutions
- H.E. Abdullah Ibrahim Al-Abdulkarim, Governor of Saudi Water Conversion Corporation
- Mrs. Louise Dudlev. AWA President
- Mr. Fady Juez, IDA World Congress Site Selection Committee Chairman, Managing Director, Metito
- H.E. Eng. Ahmed Mohammed Belajar Al Rumaithi, Undersecretary of Department of Energy (DOE) Abu Dhabi

#### 09:30-10:00

#### Passing of the WC Flag

#### 10:00-11:00

#### Desalination in Australia - A Success

Story: An Interactive Session on Australian Advanced Water Treatment, both Sea Water Desalination and Reuse

#### Moderators:

- Mr. Neil Palmer. Chief Technical Officer, Osmoflo
- Ms. Corinne Cheeseman, CEO, Australian Water Association

#### Panelists:

- Mr. Greig Mercer, WaterSure Plant Director, Victorian Desalination Plant Project
- Mr. Scott Murphy, Manager Operational Excellence, Veolia Australia and New Zealand
- Dr. Veronique Bonnelye, Process Coordinator, SUEZ Treatment Infrastructures
- Mr. Evan Hambleton, Assets Planning & Delivery Manager, Water Corporation
- Mr. Scott Chalmers, Eastern Regional Manager, Osmoflo
- Mr. Javier Artal, Plant Manager, Adelaide Desalination Plant

11:05-11:10	IDA Moonshot: Desalination by Atomic Power Professor John H. Lienhard V., Massachusetts Institute of Technology
11:10-11:15	IDA Moonshot: Being Water Positive  ► Mr. Alejandro Sturniolo, Global Head of Water Reuse & Strategic Partnerships, H20 Innovation
11:15-11:20	IDA Moonshot: The Future of Water ► Gavin Van Tonder, Water Sector Head, NEOM
11:20-11:25	Congress Overview  ▶ Dr. Mike Dixon, Technical Committee Chairman, CEO, Synauta
11:45	Ribbon Cutting Ceremony and Exhibition Opening/VIP Walkthrough Exhibition Hall 5-6
11:50-13:00	Lunch Break Lunchroom Exhibition Hall 5-6
14:00-17:30	Outback Discussion Program Outback Theater Exhibition Hall 5-6
14:00-17:30	Technical Program - 4 Parallel Sessions Exhibition Hall Theaters 1-4
15:30-16:00	PM Refreshment Break Exhibition Hall 5-6
18:30-19:45	Cocktail Reception Grand Ballroom Convention Center Building
19:45-22:00	Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony Grand Ballroom Convention Center Building

# **Congress - Day 2**

#### Tuesday, 11 October 2022

07:30-15:00	Delegate Registration / Information Desk Open <i>Exhibition Hall 5-6</i>
07:30-08:15	Co-Chairs & Presenters of the Day (Only) Breakfast Meeting

07:30-08:15	Leaders Summit Speakers Meeting Meeting Room, Foyer outside of E5.2 &.3, Exhibition Hall level 5
08:30- 17:30	Outback Discussion Program Outback Theater Exhibition Hall 5-6
08:30-18:00	Exhibition Hall 5-6 Open
08:30-17:30	Technical Program - 4 Parallel Sessions Exhibition Hall Theaters 1-4
09:00-17:30	Leaders Summit E5.2 &.3, Exhibition Hall level 5
10:30-11:00	Refreshment Break Exhibition Hall 5-6
13:00-14:00	Lunch Break Lunchroom Hall 5-6
14:00-17:30	Outback Discussion Program Outback Theater Exhibition Hall 5-6
15:30-16:00	Refreshment Break Exhibition Hall 5-6
18:30-20:30	Leaders Summit Reception (invitation only)

# **Congress - Day 3**

#### Wednesday, 12 October 2022

07:30-08:15	Co-Chairs & Presenters of the Day (Only) Breakfast Meeting, Lunchroom Hall 5-6
08:00-15:00	Information Desk Open Exhibition Hall 5-6
08:30-17:30	Outback Discussion Program Outback Theater Exhibition Hall 5-6

08:30-17:30	Technical Program - 4 Parallel Sessions Exhibition Hall Theaters 1-4
09:00-18:00	Exhibition Hall 5-6 Open
10:30-11:00	Refreshment Break Exhibition Hall 5-6
13:00-14:00	Lunch Break Lunchroom Hall 5-6
15:30-16:00	Refreshment Break Exhibition Hall 5-6
16:00-17:00	YLP Round Table Session Lunchroom Exhibition Hall 5-6
17:30-18:30	IDA Membership Meeting Outback Theater Exhibition Hall 5-6
18:30-19:30	Term 20 Board Meeting Room E3.1 & 2

# **Congress - Day 4**

#### Thursday, 13 October 2022

07:30-08:15	Co-Chairs & Presenters of the Day (Only) Breakfast Meeting Lunchroom Hall 5-6
08:30-15:00	Exhibition Hall 5-6 Open
09:00-12:00	Information Desk Open Exhibition Hall 5-6
08:30-17:30	Outback Discussion Program Outback Theater Exhibition Hall 5-6
09:00-12:30	Technical Program - 4 Parallel Sessions Exhibition Hall Theaters 1-4
10:30-11:00	Refreshment Break Exhibition Hall 5-6

#### **04** MASTER SCHEDULE

Closing Luncheon and Technical 13:00-15:00 Program Awards Lunchroom Exhibition Hall 5-6 Exhibition Hall 5-6 Breakdown 15:30

**Congress - Day 5** 

# Friday, 14 October 2022

Sydney Desalination Plant Tour 08:30-12:30



**UNESCO** Centre for Membrane 10:00-11:30 Science and Technology at UNSW Tour



# Technical Program & Schedule



# **05 TECHNICAL PROGRAM**

## Message on behalf of the WC Technical **Program Chairmen**

At long last, after several delays due to Covid, it is with great excitement I now welcome you to Sydney! We have some excellent technical content in store for you with over 200 oral presentations in the technical theaters and a handful of carefully tailored panel sessions to help you refresh your knowledge, learn new skills and keep up to date with the latest and greatest advancements in desalination and water reuse.

The technical program encompasses a carefully reviewed and vetted collection of papers. addressing a wide range of important issues facing the industry. As a Technical Program Committee we assembled a team of the very best in our industry who chose a selection of the most relevant topics to keep us all fully engaged during the program.

I would like to highlight two exciting areas withing the technical program. First is an in depth look at brine mining technologies, an important new interest area for our industry. How we can valorize our salty waste stream through minerals and metals extraction is an impactful new development over the last few years that has only been possible through the advancement of new technologies. Second is on digital desalination, including Artificial

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Intelligence, where we have seen equally impressive developments in our industry. We will hear form several authors presenting real world case studies where digital solutions have been proven via the successful deployment of this technology.

Inspired, influenced, and empowered by the spirit and vision of IDA's leadership, I am proud to lead this program with my co-chairs of the 2022 Technical Program Committee, Mr. Fady Juez, Professor John Lienhard, Mr. Victor Verbeek and, Mr. Greg Wetterau. I also thank the multicultural, gender, and age-balanced WC 2022 Technical Program Committee, highly focused on human capital empowerment, efficiency, and excellence. All have worked tirelessly to make the 2022 World Congress Technical Program inspiring for all our delegates.

And finally, I thank all delegates and authors for their innovative ideas, suggestions, and challenges they bring to Sydney this year. Sincerely.

Dr. Mike Dixon, World Congress 2022 Technical Program Co-Chair

# **Meet the Chairmen**

The World Congress will feature a four day technical, four track technical program. As well as a high-level plenary sessions, business roundtable discussions, Leaders Summit, Innovation Forum, and plant tours.

The Congress Technical Program Committee is led by five distinguished members of the IDA Board of Directors, serving as the Technical Program Committee Co-Chairs. They have formed a dynamic technical committee of 30 members from around the globe.



Prof. John H. Lienhard V



**Dr. Mike Dixon**Synauta



**Mr. Fady Juez**Metito



**Mr. Greg Wetterau** CDM Smith



Mr. Victor Verbeek Toray

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- Mr. Guillaume Clairet, H2O Innovation
- Mr. Alistair Munro, Gaia Wind
- Dr. Victor Monsalvo, FCC Aqualia
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- Prof. Tony G Fane Ph. D, University of New South Wales
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- Mr. Felix Wang, Gradiant
- Prof. David Warsinger, Purdue University
- Dr. Domingo Zarzo, SACYR

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- Mr. Guillaume Clairet. H2O Innovation
- Mr. Antonio Casañas. DuPont
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- Dr. Belén Gutierrez, GS Inima
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- Mr. Ties Venema, Piedmont
- Mr. Victor Verbeek, Toray Membrane
- Eng. Nikolay Voutchkov, Water Globe Consultants, LLC
- Ass. Prof. Muhammad Wakil Shahzad, Northumbria University, UK.
- Mr. Greg Wetterau, CDM Smith, Inc.

# Session Categories and Topics

The Call for Papers resulted in over 300 abstracts from countries across the globe. Selected for oral presentation technical papers will be presented in 38 sessions in the following categories and topics:

01	Seawater and Brackish Water Desalination	02	Water Reuse, Potable and Non- Potable including Public Outreach
03	Industrial Water and Wastewater Treatment	04	Coupling Desalination and Renewable Energy
05	Emerging Technologies, Emerging Issues and Emerging Contaminants	06	Membrane Science
07	Environment and Sustainability	80	Governance, Finance, and Project Delivery
09	Thermal Desalination	10	Pre-Treatment and Post Treatment
11	Plant Operations and Digitization	12	Brine Management and Resource Recovery

# Day 1 Monday

10 October 2022

13:00 - 17:20

# **THEATER 1**

5.3 Emerging Contaminants in Desalination and Water Reuse

# **THEATER 2**

1.1 Seawater Plant Case Studies and Process Improvements

# **THEATER 3**

1.3 Novel Approaches to Design and Operation

3.4 Semiconductor

# **THEATER 4**

3.5 Oil & Gas

2.2 Non-Potable Water Reuse Studies and Projects

## 5.3 Emerging Contaminants in Desalination and Water Reuse

### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Rodrigo Segovia. Chief Technical Officer. Almar Water Solutions

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Rama Jagwani, General Manager, **PROJECX**
- Dr. Mike Dixon, CEO, Synauta

#### 13:00 - 13:20

Using RO for Removal of PFAS and Other CECS from a Wastewater Impacted Surface Water

▶ Presenter: Mr. Greg Wetterau, Vice President, CDM Smith

#### 13:25 - 13:45

Continous Online Monitoring for Potable Water

Presenter: Dr. Sai Sudhakaran, Sr. Staff Scientist, NALCO Water

#### 13:50 - 14:10

Abundance of Microplastics from Human Activities to Water Environment

▶ Presenter: Dr. Jieun Lee, Research Professor, Pusan National University

#### 14:15 - 14:35

Design and Integration of Ozonation in Treatment Train for Micropollutant Removal and Urban Wastewater Reuse

Presenter: Mrs. Sylvie Baig, Head of Scientific Innovation, SUEZ International, France

