



Watershed 101 Workshop Call for Papers

**Ohio Union, Ohio State University
April 5, 2012**

DUE: January 7, 2012

The Ohio Water Environment Association (OWEA) is looking for papers on the following topics of interest to present at its Watershed 101 Workshop on April 5, 2012 at The Ohio Union, in Columbus, Ohio located at the Ohio State University (1739 N. High Street Columbus, Ohio 43210).

1. Innovative Approaches to Watershed Management
2. Watershed Management Regulation, Policy and Guidance
3. EPA's Healthy Watersheds Initiative
4. Development of TMDLs (Nutrients, Bacteria, TSS, TDS etc.)
5. Non-Point Source Control
6. Watershed-Based Trading
7. Funding Mechanisms Related to Watershed Management (319 grants, WPCLF etc.)
8. Sustainable Watershed Management
9. Stormwater Management
10. Green Infrastructure Practices and Applications

Speaking and Presentation Protocol:

1. This workshop is intended for both seasoned and young professionals. Hence conceptual topics are highly encouraged.
2. The best papers document actual case studies and projects as opposed to research or theory.
3. Papers shall not be used to engage in advertising or selling equipment or professional services.
4. OWEA does not offer honorariums, or pay travel or lodging expenses.
5. Speakers shall agree to bring their presentation on a flash/thumb drive and present to the session moderator at least one hour prior to the beginning of the session and are highly encouraged to email to the Workshop Chair for prior loading, at least 48 hours in advance.
6. The speaker is encouraged to bring copies of his/her presentation, but at a minimum shall provide OWEA with the presentation on PowerPoint for dissemination to attendees upon request.
7. Presentations shall be limited to 30 minute presentations unless a special request is made.

Please email abstracts to: info@ohiowea.org and indicate "Watershed 101 Workshop Abstract" in the subject.

If you have any questions, please contact:

Anil Tangirala, Chair, OWEA Watershed Management Committee, anil.tangirala@stantec.com

Kris Ruggles, Co-Chair, OWEA Young Professionals Committee, kris.ruggles@strand.com

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Please use the Abstract Form on the next page for your submittal.



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Title:			
Topic:			
Presenter Name		Co-Presenter Name	
Title		Title	
Organization		Organization	
Address		Address	
City, State, Zip		City, State, Zip	
Telephone		Telephone	
Fax		Fax	
Email Address		Email Address	

Instructions:

1. Please present an abstract of your presentation in 1-3 pages and submit before January 7, 2012 to the contact below.
2. Please attach the abstract to this form, and including the length of presentation, noting that this Workshop schedule is designed for 30 minute length presentations unless a special request is made.
3. For each presenter listed above, the submittal must include the following information in order to allow completion of the Form A's for contact hour approval.
4. Education (Degree, and Highest Level Obtained—BS, MS, PhD)
 - a. Professional Registrations and licenses (PE, Class III Wastewater, etc.)
 - b. Years experience as it applies to topic being presented (at least 3)
 - c. Current position
 - d. Current employer
5. Please indicate by checking the box if you are a Young Professional (YP)
(YPs are WEF members 35 years and younger and less than 5 years in the industry.)

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THANK YOU FOR SUBMITTING AN ABSTRACT FOR CONSIDERATION!