#### 14:40 - 15:00

Hybrid RO, Softening & Chromium Cr(Vi) Remediation

Presenter: Dr. Mohammad Alizadehfard, CEO. OSMOTEC

#### 15:05 - 15:25

Multiple Point Ozonation for Micropollutants Removal from Wastewater: A Full-Scale Demonstration from Denmark

 Presenter: Dr. Ronan Guillossou, Process Design Engineer, SUEZ

#### 15:30 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

PFAS Removal with Thin Film Nanocomposite Reverse Osmosis Membranes

 Presenter: Mr. Eugene Rozenbaoum, Director of Engineering - Americas and Europe, LG NanoH2O

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Remove Oil Contamination of Seawater by Aerogels

 Presenter: Dr. Mohammad Alizadehfard, CEO. OSMOTEC

#### 16:50 - 17:10

A Critical Control Point Approach to Management of Water Quality Chemical Risks

 Presenter: Dr. Kathy Northcott, R&D Manager, Veolia Australia New Zealand

# 1.1 Seawater Plant Case Studies and Process **Improvements**

# **Topic Chair:**

Prof. Stephen Gray, Executive Director, Institute for Sustainable Industries and Liveable Cities

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Jorge Malfeito. R&D Director Water. ACCIONA
- Mrs. Olga Sallangos, Plant Manager, Caramondani Desalination Plants LTD

#### 13:00 - 13:20

Improving the Performance of A Severely Biofouled Seawater Reverse Osmosis Facility Using the Latest in Chemical Technology - A Case Study

Presenter: Mr. Kunihiro Hayakawa, Manager, Kurita Water Industries, LTD

#### 13:25-13:45

Water for Fodder Initiative: Use of Desalination to Provide Drought Relief in Australia

Presenter: Mr. Javier Artal Gonzalez, Plant Manager, ACCIONA

#### 13:50 - 14:10

O&M Start Up: Maintenance Challenges

Presenter: Mr. Javier Artal, Plant Manager, Acciona Agua, Spain

#### 14:15 - 14:35

Evolution of First Pass Membrane Configuration at A Large Scale Desalination Plant

Presenter: Mr. Thomas Ransome, Operations Manager, Sacyr Water

#### 14:40 - 15:00

Through Disasters -Resilience Reinstatement and Subsequent Restart of the Sydney Desalination Plant

Presenter: Mr. Reece Karamihas, Senior Enginee, Sydney Desalination Plant Ptv Ltd

#### 15:05 - 15:25

Technology and Innovation Hand to Hand With Sustainability. Best Practices in Atacama

Presenter: Dr. Belén Gutiérrez. Head of Desalination Area, R&D Department, GS INIMA FNVIRONMENT

#### 15:30 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Nanostone Water Innovative Ceramic Membrane technology in Water Treatment **Applications** 

Presenter: Mr. Aatman Shah, Business Development Director (MENA), Nanostone Water

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Tuas Desalination Plant

Presenter: Mrs. Constanze Simmermacher, Project Manager / Design Manager, Jacobs

#### 16:50 - 17:10

Performance Study of Sulfuric Acid Shocks in Reverse Osmosis Membranes

Presenter: Mr. Javier Artal Gonzalez, Plant Manager, ACCIONA

## 1.3 Novel Approaches to Design and Operation

## **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Rami S. Abu Amirah, Global Manager -Ultrafiltration Technology, DuPont

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Fady Juez, Managing Director, Metito **Overseas**
- Dr. Belén Gutiérrez, Head of Desalination Area, R&D Department, GS INIMA **FNVIRONMENT**

#### 13:00 - 13:20

Enhanced Biofouling Resistance, Energy Savings and Higher Flux Operation Through New FilmTecTM NF270-440 Membrane

Presenter: Mr. Gerin James. Global MBR Marketing Manager, Regional SEA/ANZ Marketing Manager, DuPont

#### 13:25 - 13:45

Design Strategies for Reducing Energy and Total Costs for Large Scale Seawater Reverse Osmosis **Plants** 

Presenter: Mr. Kenneth Chao, Applications Engineer, LG Chem

#### 13:50 - 14:10

Energy Recovery Devices in Advanced and Emerging Reverse Osmosis Applications

Presenter: Dr. Richard Stover, VP of Technology, Gradiant

#### 14:15 - 14:35

Four Simple Innovations to Reduce CO2 Emissions on Large SWRO Plants

Presenter: Mr. Stephen Chesters, VP and Managing Director, H2O Innovation

#### 14:40 - 15:00

Temporally Multi-Staged Batch Counterflow Reverse Osmosis for High Recovery Desalination

 Presenter: Prof. David Warsinger, Assistant Professor, Purdue University

#### 15:05 - 15:25

Use of Nanofiltration for Toc Removal while Optimizing Recovery on a Brackish Water Source

► Presenter: Mr. Mohannad Malki, Technical Director, American Water Chemicals

#### 15:30 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Validation of a Method For Modeling Brine and Permeate PH in RO and NF Systems Reverse Osmosis Plants Performance Index

 Presenter: Mr. Michael Bourke, VP Business Development, Wigen Water Technologies

#### 3.4 Semiconductor

# **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Borja Blanco, CEO, Aqua Advise

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Roberto Mangano, Managing Director, ILF Consulting Engineers Abu Dhabi
- Prof. Long Ngheim, Professor, Director of the Centre for Technology in Water and Wastewater, University of Technology Sydney

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Advanced New RO Membrane Having High Rejection for Small Neutral Substance

 Presenter: Mr. Hiroki Minehara, Professional Researcher, Toray

#### 16:50 - 17:10

On-Site Evaluation of Biocide Combination for Biofouling Mitigation

 Presenter: Dr. Lu Yinghong, Chief Research Engineer, Kurita R&D Asia Pte Lt

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#### 3.5 Oil & Gas

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Borja Blanco, CEO, Agua Advise

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Roberto Mangano, Mangaina Director. ILF Consulting Engineers Abu Dhabi
- Prof. Long Ngheim, Professor, Director of the Centre for Technology in Water and Wastewater, University of Technology Sydney

#### 13:00 - 13:20

Membrane Distillation as an Environmentally Friendly Desalination System for Petroleum Refinery's Wastewater Reuse - A Technical And Environmental Case Study

Presenter: Dr. Mahdi Jalayer, Head of Basic Design and Senior Research Specialist / Technology Development Advisor, Bandar Abbas Oil Refining Company-Iran / OSMOTEC - Australia

#### 13:25 - 13:45

Using Direct Contact Condenser in a Wastewater Treatment System for Removal of Organic Contaminants

Presenter: Prof. Bahman Abbasi. Assistant Professor, Oregon State University

#### 13:50 - 14:10

Water for Hydrogen Production: Challenges and Opportunities Supported by Real- World Case Studies

Presenter: Mr. Brendan Dagg, Process Engineer, GHD

# 2.2 Non-Potable Water Reuse Studies and **Projects**

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Dr. Domingo Zarzo, Innovation and Strategic Projects Manager, Sacyr Water

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Monica Boodhan, Lecturer, the University of Trinidad and Tobago
- Mr. Aleiandro Sturniolo. Global Head of Water Reuse & Strategic Partnerships, H2O Innovation

#### 14:15 - 14:35

Anderson Road Quarry Development Grey Water Treatment Plant -- A Triumph on Recycled Grey Water in Hong Kong Sar

Presenter: Mr. Colin Chan, Technical Director, Binnies Hona Kona Limited

#### 14:40 - 15:00

Application of LG New Generation Thin-Film Nanocomposite Membrane to Wastewater Treatment in a Steel Plant

Presenter: Mr. Younghoon Ko, Engineering and TS Team Leader, LG Chem

#### 15:05 - 15:25

Biofilm Cleaner Improves Effluent WWRO Membrane Plant Operation

Presenter: Mrs. Nuria Peña, Technical Assistant, H2O Innovation, Spain

#### 15:30 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Nutrient Recovery from Brackish Groundwater with Monovalent Selective Electrodialysis and Nanofiltration

Presenter: Mr. Samuel Heath, Graduate Research Assistant, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Smart-Ferti-Reuse - A Smart Decision Tool For Fertigation of Agricultural Crops: Assessment of Treated Water Quality

▶ Presenter: Dr. Chrystelle Ayache, Project Manager, Veolia

#### 16:55 - 17:15

From Chaos to Harmony With Double Diamond Establishing a Modern Performance Function for Old Plants

Presenter: Dr. Tariq Nada, Chief Technical Officer, KSA Portfolio, ACWA Power



# Day 2 Tuesday

11 October 2022

08:30 - 18:00

# **THEATER 1**

1.2 Brackish Plant Case Studies and Process Improvements

1.3 Novel Approaches to Design and Operation

1.4 Intakes and Outfalls

1.5 Planning for Major City, State and Country Desalination Upgrades

# THEATER 2

2.1 Potable Water Reuse Studies and Projects

4.4 Cutting Edge Research in Desalination and Renewable Energy

# **THEATER 3**

9.2 Thermodynamics of Thermal Systems

**6.1 Advances in Membrane Chemistry and Efficiency** 

# THEATER 4

10.1 Pretreatment Processes Including Media Filtration, Ultrafiltration and other Methods

10.2 Risks to Pretreatment Efficiency such as Harmful Algae Bloom Projects

# 1.2 Brackish Plant Case Studies and Process Improvements

# **Topic Chair:**

 Dr. Veronique Bonnelye, Technical Support Manager, SUEZ International

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Antonio Casañas, Senior Key Account Manager, DuPont Water Solutions Mr.
- Mr. Daniele Strongone, Business Manager, American Water Chemicals

#### 08:30 - 08:50

Sustainability and Cost of Water Savings Through New High Rejection FilmTec™BW30XHR PRO-440 Membrane For Seawater Desalination

 Presenter: Mr. Harith Alomar, Global Desalination Marketing Leader & Large Projects, DuPont

#### 08:55 - 09:15

RO Project with Higher Capacity and Its Delivery,

Presenter: ACWA Power

# 1.3 Novel Approaches to Design and Operation

# **Topic Chair:**

 Prof. John H. Lienhard V, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Joan Galtes, Commercial Managing Director SER & LAM, TALIS Group
- Dr. Victor Monsalvo, Head of Eco-efficiency Area, Innovation and Technology, Aqualia

#### 09:20 - 09:40

A Leap Forward in RO Membrane Pressure Vessel Service Life. Performance. Safety & Reliability - A New Best Practice Guide

Presenter: Mr. Sean McCagh, Engineer, RO-TFG

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Parallel High-Pressure Pumps for Energy Savings in Desalination

Presenter: Dr. Georg Herborg, Director of Innovation, Danfoss

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

A Proposed Safe Design of the Reverse Osmosis System

Presenter: Mrs. Maria Eugenia Beltran, Desalination Department Manager, ILF Consulting Engineers

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Advanced Rejuvenation Protocol with Chemical Agent for the Deteriorated RO Membrane

Presenter: Mr. Yoshiaki Ito. Research Manager, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.

#### 1.4 Intakes and Outfalls

## **Topic Chair:**

 Dr. Emilio Gabbrielli, International Water Advisor

## **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Steven Lam, Director, New Products Initiative, Gradiant
- Mr. Scott Murphy, General Manager QLD, Veolia Australia & New Zealand

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Proper Design of Intakes and Outfalls to Avoid Main Risks During Operation

Presenter: Mr. Eloy Pita, CEO, INCREA

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Relationship Between the Desalination Plant Intake Tunnel Condition, Intake Flow, and Shock Dosing

 Presenter: Mr. Rongtao Liu, Operation Support Engineer/ Environment Manager, Adelaide Desalination Plant

# 1.5 Planning for Major City, State and Country Desalination Upgrades

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Dr. Emilio Gabbrielli, International Water Advisor

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Steven Lam, Director, New Products Initiative, Gradiant
- Mr. Scott Murphy, General Manager QLD, Veolia Australia & New Zealand

#### 12:40 - 13:00

Seawater Intakes Prefiltration for Resilient Projects

 Presenter: Mr. Lars Späth, Head of Global Water Segment WPS, Passavant- Geiger GmbH

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:50

Desalination Responses for Greater Sydney Planned During the 2017-2020 Drought

► Presenter: Mr. Francois Neser, Senior Associate, Jacobs

#### 14:55 - 15:15

First Stage Tseung Kwan O Seawater Desalination Plant -- The New Strategic Water Source for Hong Kong

 Presenter: Mr. Patrick Mak, Resident Engineer, Binnies Hong Kong, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, Republic of China

#### 15:20 - 15:40

Greater Sydney Water Strategy - Toward Greater Drought Resilience

Presenter: Dr. Dennis Cho, Principal Process Engineer, Jacobs Group Australia

#### 15:40 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Here, There or Everywhere: A Comparison of Centralised and Decentralised Desalination Schemes

Presenter: Ms. Rebecca Argento, Process Engineer, GHD

#### 16:25 - 16:45

RO: History, Benefits & Limitations

Presenter: Dr. Val Frenkel, Vice President, **GRELEY and HANSEN** 

#### 16:50 - 17:10

State of Desalination In Pakistan - Recent Trends and Future Prospects

Presenter: Mr. Jawwad Ahmed. Business Development Manager in Prime Chemicals Corporation (Pvt) Ltd.

### 2.1 Potable Water Reuse Studies and Projects

## **Topic Chair:**

 Mr. Jim Lozier, VP, Global Tech Leader for Desalination, Jacobs

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Ass. Prof. Muhammad Wakil Shahzad, Northumbria University, UK.
- ► Dr. Heike Glade, Head of Research Group, University of Bremen

#### 08:30 - 08:50

Beenyup Advanced Water Recycling Plant Stage 2: Construction, Commissioning and Integration with Stage 1

Presenter: Ms. Lisa Chan, Innovation & Improvement Manager, SUEZ

#### 08:55 - 09:15

Implementing Direct Potable Reuse for the City of Los Angeles

 Presenter: Mr. Greg Wetterau, Vice President, CDM Smith

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Direct Potable Reuse Combining Tertiary Effluent with Seawater Reverse Osmosis: An Opportunity for a Synergy

 Presenter: Mr. Alvaro Lagartos, Senior Application Engineer, LG Chem

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Energy Recovery System and its Impact on the Copiapó SWRO Plant: A "Real World" Lifecycle cost Analysis

Mr. Rolando Bosleman, Technical Director, Water Applications, Energy Recovery, Inc.

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Innovative Potable Reuse AWTF puts WRD of Southern California Closer to Water Independence

 Presenter: Mr. Mark Donovan, North American Water Treatment & Desalination Lead, GHD

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Innovative Process to Produce Drinking Water from Wastewater for Small & Isolated Communities

 Presenter: Dr. Philippe Sauvignet, Industrialization Manager, Veolia

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Jourdain: Paving the Way Towards Planned Indirect Potable Reuse in France

Presenter: Mr. Yvan Poussade, Product Owner - Water Reuse. Veolia

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Satisfying PRW Stakeholder Expectations --Lessons for Engineers and Project Leaders

 Presenter: Mr. Andrew Layson, Senior Principal Water Engineer, Jacobs

#### 12:40 - 13:00

Small-Scale and Household Methods to Remove Salinity & Hardness from Drinking Water - A Case Study of Abyek Qazvin

 Presenter: Dr. Mohammad Alizadehfard, CEO in OSMOTEC

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:50

The Beenyup Advanced Water Recycling Plant -- Australia's First Large Indirect Potable Reuse Plant

 Presenter: Mr. Keith Andes, Pacific Rim Technical Manager, Nitto Hydranautics

# 4.4 Cutting Edge Research in Desalination and Renewable Energy

## **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Kevin Price, Principal, AWTT, LLC

#### **05** TECHNICAL PROGRAM & SCHEDULE

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Taria Nada, Chief Technical Officer, KSA Portfolio, ACWA Power
- Mr. Ties Venema, Group Vice President & Managing Director S3C, H2O Innovation

#### 14:55 - 15:15

Multifunctional Osmotic Battery for Desalination and Grid Energy Storage

Presenter: Dr. Qianhong She, Assistant Professor, Singapore Membrane Technology Centre (SMTC)

#### 15:20 - 15:40

Life Hyreward Project: Hybrid S for Renewable Energy Production System Desalination Brine

Presenter: Ms. Patricia Terrero. R&D Manager, Sacyr Water

#### 15:40 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Robust Control and Experimental Validation of a Direct Drive Photovoltaic Electrodialysis Desalination System

Presenter: Mr. Jonathan Bessette. Graduate Research Assistant, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Wave-Powered Desalination: A Sustainable Way to Increase Resilience to Water Scarcity

Presenter: Ms. Camille St-Pierre. Commercial Manager, Oneka Technologies

#### 16:50 - 17:10

Experience with the New Flex Rotary Energy Recovery Device

Presenter: Mr. Beat Schneider, Director Global Desalination, Flowserve

#### 17:15 - 17:35

Retrofit in an Ultrapure Water Treatment Plant for a Thermosolar Power Plant in the South of Spain.

Presenter: Mr. Raul Lemes, Operation Director - International, Sacyr Agua

## 9.2 Thermodynamics of Thermal Systems

### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Thomas Altmann, EVP - Innovation & New Technology, ACWA Power

#### **Session Chairs:**

 Ass. Prof. Muhammad Wakil Shahzad. Northumbria University, UK.

#### 08:30 - 08:50

Computational Fluid Dynamics Modeling of Novel Multi-Effect Membrane Distillation System

Presenter: Mr. Rishabh Srivastava, PhD Scholar, Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar

#### 08:55 - 09:15

Energy Recovery in Thermals Desalination Systems: A Way Forward to Improved Comprehensive Performance

Presenter: Mr. Muhammad Ahmad. PhD Student in Northumbria University

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Pilot Testing of Advanced MED Technology for Seawater Desalination

Presenter: Prof. Abdel Nasser Mabrouk, Senior Scientist, Qatar Environment and Energy Research Institute

#### 09:45 - 10:15

An Innovative Self-Cleaning Floating Solar Still for Low-Cost Water Desalination in Remote Areas

Presenter: Mr. Milad Mohsenzadeh. PhD Candidate, The University of Melbourne

#### 10:20 - 10:30 AM Break

# 05 TECHNICAL PROGRAM & SCHEDULE

#### 11:00 - 11:20

The Myalup-Wellington Story - Is Help on the Horizon for Western Australian Horticulture, Dairy and Beef Farmers?

 Presenter: Mr. Daniel, Visser, Technical Director – Water Treatment & Desalination, GHD

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Solar Thermal High Efficiency-High Recovery Multi Effect Hybridized with Nanofiltration-Membrane Distillation Emets

 Presenter: Mr. Leon Awerbuch, CEO, International Desalination Consulting Associates

# **6.1** Advances in Membrane Chemistry and Efficiency

### **Topic Chair:**

 Prof. HK Shon, Professor in School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Technology Sydney

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Hoon Hyung, President, LG Water Solutions
- Dr. Miller Truby, Technical Sales Associate, Synauta

#### 11:50 - 12:10

3D-Printing of Desalination Device with Anti-Fouling Nanocellulose Membrane

 Presenter: Dr. Liang Ying, Research Engineer, National University of Singapore

#### 12:15 - 12:35

A New Generation of Multi-Capillary PES Membrane

 Presenter: Mr. Harith Alomar, Global Desalination Marketing Leader & Large Projects, DuPont

#### 12:40 - 13:00

Aminated Silica Grafted Carbon Nanotube-Based Membranes for Oily Wastewater Treatment

 Presenter: Ms. Mariam Ouda, PhD Student, Khalifa University

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:50

20% Internal Renewable Energy Powering RO Plant

Presenter: ACWA Power

#### 14:55 - 15:15

Desalination and Anti-Biofouling Performance of Graphene and Iron Nanoparticle Coated Membranes

 Presenter: Mrs. Julia Madueño, Student, Instituto Tecnologico de Sonora

#### 15:20 - 15:40

Development of Anti-Fouling High Pressure RO and Application to ZLD Process

 Presenter: Mr. Tomotsugu Miyabe, Chief Researcher, Nitto Denko Corporation

#### 15:40 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Development of Hollow Fiber Asymmetric Membrane for Osmotically Assisted Reverse Osmosis (OARO) Applicable to Brine Concentration and Its Long-Term Experimental Study

Presenter: Mr. Takahito Nakao, Senior Engineer, Toyobo Co., Ltd.

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Next-Generation Membranes: Printing Polyamide Thin-Film Composite Membranes Using Electrospray Technique

 Presenter: Mr. Shiyang Huang, Ph.D. candidate, University of New South Wales

#### 16:50 - 17:10

Novel Perforated-Pillar Spacer for Fouling Mitigation and Enhanced Hydrodynamics in Spiral Wound Modules

 Presenter: Dr. Sarah Kerdi, Research Scientist, KAUST

#### 17:15 - 17:35

LoWatt: A Highly Resilient and Efficient Design Philosophy

Presenter: Dr. Giancarlo Barassi,
 Desalination and Reuse Market Manager,
 Aquatech International

# **THEATER 4**

# 10.1 Pretreatment Processes Including Media Filtration, Ultrafiltration and other Methods

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Mrs. Lindsey Brown, Australian Market Leader - Water at GHD | A GHD Principal I WaterAid Ambassador I GAICD

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Ms. Naomi Jones, Integrated Design Director, McCarthy Building Companies
- Mr. Javier Suarez, Technical Service & Development Leader, South Asia - DuPont Water Solutions

#### 08:30 - 08:50

AOM Characterization and Removal Efficiency Using Various SWRO Pretreatment Techniques

Presenter: Dr. Mohammed Al-Namazi,
 Deputy Executive Director in DTRI, Saline
 Water Conversion Corporation

#### 08:55 - 09:15

Best Value Solutions for Desalination Pretreatments: Towards Enhanced Flotation

 Presenter: Ms. Caroline Barbé, Desalination Process Engineer, SUEZ

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Breakthrough Solution Against Biofouling at Maspalomas I Desalination Plant Demonstrates the Efficiency of DuPontTM B-FreeTM Pre-Treatment

Presenter: Dr. Guillem Gilabert Oriol. Technical Leader, DuPont

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Case Study: The Use of a Novel Antiscalant to Prevent Iron Fouling in a Brackish Water RO System

Presenter: Mr. Daniele Strongone, Business Manager, American Water Chemicals

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Commissioning in Times of Corona: Remote Assistance over Four Time Zones and 11,000 Km Distance Pretreatment Processes Including Media Filtration, Ultrafiltration and other Methods

Presenter: Mr. Frans Knops, Product Manager, Pentair

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Innovative Concept for Ultrafiltration Systems: Integration of Ultrafiltration Cartridges and Strainer in a Single Vessel. Case Study: Barge 150.000 m3/d

Presenter: Ms. Marta Otegui Martínez, Engineering & Quality Director, Fluytec

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Multibore® In-Out Ultrafiltration Replacement for Horizontal Membrane Systems Relation Between Pulse Bubble Aeration and Cake Layer Fouling Removal in Submerged Membrane Systems

Presenter: Mr. Jan Radel, Technical Manager, **DuPont Water Solutions** 

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Relation Between Pulse Bubble Aeration and Cake Layer Fouling Removal in Submerged Membrane Systems

Presenter: Dr. Elham Radaei, Senior Water Engineer, KBR

#### 12:40 - 13:00

Robustness and Efficiency of an Integrated Flotation-Filtration Pretreatment for Seawater Desalination

Presenter: Mr. Jorge Malfeito-Sanchez, R&D Director Water, ACCIONA

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:50

Submerged UF Membranes Pre-Treatment at the Adelaide Desalination Plant Vs Similar Projects with DAF

Presenter: Mr. Huw Lazaredes, Applications Development Manager, DuPont

#### 14:55 - 15:15

The Initiatives of Operation Excellence of Pretreatment System in Ras Al Khair SWRO Plant

Presenter: Dr. Byungsung Park, Senior Desalination Expert, Saline Water Conversion Corporation

#### 15:20 - 15:40

Umm Al Houl SWRO Plant Ultra-Daf® Optimization for Turbidity Removal

Presenter: Mr. Javier Artal Gonzalez, Plant Manager, ACCIONA

#### 15:40 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Validation of AFM Filtration Media Pretreatment of the RO Process in Alicante Desalination Plant

Presenter: Dr. Domingo Zarzo, Innovation and Strategic Projects Manager, Sacyr Water

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Washable Microfiber Disc Filter for Pretreatment

Presenter: Mr. Seokho Choi. CEO. PurifiedU

#### 16:50 - 17:10

The Perils of Using Chloramines for Pretreatment of Water Reuse RO

Presenter: Mr. Mohannad Malki, Technical Director, American Water Chemicals

## 10.2 Risks to Pretreatment Efficiency such as **Harmful Algae Blooms**

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mrs. Lindsev Brown. Australian Market Leader - Water at GHD | A GHD Principal I WaterAid Ambassador I GAICD

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Ms. Naomi Jones, Integrated Design Director, McCarthy Building Companies
- Mr. Javier Suarez, Technical Service & Development Leader, South Asia - DuPont Water Solutions

#### 17:15 - 17:35

Biofouling Risks Control by Reducing the Environmental Footprint and Optimising RO Plant Performance

Presenter: Mr. Harry Polman, Managing Director, H2O Biofouling Solutions B.V.

# Day 3 Wednesday

12 October 2022

08:30 - 18:00

# **THEATER 1**

5.1 Emerging Technologies in Desalination and Water Reuse

# **THEATER 2**

7.2 Environmental Impact Assessments

11.1 Big Data and Data Monitoring in Desalination

12.1 Recovery of Minerals from Seawater

# **THEATER 3**

12.3 Novel Treatment Processes for Resource Recovery

12.2 Recovery of Minerals from Industrial Brines

8.1 Project Delivery Models for Big-Desal

# **THEATER 4**

3.6 Coal Industry Wastewater

9.1 Long Term Case Studies

1.1 Seawater Plant Cases Studies and Process Improvements

# **5.1** Emerging Technologies in Desalination and Water Reuse

# **Topic Chair:**

 Prof. David Warsinger, Assistant Professor, Purdue University

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Jaichander Swaminathan, Research Assistant, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
- Mrs. Esther Gonzalez, Business
   Development, M&A, Strategy, AquaAdvise

#### 08:30 - 08:50

A Comparison of Membrane-Based Brine Concentration Systems: An Analysis of OARO and LSRRO

 Presenter: Dr. Andrew Bouma, PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

#### 08:55 - 09:15

Batch Reverse Osmosis Pilot Demonstration and Commercial Applications

 Presenter: Dr. Quantum Wei, Co-founder, Harmony Desal

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Development of Forward Osmosis Membrane with Cellulose Triacetate Hollow Fibers for Enhancement of Desalination Performance

Presenter: Mr. Yuki Miura, Manager, TOYOBO CO., LTD.

#### 09:45 - 10:15

From Care and Maintenance to 100% Production and Back Again - Lessons from the Gold Coast and Sydney Desalination Plants

 Presenter: Mrs. Tina Feenstra, General Manager, Water Queensland, Veolia

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Electromagnetic Field as a Tool in Enhancing Water Desalination Processes

Presenter: Dr. Emad Alhseinat, Assistant Professor, Khalifa Uinversity

#### 11:25 - 11:45

High Recovery Membrane Brine Concentration

Presenter: Dr. Richard Stover, VP of Technology, Gradiant

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Manipulation of Ion and Water Permeabilities Across Salt Rejecting Membranes Using Magnetic Fields

Presenter: Prof. Jonathan Brant, Professor, University of Wyoming

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Multi-Barrier Process Purification for Contaminants of Emerging Concern Removal

Presenter: Mr. Alejandro Sturniolo, Global Head of Water Reuse & Strategic Partnerships, H2O Innovation

#### 12:40 - 13:00

New PX, Pressure Exchanger, Energy Recovery Device: Improving and Optimizing Performance Over the PX-Q300 for Greater Energy Saving

Presenter: Mr. David Kim-Hak, Sr Director of Product, Energy Recovery Inc.

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:50

Membrane Design of a Subsea Desalination

Presenter: Mr. Borja Blanco, CEO, Aqua **Advise** 

#### 14:55 - 15:15

Rewaise - A Smart Water Ecosystem for a Sustainable and Efficient Water Cycle in Europe

 Presenter: Dr. Victor Monsalvo, Head of Ecoefficiency Area, Innovation and Technology, Aqualia

#### 15:20 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Validation of Recycled UF Membranes for RO Pretreatment Process

 Presenter: Dr. Domingo Zarzo, Innovation and Strategic Projects Manager, Sacyr Water

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Toward the Validation of the World S Largest MDC Technology for Low Energy Drinking Water Production

 Presenter: Dr. Victor Monsalvo, Head of Ecoefficiency Area, Innovation and Technology, Aqualia

#### 16:50 - 17:10

Stand-Alone, Portable Desalination System Based on Ion Concentration Polarization

 Presenter: Dr. Junghyo Yoon, Postdoctoral Associate, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

#### 17:15 - 17:35

Membrane Based Brine Concentration Solutions and Concentrated Brine Reuse Experiences

 Presenter: Mr. Eugenio Páez, Head of Urban Water & Wastewater Treatment, TYPSA

#### 17:40 - 18:00

BIM and the Lifecycle Digitization, the Steps Towards the Future

 Presenter: Dr. Victor Monsalvo, Head of Ecoefficiency Area, Innovation and Technology, Aqualia

#### **THEATER 2**

#### 7.2 Environmental Impact Assessments

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Ms. Naomi Jones, Integrated Design Director, McCarthy Building Companies

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Christine Kleffner, Research Associate (Postdoc), TH Köln
- Mrs. Ursula Annunziata, President EDS, Executive Advisor at H2O Innovation

#### 08:30 - 08:50

Reverse Osmosis Plants Performance Index

 Presenter: Mr. Amr Seoudy, CEO & Founder, Water Treatment Consulting Office (WTCO)

#### 08:55 - 09:15

Virtual Power Plant and Virtual Water Plant

 Mr. Sebastiano Onnis, Energy and Climate Engineering Manager, ILF Consulting Engineers

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Multi-Criteria Analysis for Sustainable Development of Desalination Plants in Chile

 Presenter: Mr. Raul Lemes, Operation Director, Sacyr

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Positive Futures as Decision-Support Tools for Urban Water Planning

 Presenter: Ms. Varsha Sivagurunathan,
 Postgraduate Student, The University of New South Wales

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

A Thermodynamic Platform for Evaluating Energy Efficiency of Multifarious Desalination Processes

 Presenter: Prof. Kim Choon NG, Professor, KAUST

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Membrane Autopsy and Targeted Cleaning with Specialty Cleaners

Presenter: Dr. Amit Sankhe, Product Development Manager, PWT Chemicals

#### 11.3 Digital Twins in Desalination

#### **Topic Chair:**

Prof. Tonv G Fane Ph. D. University of New South Wales

#### Session Chairs:

- ▶ Dr. Antonella De Luca, Head of Competence Center Environmental Solutions.Omva
- Mr. Juan Miguel Pinto, Director, Sales and Strategy, Americas, Energy Recovery

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Digital Services Applied to Desalination Plants: Process Guidance, Problem Detection, Operating Point Optimization Presenter: Mr. Jean-Baptiste Thubert, CTO, Veolia Water Technologies

#### 11.1 Big Data and Data Monitoring in Desalination

#### **Topic Chair:**

Prof. Tony G Fane Ph. D, University of New South Wales

#### **Session Chairs:**

- ▶ Dr. Antonella De Luca, Head of Competence Center Environmental Solutions, Omya
- Mr. Juan Miguel Pinto, Director, Sales and Strategy, Americas, Energy Recovery

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Designing Digital for Desalination Delivery

Presenter: Dr. Jesus Ortiz, Business Development Manager, ACCIONA Agua

#### 12:40 - 13:00

An AHP Model to Select Remineralization Process in the Desalination Industry

Presenter: Mr. Mohsen Al-Salmi, CEO, Shuaibah Water and Electricity Company

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:50

Plant Performance Optimization Using Smartopstm

Presenter: Dr. Jia Shin Ho, NPI Scientist, Gradiant

#### 12.1 Recovery of Minerals from Seawater

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Felix Wana. VP of Marketina. Gradiant

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Greg Wetterau, Vice President, CDM Smith
- Eng. Nikolay Voutchkov, President, Water Globe Consultants, LLC

#### 14:55 - 15:15

Circular Processing of Seawater Brines from Saltworks for Recovery of Valuable Raw Materials (Searcularmine): Project Update

Presenter: Ms. Delia Pastorelli. Process Engineer, SUEZ

#### 15:20 - 15:40 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Investigating the Salt Crystallization Phenomena of Red Sea and Arabian Gulf SWRO Brines by Solar Evaporation

Presenter: Mr. Ammar Alnumani, Researcher, Saline Water Conversion Corporation (SWCC)

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Investigating the Potential For Closed Circuit Reverse Osmosis (CCRO) to Reduce Concentrate Flows on a Future Inland Water Reuse Application

Presenter: Mr. Christian Sanders. Environmental Engineer, CDM Smith

#### 16:50 - 17:10

Pilot Scale Demonstration of Desalination of Acid Mine Drainage Water From an Australian Coal Mine

Presenter: Mr. Neil Palmer, Chief Technology Officer. Osmoflo

#### 17:15 -17:35

Long-term operating results of membrane brine concentration system integrated with a Seawater Reverse osmosis desalination plant.

Presenter: Mr. Keith Lampi, President, FTS, Inc.

#### **THEATER 3**

#### 12.3 Novel treatment processes for resource recovery

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Felix Wang, VP of Marketing, Gradiant

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Greg Wetterau, Vice President, CDM Smith
- Eng. Nikolay Voutchkov, President, Water Globe Consultants, LLC

#### 08:30 - 08:50

A Long-Term Simulation Model under Super/ Hyper/Ultra Salinity and High Hydraulic Pressure Condition for CTA Hollow Fiber Membrane Module for Brine Concentration Application

Presenter: Mr. Shohei Goda, TOYOBO CO., ITD.

#### 08:55 - 09:20

Brine Management from Desalination Plants for Salt Production Utilizing High Current Density Electrodialysis-Evaporator Hybrid System: A Case Study in Kuwait

 Presenter: Dr. Bader Al-Anzi, Faculty member in Kuwait University, Visiting Professor in University of Alberta

#### 09:20 - 09:45

Redefining a Desalination Business Model to Achieve Zero Potential for Environmental Impact.

► Presenter: Mr. Rob Garner, Director (Water Supply), ENOWA - NEOM

#### 09:45 - 10:20

Lithium Recovery from Hypersaline Brines: Enhancing Selectivity and Optimizing Energy Consumption

 Presenter: Mr. Danyal Rehman, PhD Candidate, MIT

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:40 - 11:25

Modeling and Simulation for the Use of Pervaporation in Treating the Brine from Seawater Reverse Osmosis Desalination Process

 Presenter: Mr. Abdullah Albiladi, Researhcer in DTRI, Saline Water Conversion Corporation

#### 11:25 - 11:50

Modeling, Optimization and Control of Convection-Enhanced Evaporation System (CEE) for Brine Volume Reduction

 Presenter: Prof. Natasha Wright, Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota

#### 11:50 - 12:15

Novel Nanofiltration Remix Process and Water Recovery Leading to Minimum Liquid Discharge (MLD)

 Presenter: Mr. Leon Awerbuch, CEO, International Desalination Consulting Associates

#### 12:15 - 12:40

Novel Polymer Composite Evaporator Tubes for Brine Concentration: Heat Transfer, Wetting and Scale Formation

Presenter: Dr. Heike Glade. Head of Research Group, University of Bremen

#### 12:40 - 13:05

Sea4value: Novel Technologies in Seawater Desalination to Extract Minerals and Metals from Seawater Brines

Presenter: Dr. Victor Monsalvo, Head of Ecoefficiency Area, Innovation and Technology, Aaualia

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:55

RO Brine Treatment and Desalination by Modified FDR and LPRO

Presenter: Dr. Mohammad Alizadehfard. CEO. OSMOTEC

#### 14:55 - 15:20

Sustainable Minimum Liquid Discharge for Inland Desalination

Presenter: Dr. Siva Kumar Kota, Gradiant

#### 15:20 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 12.2 Recovery of Minerals from Industrial **Brines**

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#### **Session Chairs:**

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- ► Ena. Nikolav Voutchkov. President. Water Globe Consultants, LLC

#### 16:00 - 16:25

Lithium Recovery from Hypersaline Salt-Lake Brine with Selective Nanofiltration and Electrodialysis

▶ Presenter: Mr. Zi Hao Foo, Ph.D. Candidate, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### 16:25 - 16:50

Successful Field Demonstration of a New High Recovery Semi-Batch Reverse Osmosis Technology

► Presenter: Mr. John Korpiel, Principal Engineer at Veolia Water Technologies

#### 8.1 Project DeliveryModels for Big-Desal

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Dr. Veronique Bonnelye, Technical Support Manager, SUEZ International

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mrs. Esther Gonzalez, Business
   Development, M&A, Strategy, AquaAdvise
- Ms. Naomi Jones, Integrated Design Director, McCarthy Building Companies

#### 16:50 - 17:15

Membrane Loader for the Reverse Osmosis Membrane Replacement at Gold Coast Desalination Plant

► Presenter: Mr. Jonathan Jo, Process Engineer, Veolia Australia New Zealand

#### 17:15 - 17:40

The Importance of Shared Management to Promote Access to Water in the Brazilian Semi-Arid Region: Programa Água Doce

 Presenter: Dr. Emilio Gabbrielli, International Water Advisor

#### 17:40 - 18:05

Collaborative Contracting: A Decade of Operating in an Alliance Contract Model

 Presenter: Mr. Bradd Hamersley, Alliance Manager, Southern SeaWater Alliance

#### THEATER 4

#### 3.6 Coal Industry Wastewater

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Dr. Rick Stover, Vice President of Technology, Gradiant

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Ahmad Al Amoudi, Director General, Desalination Technologies Research Institute (DTRI)
- Mr. Victor Verbeek, ANZ Regional GM, Toray Membrane Australia

#### 08:30 - 08:50

Advanced Wastewater Treatment System Using Multiple Membrane Processes and Chemicals

 Presenter: Mr. Bharat Dharamwani, GM -South Asia, Toray Industries, Inc.

#### 08:55 - 09:15

Continuous Batch Reverse Osmosis at Industrial Scale

 Presenter: Mr. Saravana Perumal Shanmukham, Director, S P Elements

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Effects of Antiscalants and Cleaning Agents in Membrane Distillation for Brine Concentration

 Presenter: Dr. Heike Glade, Head of Research Group, University of Bremen

#### 09:45 - 10:15

High-Pressure Membrane Processes with Energy Recovery: New Perspectives for Efficient Brine Concentration

Presenter: Dr. Christine Kleffner, Postdoc, TH Köln

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Innovative Brine Concentration Membranes to Lower the Cost of MLD/ZLD Treatment

Presenter: Dr. Guillem Gilabert Oriol. Technical Leader, DuPont

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Novel Antiscalant to Inhibit Ultra-High Calcium Sulfate Scale Formation in High Stress Conditions

Presenter: Mr. Dave Rose, Technical Development Specialist, Italmatch Chemicals

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Pre-Treatment Requirements for Produced Water Treatment Using FO-MD Hybrid System

Presenter: Dr. Muhammad Sagib Nawaz, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, KAUST

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Shifting the Economics of ZLD By Using Energy Recovery Devices

Presenter: Mr. Simon Bae, Technical Manager, Energy Recovery, Inc.

#### 12:40 - 13:00

The UF-FO-MD Hybrid System for Resources Recycle from Wastewater Using SWRO Brine as **FO Draw Solution** 

Presenter: Dr. Sheng Li, Water Expert, DTRI, Saline Water Conversion Corporation

#### 13:05 - 14:30 Lunch Break

#### 14:30 - 14:50

Overview of Reverse Osmosis Silica Scaling and Management

Presenter: Prof. Stephen Gray, Executive Director. Institute for Sustainable Industries and Liveable Cities, Victoria University

#### 9.1 Long Term Case Studies

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Thomas Altmann, EVP - Innovation & New Technology, ACWA Power

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Ass. Prof. Muhammad Wakil Shahzad, Northumbria University, UK.
- Prof. Seungkwan Hong, Professor, Korea University

#### 14:55 - 15:15

Developing a New and Novel Antiscalant as a Targeted Approach to Maintaining Thermal Plant Performance

 Presenter: Mr. Dave Rose, Technical Development Specialist, Italmatch Chemicals

#### 15:20 - 16:00 PM Break

#### 16:00 - 16:20

Israel as a Model for Environmentally Responsible Desalination

 Presenter: Mrs. Miriam Brusilovsky, Technical Director -Assets at IDE Technologies and Media Manager at Israeli Desalination Society

## 1.1 Seawater Plant Cases Studies and Process Improvements

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Mr. Miguel Angel Sanz, Independent Consultant

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Giancarlo Barassi, Desalination and Reuse Market Manager, Aquatech Int
- Mr. Guillaume Clairet, Chief Operating Officer, H2O Innovation

#### 16:25 - 16:45

Seawater RO Desalination Process: A Cost-Effective Solution for Potable Water Scarcity

Presenter: Mr. Ghulam Mustafa. Saline Water Conversion Corporation

#### 16:50 - 17:10

Boosting Permeate Production without Compromising on Sec: 60% Recovery and Beyond in SWRO

Presenter: Mr. Haytham Ahmed, Engineering Manager, Fluid Equipment Development Co. - (FEDCO)

#### 17:15 - 17:35

Tecno- Economic Evaluation of Magnesium Replenishment Options After Desalination

Presenter: Dr. Antonella De Luca. Head of Competence Center Environmental Solutions, Omva

# Day 4 Thursday

13 October 2022

08:30 - 12:35

#### THEATER 1

1.1 Seawater Plant Case Studies and Process Improvements

#### **THEATER 2**

11.2 Artificial Intelligence in Desalination

11.3 Digital Twins in Desalination

#### **THEATER 3**

2.5 New Treatment Techniques for Water Reuse

2.6 Virus and Bacteria Removal Including Log Credit Techniques

3.1 Environmental Issues in the Mining Industry

#### **THEATER 4**

4.1 Zero Liquid Discharge and Brine Concentration Techniques

**4.2 Improvements for Hybrid Renewable Projects** 

4.3 Mega Projects Using Renewable Energy

#### THEATER 1

#### 1.1 Seawater Plant Case Studies and Process **Improvements**

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#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Giancarlo Barassi, Desalination and Reuse Market Manager, Aquatech International
- Mr. Guillaume Clairet, Chief Operating Officer, H2O Innovation

#### 08:30 - 08:50

A Pilot Study of Low-Energy Seawater Desalination with Innovative Membranes and Pretreatment Systems

Presenter: Dr. Jungbin Kim, Postdoctoral researcher, Korea University

#### 08:55 - 09:15

20 Years of Data from 500 Seawater Membrane **Autopsies** 

Presenter: Ms. Nuria Peña, Laboratory Manager, Genesys Membrane Products

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Application of New Technologies for Energy Savings in Desalination

▶ Presenter: Mr. Francisco Jimenez-Castellanos, Global Strategy Manager -Desalination & Water Reuse Market, Danfoss

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Comparison and Evaluation of Centralized & Decentralized Systems for Nuweibaa SWRO Desalination Plant - Case Study

Presenter: Mr. Amr Seoudy, CEO & Founder, Water Treatment Consulting Office (WTCO)

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Control of SWRO Membrane Biofouling Through Removal of Planktonic Colloidal Biofilms Coming from RO Pretreatment and Rotary Energy Recovery Device

Presenter: Prof. Harvev Winters. Professor. Fairleigh Dickinson University

#### 11:25 - 11:45

High Recovery Reverse Osmosis Water Challenging

Presenter: Mr. Juan de Beristain, Regional Sales Manager Latin America, Fluid Equipment Development Co. (FEDCO)

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Energy Optimization and Management Of Mega Sea Water Reverse Osmosis (SWRO) Desalination Plants

Presenter: Dr. Yehuda Shevah, Consultant, Independent

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Dry Seawater Reverse Osmosis Elements

Presenter: Dr. Maria Angeles Perez, TS&D Specialist, DuPont Water Solutions

#### **THEATER 2**

#### 11.2 Artificial Intelligence in Desalination

#### **Topic Chair:**

Prof. Tonv G Fane Ph. D. University of New South Wales

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Antonella De Luca, Head of Competence Center Environmental Solutions. Omva
- Mr. Juan Miguel Pinto, Director, Sales and Strategy, Americas, Energy Recovery

#### 08:30 - 08:50

A Theoretical Deep Neural Network Framework for Mapping Biofouling with Hydrodynamic **Parameters** 

Presenter: Dr. Adnan Oamar. Svstem Modeling and Data Specialist, KAUST

#### 08:55 - 09:15

Artificial Intelligent in Designing Water Desalination Plant

Presenter: Mr. Essam Albishi, Head of Artificial Intelligence, Saline Water Conversion Corporation

#### 09:20 - 09:40

A Machine Learning Deployment to a Large Middle East Sea Water Reverse Osmosis Plant to Save Energy

Presenter: Dr. Mike Dixon, CEO, Synauta

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Data-Driven Digital Tool for Smart Ro Membrane Management in a Large Scale Seawater Desalination Plant

Presenter: Ms. Marie Gaveriaux, Digital Product Owner, Veolia Water Technologies

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Digitization of a Novel HDH System: An Al Framework to Optimize and Guide the Technology Development

Presenter: Prof. Bahman Abbasi, Assistant Professor, Oregon State University

#### 11.3 Digital Twins in Desalination

#### **Topic Chair:**

Prof. Tony G Fane Ph. D, University of New South Wales

#### Session Chairs:

- Dr. Antonella De Luca, Head of Competence Center Environmental Solutions, Omya
- Mr. Juan Miguel Pinto. Director. Sales and Strategy, Americas, Energy Recovery

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Pre-Commissioning Digital Twin for Optimising Operation and Knowledge Transfer of Tseung Kwan O Desalination Plant

Presenter: Mr. Chaim Kolominskas, Manager - EVS Water. Envirosuite

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Process Simulation for Design and De-Risking of a Complex Mine and Power Station Water Re-Use and Brine Project

Presenter: Dr. Matthew Brannock, Technical Director - Water & Brine Process, GHD

#### 12:15 - 12:35

The Barrel: The Next Generation of Desalination Plants

Presenter: Mr. Jean-Baptiste Thubert. CTO. Veolia Water Technologies

#### **THEATER 3**

## 2.5 New Treatment Techniques for Water Reuse

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Dr. Domingo Zarzo, Innovation and Strategic Projects Manager, Sacyr Water

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Monica Boodhan, Lecturer, the University of Trinidad and Tobago
- Mr. Alejandro Sturniolo, Global Head of Water Reuse & Strategic Partnerships, H2O Innovation

#### 08:30 - 08:50

Clarification of RO Biofouling Mechanism and Development Of New PVDF UF Membranes for RO Pretreatment

 Presenter: Dr. Shigehisa Hanada, Research Associate, Toray Industries, Inc.

#### 08:55 - 9:15

Evaluating And Visualizing the Effect of Membrane and Feed Spacer in Biofouling Development Through FilmTecTM FortilifeTM Director Tool

► Presenter: Dr. Guillem Gilabert Oriol, Technical Leader, DuPont

#### 09:20 - 09:40

High Recovery Water Treatment for Non-Potable Reuse Using an Integration of Ion Exchange and Reverse Osmosis

Presenter: Mr. Will McLean, Business
 Development Coordinator, Clean TeQ Water

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Implementing Desalitec<sup>™</sup> Soar CCRO to Increase Efficiency and Reliability in Wastewater Reuse

 Presenter: Dr. Santhosh Ramalingam, Technical Services Manager, DuPont

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Investigating the Potential for Closed Circuit Reverse Osmosis (CCRO) to Reduce Concentrate a Future Inland Water Reuse Flows on Application

Presenter: Mr. Christian Sanders. Environmental Engineer, CDM Smith

#### 2.6 Virus and Bacteria Removal Including Log **Credit Techniques**

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Jim Lozier. VP. Global Tech Leader for Desalination, Jacobs

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Ass. Prof. Muhammad Wakil Shahzad. Northumbria University, UK.
- Dr. Heike Glade, Head of Research Group, University of Bremen

#### 11:25 - 11:45

RO and NF Membranes Performance Monitoring in Water Reuse Applications by Continuous Measuring of Adenosine Triphosphate

Presenter: Mr. Luis Navarro, Business Development Manager, Hach

#### 3.1 Environmental Issues in the Mining Industry

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Borja Blanco, CEO, Aqua Advise

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Roberto Mangano, Mangaina Director. ILF Consulting Engineers Abu Dhabi
- Prof. Long Ngheim, Professor, Director of the Centre for Technology in Water and Wastewater, University of Technology Svdnev

#### 11:50 - 12:10

A Novel Ion Exchange and Encapsulated Bacteria System for Complete Nitrate Removal

▶ Presenter: Mr. Will McLean, Business Development Coordinator, Clean TeQ Water

#### 12:15 - 12:40

Solution Alternatives Study for Fouling MBR Membranes in an Industrial Wastewater Treatment Plant Ice Cream Factory

▶ Presenter: Mrs. Patricia Terrero, Sacyr Agua

#### **THEATER 4**

## **4.1** Zero Liquid Discharge and Brine Concentration Techniques

#### **Topic Chair:**

 Mr. Neil Palmer, Chief Technology Officer, Osmoflo

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Mr. Devesh Sharma, CEO, Aquatech International
- Mr. Victor Verbeek, ANZ Regional GM, Toray Membrane Australia

#### 08:30 - 08:50

Analytical Study of a Low-Grade Solar Heat Based Thermal Compressor Actuating a Novel Off-Grid Water Desalination

 Presenter: Prof. Bahman Abbasi, Assistant Professor, Oregon State University

#### 08:55 - 9:15

Innovative Solar Driven Tri-Hybrid Cycle for Future Sustainability

Presenter: Ass. Prof. Muhammad Wakil Shahzad, Northumbria University, UK.

## **4.2** Improvements for Hybrid Renewable Projects

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Kevin Price, Principal, AWTT, LLC

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Tariq Nada, Chief Technical Officer, KSA Portfolio, ACWA Power
- Mr. Ties Venema, Group Vice President & Managing Director S3C, H2O Innovation

#### 09:20 - 09:40

Application of Artificial Neural Network to Model Hydrogen Production from Wastewater by Dark Fermentation Process

 Presenter: Mr. Ahmad Hosseinzadeh, University of Technology Sydney (UTS)

#### 09:45 - 10:15

Energy and Water without Carbon: Integrated Nuclear Power and Large-Scale Desalination at Diablo Canyon

 Presenter: Dr. Andrew Bouma, PhD, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

#### 10:20 - 11:00 AM Break

#### 11:00 - 11:20

Noble Approach for Net Zero Carbon Emission Desalination Configuration Facilitated in Hydrogen Production

 Presenter: Mr. Youngwook Yoo, Senior Water Expert, Saudi Water Conversion Corporation (SWCC)

#### 11:25 - 11:45

Predictive Time-Variant Photovoltaic-Electrodialysis: A Novel Design Using Machine Learning and Control Theory

 Presenter: Dr. Amos G. Winter, Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### 4.3 Mega Projects Using Renewable Energy

#### **Topic Chair:**

Mr. Kevin Price, Principal, AWTT, LLC

#### **Session Chairs:**

- Dr. Taria Nada, Chief Technical Officer, KSA Portfolio, ACWA Power
- Mr. Ties Venema, Group Vice President & Managing Director S3C, H2O Innovation

#### 11:50 - 12:10

Analysis of Solar Thermal Driven Membrane Distillation System Developed for Desalination in Different Conditions

Presenter: Ms. Yinafei Huana. Ph.D. Candidate, University of New South Wales

#### 12:15 - 12:35

Dakhla Desalination Plant Intended for Irrigation and Drinking Water Supply Using Renewable Energy Mega Projects Using Renewable Energy

Presenter: Dr. Lahcen Hasnaoui, Hydro Advisor

# Outback Discussions

**Outback Theater** 

**Exhibition Hall 5-6** 



## 06 OUTBACK DISCUSSION PROGRAM-THEATER SCHEDULE

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## Day 1

Monday, 10 October 2022

14:00 - 15:00 IDA - WRA Panel





## Water Reuse: Moving Toward the Future of Water Management

Whether it is irrigation, industrial cooling, or drinking water, today's technology allows us to treat any water source to a quality suitable for any use. This panel will explore the steps to launch a successful water reuse project, including the decision path for communities, piloting, design and facility start-up. Learn about the use of membrane technology to allow potable and non-potable reuse, examples of innovative projects, and the evolution of purified recycled water for drinking around the world.

## 06 OUTBACK DISCUSSIONS

#### Moderator:



Mr. Paul Sciuto, General Manager, Monterey One Water, USA

#### Panelists:



Mr. Michael Bourke, Director of Business Development, Wigen Water Technologies, USA



Mrs. Danielle Francis, Manager Liveable Communities, Water Services Association of Australia



Mr. Greg Wetterau, Vice President, CDM Smith, USA

#### 15:00 - 15:30 The Future of Water



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15:30 - 16:00 Refreshment Break

#### 16:00 - 17:30 Panel 1 : Let's Hear from the Leading Water Reuse Facilities of the World

This panel discussion will focus on real life testimony from major utilities around the World on how they made their Water Reuse program become a reality. Going from ideation, to convincing, to budgeting, to designing and to finally operating a Water Reuse facility requires resilience and perseverance. Many challenges of very

different nature depending on the stage of the project have to be overcome to develop such meaningful infrastructure. Our panelists, leaders of major utilities from around the World, will share with the audience the most interesting parts of their journey towards building a successful Water Reuse Program.

#### Moderator:



Mr. Guillaume Clairet, H2O Innovation, Canada

Panelists:



Dr. Marcio José, Aquapolo Ambiental, Brazil



Mr. Paul Sciuto. Monterev One. USA



Mr. Nick Turner, Senior Principal. Strategic Programs, Water Corporation, Perth, Australia



Mr. Hubertus Cox, Division Manager of Water Recycling Implementation Division, Los Angeles Sanitation District, USA



Mr. Ryan Yuen, Managing Director, SIWW, PUB, Singapore

## Day 2

#### Tuesday, 11 October 2022

08:30 - 09:30 A Circular Future for Water



09:30 - 10:30

**TORAY** Innovation by Chemistry

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 - 11:30 **ROPU** 

**Leading Sustainable** 11:30 - 12:30 **Desalination Now** 

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12:30 - 13:00

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13:00 - 14:00 Lunch Break

14:00 - 14:30 **LG Chem** 

14:30 - 15:00



15:00 - 15:30 Nanostone Water Innovative Ceramic Membrane Technology in Water Treatment Applications

**Nanostone** water

15:30 - 16:00 Refreshment Break

16:00 - 16:30 Planning and Concept
Design of Perth's Third SWRO
Desalination Plant,
Co-development with
Groundwater

WATER

16:30 - 17:30 YLP Forum
Facing Water Availability
and Sanitation Challenges:
Thoughts from Industry
leaders



## Day 3

#### Wednesday, 12 October 2022

08:30 - 09:30 Trends in Desalination
Technology, is RO Mature
Enough? Do we Have Another
Sustainable Technology on the
Horizon?

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09:30 - 10:00 tedagua

10:00 - 10:30 Challenging New Ways to Manage Water



10:30 - 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 - 13:00 SWCC: The Journey Beyond

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13:00 - 14:00 Lunch Break

14:00 - 15:00 Innovation in Desalination

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15:00 - 15:30 Refreshment Break

15:30 - 16:30 Dams Development under the PPP Model & Future SWPC Projects



16:30 - 17:30



17:30 - 18:30 IDA Membership Meeting

## Day 4

Thursday, 13 October 2022

08:30 - 09:00 Innovation to Tackle the Water Tariff Inflation



09:00 - 10:30 IDA Innovation Forum

Moderators:



Dr. Victor Monsalvo, Aqualia, Spain



Mrs. Olga Sallangos, Caramondani Desalination Plants, Cyprus

## 05 OUTBACK DISCUSSIONS

#### Selection Committee:



Dr. Emilio Gabbrielli, International Water Advisor, Australia



Mr. Robert Garner, Director (Water Supply), ENOWA - NEOM, Saudi Arabia



Prof. John H Lienhard V, MIT, USA



Mr. Kevin Price, Independent Consultant, USA



Dr. Miriam Balaban, Secretary General, European Desalination Society, Israel



Dr. Jauad El Kharraz, Executive Director, ICREE, Egypt



Dr. Masura Kurihara, Toray, Japan

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee Break

#### 11:00 - 12:00 Panel 2: Addressing Global **Membrane System Safety** and Reliability

A Call to Action for Newer and Aging Installations. Description: Pressure Vessel technology utilizing FRP with flexible grooved end couplings became the industry standard in the early 1980s. In those early days, Pressure Vessel Service Life was estimated to be 15 to 20 years. Today, tens of thousands of membrane pressure vessels and interfacing connections throughout the desalination industry are reaching a critical period where many may be nearing the end of their service life and creating risks for plant operators.

This panel discussion will contain End Users, System Integrators, Consultants, Pressure Vessel and Coupling Suppliers to discuss the industry's current state and clearly identify the challenges ahead for the membrane system industry.

#### Moderator:



Mr. Doug Eisberg, Vice President of Sales, Avista Technologies, Inc., **USA** 

#### Panelists:



Mrs. Sharon McNeil, Manager -Desalination Operations, Water Corporation of Western Australia



Mr. Con Sikallos, Principal Mechanical Engineer, Jacobs, USA

### 06 OUTBACK DISCUSSIONS



Mr. Greg Finlayson, Senior Technical Director of Water and Strategy, GHD



Mr. Sean McCagh, Commissioning Start Up Engineer, RO-TEG, USA



Mr. Guillaume Clairet, Chief Operating Officer, H20 /Piedmont, Canada



Mrs. Miriam Brusilovsky, Technical Director IDE Water Assets, IDE Technologies, Israel



Mr. Olivier Bedague, Sales Director, Protec / Arisawa, USA



Mr. Atul Kakkar, General Manager, CodeLine, USA

12:00 - 12:30



13:00 - 15:00 Closing Lunch and Awards

# **07** IDA LEADERS SUMMIT

# **October 11, 2022**

The effects of climate change and the ever-growing demand for clean water globally underscore the urgency of sustainable water solutions. We must chart resilient water solutions and enlist the global community in this mission.

The Leaders Summit takes us one step closer to addressing such solutions. The Summit will provide a shared space for meaningful conversations among executives from various sectors, including finance, legal, project development, public and private utilities, industrial water users, and technical solution providers. Topics include addressing the looming water crisis, the effect on food security, and the water-energy-food nexus. ESG Criteria and Ensuring Water Sector PPPs also fit the 2030 UN Agenda, how water will drive hydrogen, capture the value of water, how to innovate the water sector, and net zero and water positive goals for the industry.



#### LEADERS SUMMIT



Mr. Imad Mahkzoumi IDA Board Member, CEO, ENOIA



Ms. Shannon McCarthy IDA Secretary General



Mr. Carlos Cosin IDA President and CEO of Almar Water Solutions



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## **Schedule**

Room E5.2 & 3. above exhibition hall on level 5

#### **Emcee Morning Session:**

Mr. Imad Mahkzoumi, IDA Board Member, CEO, ENOIA, UAE

#### 09:00 - 09:15 **Welcome Remarks**

- Ms. Shannon McCarthy, IDA Secretary General. Italy
- Mr. Carlos Cosin, IDA President and CEO of Almar Water Solutions, Spain

#### 09:15 - 09:30

#### **Keynote: Addressing the Energy-Water Nexus**

 H.E. Eng. Ahmed Mohammed Belajar Al Rumaithi, Under Secretary for the Department of Energy, Abu Dhabi, UAE

#### 09:30 - 10:30

#### Panel 1: The Looming Water Crisis and the **Effect on Food Security**

Moderator:

 Dr. Gonzalo Delacamara, Director, IE Centre for Water & Climate Adaptation, Spain

#### Panelists:

- Dr. Adam Loch, Senior Lecturer and ARC DECRA Fellow with the Centre for Global Food and Resources, University of Adelaide, South Australia
- Mrs. Katrina Donaghy, CEO of Civic Ledgers, Australia
- Mr. Adam Wilson, CEO, Essential Services Commission of South Australia (ESCOSA)

#### 10:30 - 11:00 **Refreshment Break**

Foyer at Room E5.2 & 3, above exhibition hall on level 5

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# 11:00 - 12:00 Panel 2: ESG Criteria and Ensuring Water Sector PPPs fit the 2030 UN Agenda

Moderator:

 H.E. Eng. Khaled Al Qureshi, CEO, SWPC, Saudi Arabia

Co-Moderator:

 Dr. Tariq Nada, Vice President, ACWA Power Water CTS, Saudi Arabia

This panel brings developers, regulators, and lenders together to discuss the outcomes and success stories of PPP projects in the water sector and how this model has helped meet ESG criteria. World-class investors are conscious of the importance of sustainability to the success of long-term projects, which PPP projects are.

#### Panelists:

- Mr. Robert Bryniak, CEO, Golden Sands Management Consulting, UAE
- Mr. Roch Cheroux, CEO, Sydney Water, Australia
- Mr. Paul Sciuto, CEO, Monterey One Water, USA
- Mr. Jose Diaz Caneja, CEO, Acciona Agua, Spain

#### 12:00 - 13:00

# Panel 3: The Future of Clean Energy through Green Hydrogen is Non-conventional Water Moderator:

 Mr. Carlos Cosin, IDA President, CEO, Almar Water Solutions, Spain

While solar and wind are well established in the renewable energy mix with significant market share, Hydrogen is now taking an innovative step towards opening a new path as a clean, local, and efficient energy source with commercial viability. Clean water is a critical resource for the electrolysis process, and it will (no doubt) take a distinct role in redefining the energy, mobility,

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and other vital sectors by producing green Hydrogen.

#### Panelists:

- ▶ H.E. Eng. Ahmed Mohammed Belajar Al Rumaithi, Under Secretary, Department of Energy, Abu Dhabi, UAE
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13:00 - 14:30 Lunch Lunchroom, Hall 5-6

#### **Emcee Afternoon Session:**

Mr. Borja Blanco, IDA Board Member, CEO, Aqua Advise, Spain

#### 14:30 - 15:15

#### Panel 4: Capturing the Value of Water

#### Moderator:

Mr. Gavin Van Tonder, Water Sector Head, NEOM. Saudi Arabia

#### Panelists:

- Mr. Johnny Obeid, Vice President, Veolia Water Technologies, MENA
- Dr. Hu Fleming, Partner, Upwell Water, USA

#### 15:15 - 15:30

Keynote: H.E. Eng. Abdullah Ibrahim Al-Abdulkarim, Governor of SWCC, Saudi Arabia

#### 15:30 - 15:45 Refreshment

Fover at Room E5.2 & 3, above Exhibition Hall on level 5

#### 15:45 - 16:00

#### **IDA Talk: Future of Industrial Water**

 Mr. Devesh Sharma, IDA Vice President, CEO, Aquatech International, USA

#### 16:00 - 16:15

#### **IDA Talk: Building an Innovative Future**

Dr. Marshall Davert, Head of Innovation, Stantec, USA

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#### 16:15 - 16:30 IDA Talk: The Red Book

 Mr. Eduardo Orteu, Counsel, Gómez-Acebo & Pombo Abogados, SLP, Spain

#### 16:30 - 17:15

# Panel 5: Net Zero and Water Positive Goals for Industry

Moderator:

 Mr. Fady Juez, Managing Director, Metito, UAE

#### Co-Moderator:

 Mr. Alejandro Sturniolo, Global Head of Water Reuse & Strategic Partnerships, H20 Innovation, Canada

The global community's dedication to ESGs has reached new levels. Industry represents a key stakeholder in this process and the growing commitment to reach net zero carbon and water positivity is a daily conversation. But....can this really be done? Join panelists representing industrial water to discuss the various challenges and approaches to achieving this very important target.

#### Panelists:

- Mrs. Eva Jalon, CEO, Sacyr Water, Spain
- Mrs. Marta Verde, CEO, GS Inima Environment, Spain

#### 17:15 - 17:30

Closing Remarks: Outgoing and Incoming IDA Presidents

18:30 - 20:30 Cocktail Reception (Invite Only)

# Special Programs





# INNOVATION **FORUM**

The IDA Innovation Forum, new to the World Congress, is specifically designed to introduce and innovative solutions from universities, research centers. technology developers, and start-up companies to major capitalists, developers, and investor's.

> This new event at the **World Congress will** be held on Thursday 13 October, 09:00-10:30, **Outback Discussion** Theater.

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# YLP ROUND TABLE SESSION

The IDA Young Leaders Program was officially launched at the 2009 World Congress in Dubai. The goals of this exciting initiative are to help promote opportunities in the industry, support career advancement, and provide a forum for communication and the exchange of ideas among young professionals and the industry at large. The YLP is open to any IDA member 35 years of age or under.



#### **Schedule**

Wednesday, October 12, 16:00-17:00, Lunchroom Exhibition Hall 5-6

#### **Tackling SDG Goals**

Dr. Monica Boodhan

At its heart are the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), which are an urgent call for action by all countries - developed and developing - in a global partnership. They recognize that ending poverty and other deprivations must go hand-in-hand with strategies that improve health and education, water and sanitation, reduce inequality, and spur economic growth – all while tackling climate change and working to preserve our oceans and forests. join us in this discussion.

#### **Wave to Water Technologies**

**Mr. Dragan Tutic** 

Learn about the latest advcements and how wave powered desalination is pushing for new standards of sustainability.

#### **Energy Efficiency**

Ms. Zaina Naser

Let's discuss about the energy efficiency and inefficiencies in Desalination and how to reduce the carbon footprint.

#### **Brine Mining**

**Mr. Rorv Weaver** 

Open discussion on technical and economic feasibility of brine mining, stimulated by progress in Saudi Arabian pilot aimed at extracting high purity sodium chloride for the chlor-alkali industry.

#### **Next Generation Desal**

Mr. Ouantum Wei

Join me for a round table discussion on how the next generation of desalination systems may solve SDG6.

#### Thermal Desalination

#### Dr. Mohammad Wakil Shazad

At this round table we will discuss about state-of-the-art thermal desalination and their hybrids with other processes to improve overall perfromance. Panel will also shed light on performance evaluation of integrated desalination plants when operated with assorted form of energies.

#### **Biofouling in Membrane Systems**

#### Dr. Guillem Gilabert Oriol

Biofouling is one of the biggest pain points in desalination. Let's discuss how to prevent, mitigate and deal with biofouling.

#### **Building your Personal Brand for Career** Growth

#### Dr. Giancarlo Barassi

Let's discuss your plan short, mid and long term. What actions have you taken that will have a positive impact towards your career growth? What seems to work what doesn't. Let's share our experiences with one another.

#### The Role of Chemicals in Desalination

#### **Mr. Daniele Strongone**

Next generation of chemicals leading to environmentally friendly desalination and higher plant availability.

#### Remineralization

#### Dr. Antonella De Luca

Let's review the importance of minerals in drinking water and new techniques for remineralization.

#### Al and Machine Learning

#### Mr. Devesh Bharadwaj

Artificial intelligence enables operational teams at treatment facilities to do more with less. By pairing operators with AI, facilities are able to get predictive performance analysis and actionable recommendations on things like where to adjust a set point to lower energy consumption or when is the best time to service an asset, like conducting a membrane cleaning. AI empowers teams with the latest plant data so they can make better operational decisions, reducing risks and costs, as well as a plant's overall carbon footprint.

#### Life in Academia

#### Dr. Motasem Abushaban

Finishing your PhD there may be many paths. Academia is one. Learn more about this transition.

# Sydney Desalination Plant Tour

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An essential component of Sydney's water supply resilience supplying up to 250 megalitres per day of drinking water (15% of Sydney's water needs), the Sydney Desalination Plant was built between 2008 and 2010 in response to the millennium drought and operated successfully fortwoyears. With water storage dams recovering to high levels, a decision was made to place the plant in a state of long term preservation ready to respond to the next drought. In late 2015 a tornado hit the plant causing extensive damage, and requiring thorough inspection and reinstatement to its pre-storm condition. This was completed successfully in late 2018. In January 2019, after seven years of preservation, the plant was successfully restarted and continues to be available to assist the supply of water to Sydney's customers. A tour of the Sydney Desalination Plant provides a unique insight to a large scale reverse osmosis plant that has faced many challenges that include full operations to deep preservation and the recovery from extensive tornado damage.

#### **Tour Details:**

Date: Friday, October 14, 2022

Duration: 08:30am - 12:30pm (Overall time from

pickup to return 3.5 to 4 hours)

Pickup/Dropoff Location: ICC Sydney

**Description:** A detailed tour of all process treatment facilities from the seawater intake system through pretreatment, reverse osmosis, remineralization and on-site storage/pumping into distribution

#### Important Information:

Must bring a photo ID.

Smoking, snacking or drinking is not permitted. Clothing requirements are long pants, long sleeve shirts and closed shoes.

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The tour will take place rain or shine.

Picture and video taking is allowed.

Attendees must demonstrate that they are fully vaccinated.

Overall temperature in October is 20oCelsius/68o Fahrenheit.

The tour may be subject to change in the event of a Covid Outbreak.

To be waitlisted for the tour contact: jlandini@idadesal.org





# UNESCO Centre for Membrane Science and Technology at UNSW Tour



The UNESCO Centre for Membrane Science and Technology at UNSW is Australia's oldest and continually operating academic research centre focused on membrane separations. Founded in 1980, with UNESCO accreditation in 1992, the UCMST is a multidisciplinary centre of fundamental and applied research on gas and liquid separations. Our research is divided across six themes including membrane development; water and wastewater, food and agriculture, process design, greenhouse gas technology and bioseparation. Facilities at UNSW include membrane fabrication and characterisation, membrane module design, small scale pilot equipment, gas separation and food and bioprocessing systems.

#### **Tour Details:**

**Duration:** 1.5 hours including presentation and morning tea with Centre founders, Emeritus Professors Tony G Fane and Chris Fell.

**Location:** UNSW Sydney, 20 minutes from Circular Quay on the Sydney light rail. The membrane centre is located on the 5th floor of the Science and Engineering Building. (Grid Reference E8) at the UNSW Sydney Kensington campus.

**Guests:** The tour and morning tea is limited to 30 participants.

**Date:** Friday, October 14, 2022. Arrive 15 mins before start time

**Security & Safety:** Closed toe shoes. Safety glasses and lab coats will be provided.

**Transportation:** Participants can take the local train/tram to the Centre. Cost is AUD2.75 each way and can be paid for at stations by Sydney transport card or credit card. There are two stations near the ICC – one across from the entrance of the Sofitel Hotel.

For more information contact kzilinek@idadesal.org.

# 09 AWARDS

# Industry and Sustainability Awards

IDA is delighted to announce that, at this year's World Congress Gala event in Sydney, held on Wednesday, Monday October 10, 2022, we will honor the efforts of selected companies, organizations, and even cities with outstanding and sustainability awards. nomination period for these awards is now open. Those who challenge themselves to innovate and meet the increasing demands for municipal and industrial water needs, will be acknowledged for their exceptional contributions. These awards reflect the diversity of contributions present in the water community. From municipalities to corporations, these award categories recognize the varied ways in which the global community is tackling water scarcity in order to ensure a future in which clean water and sanitation are universal

The Awards are open to IDA members and non-members.



## **Industry and** Sustainability **Awards Committee**

Meet the I&S Awards Committee members. Industry and Sustainability Awards acknowledges leaders throughout the water reuse industry and this year's winners are selected by the I&S committee members using a weighted percentage score process.

Our committee members bring a vast amount of experience in the water sector. We thank all of you for your participation in this important and prestigious presentation at our World Congress.



**Professor DucLong Nghiem** Director Centre for Technology in Water & Wastewater, University of Technology Šydney



Dr. Michael R. Markus, P.E., D.WRE, **BCEE, F.ASCE** General Manager Orange County Water District



Dr. Jantje Johnson Founder and Chief Technology Officer Orangeboat, LLC.



**Dr. Gonzalo** Delacamara Director Centre for Water & Climate Adaptation, IE University



Mr. Randy Truby Consultant, R L Truby & Associates

# **Industry Awards**

#### 01

#### Best Public-Private Partnership

The company exemplifies collaboration with a public utility.

#### 02

#### **Most Innovative Utility**

A national or local utility that brings innovation to secure clean and fresh water for their consumers.

#### 03

# Best Private Company (Global)

The company makes an overall contribution to water sustainability using non-conventional water resources, to be Water Positive, in its region.

#### 04

# Most Innovative Company

The company that executed the project we all wish we had thought of and employed a breakthrough technology enhancing the desalination process.

#### 05

#### The Most Progressive Disruptive Policy in Water Reuse

The project is moving the needle in the public sector to support and grow water reuse implementation.

#### 06

#### Best Performing Company in Water Reuse

The company has exemplified efficiency, best-in-class technology, and operations to earn the highest quality plant performance.

# **Sustainability Awards**

#### 07

#### The Most Resilient City

The city has created infrastructures and best practices for a community that can thrive and adapts to climate change and water scarcity.

#### 08

#### Most Innovative Water-Energy Nexus **Project**

The project that bridges the gap and capitalizes on the synergies between its community's water and energy needs.

#### 09

#### Best Implementor of UN Sustainability **Development Goal 6** Water for All (SDG6)

The company that ensured availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all.

#### 10

#### Best Corporate Social **Responsibility Project**

The company that utilized desalination or water reuse technology to improve the lives of a community by creating a regenerative water economy to be Water Positive.

## Technical Paper Awards

At each World Congress, IDA gives awards for the best oral and written papers presented as part of the Technical Program in five categories. Winners are selected by members of the World Congress Awards Committee, using a weighted percentage score. These awards are presented at the Closing Luncheon.

#### State-of-the Art

Best paper that presents the application of an established desalination or water reuse technology in a way that reflects the best engineering practices in all aspects of the project or topic presented that is significant for the global industry.

#### **Innovation**

Best paper that presents an innovative desalination or water reuse technology that has reached the commercial stage, is not yet considered to be widely adopted but is likely to become a game-changer for the industry.

# Research and Development

Best paper that presents fundamental or applied research of a technology or concept related to desalination or water reuse that is at a precommercialization stage but shows interesting signs of development which could lead to impactful discoveries or technologies once at maturity.

# Environment and Sustainability

Best paper presenting a desalination or water reuse topic, case study, a technology or any project in such a way that demonstrates how desalination can be applied while respecting the environment and applying the best sustainability principles.

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#### Young Leader

Best paper presented by a member of the IDA Young Leaders Program demonstrating scientific originality relevant and important to the fields of desalination and/or water reuse.

# **Special Awards**

#### **Presidential**

The Presidential Awards are conferred upon individuals and organizations whose work on behalf of IDA and the desalination industry demonstrate outstanding achievement, leadership and vision. The awards will be bestowed by the IDA President, Mr. Carlos Cosin.

#### Lifetime Achievement

IDA's Lifetime Achievement Award recognizes outstanding achievements and contributions to our industry. All IDA Lifetime Awardees receive a commemorative plaque and lifetime access to attend all IDA events at no registration fee.

#### **Emerging Leader Achievement Award**

Introduced in 2011, this award is given to one member of the IDA Young Leader's Program whose contribution to the desalination and water reuse industry has shown a track record of positive leadership and originality.

#### **Delegate-Voted Awards**

Delegates at the World Congress cast their votes for winners in the following four categories via the mobile app:

- Best Moderator
- Best Session Chairman
- Best Presenter
- Best Poster

# **10 EXHIBITION**

## The World's Most Extensive Desalination and Water Reuse Exhibition

The IDA World Congress is the most extensive desalination and water reuse exhibition globally. It's where world- leading private and public companies share the latest innovations in technologies, equipment, projects, and knowledge about desalination, water reuse, and advanced water treatment. And it's the best place for networking opportunities with stakeholders and professionals from the water sector.

View the floor map



# **Exhibitors**











































































































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