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OHIO STORMWATER CONFERENCE 2016 CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Abstract Submission Deadline: October 30, 2015



Call for Speakers and Poster Presenters to the 2016 Ohio Stormwater Conference
Submissions are Due October 30, 2015
Submit online at OHSTORMWATERCONFERENCE.COM

You are invited to participate in the 2016 Ohio Stormwater Conference, being held May 4-6, 2016 at the Sharonville Convention Center near Cincinnati, Ohio. This will be the 9th conference held to date and is hosted by the Tinker's Creek Watershed Partners and the Ohio Stormwater Association.

Our speakers and participants come from Ohio, the greater Midwest and across the country. Together all help to create an event that informs, instructs and motivates stormwater and watershed management practitioners. The conference organizers encourage a multi-disciplinary atmosphere and expect a range of participating entities such as local and state government stormwater managers, environmental, engineering and legal consulting firms, research organizations and watershed groups. The conference has a reputation for a broad range of topics and geographic involvement that is a stimulating environment, and that encourage participants to interact, collect and share new information and to further develop of good ideas.

Will you consider applying to present? This call invites those from stormwater related organizations and disciplines to submit an abstract in order to present and/or provide a poster to display. You may present case studies of stormwater design, stormwater research projects, program implementation topics, implemented practice design examples, operation and maintenance issues or current stormwater policy issues during one of the conference's concurrent workshop sessions. To apply to present, please submitting the information requested at OhStormwaterConference.com.

The program covers topics such as local government stormwater programs, state and federal permits and regulations, practice performance, monitoring and research, design of stormwater and stream rehabilitation projects, retrofits of older stormwater infrastructure, stormwater in transportation projects and reducing combined sewer overflows. This year we again invite additional speaker hope to increase presentations regarding industrial stormwater planning and designs, targeted stormwater education and successful operation and maintenance (post-construction) approaches.

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Monitoring, Modeling and Research focuses on the latest advancements in the stormwater management field.

Relevant topics include:

- Stormwater practice performance
- New stormwater & watershed research
- Applications of hydrologic, hydraulic or other models at differing scales
- Use and development of GIS or other tools for assessing changes in water resources
- Monitoring of hydrology, water quality or other parameters in stormwater runoff, streams etc.

Stormwater Practice Planning and Design addresses effective stormwater practices, their design and implementation. These should be broadly functional and detail the methods and approaches used. Built case studies (versus planned) are preferred. Relevant topics include:

- Practices incorporating TMDL goals such as treating nutrients, baseflow or thermal impacts
- Site designs with extended flow paths and time of concentration
- Stormwater management integrated with site planning and building design
- Stormwater master planning at a neighborhood or watershed scale
- Retrofits of existing stormwater practices
- Improved construction site controls
- Innovative designs, including rainwater harvesting, bioretention and permeable pavements

Stormwater and MS4 Program Management addresses stormwater management program initiatives and tools that address the six minimum control measures. Relevant topics include:

- Municipal operation and maintenance program for post-construction practices
- Stormwater utility development and operation
- Education developed for targeted audiences and pollution problems
- Improved stormwater practice criteria
- Investigating and resolving Illicit discharges
- Stormwater program legal issues
- Budgeting and funding strategies
- Asset and information management

Watershed Planning, Implementation and Restoration addresses watershed planning and stream restoration and protection actions. Relevant topics include:

- Watershed and natural resource assessment tools and methods
- Approaches for TMDL compliance and watershed implementation plan development
- Pollution credit trading
- Stream, wetland and upland restoration projects
- Strategies for watershed or community wide restoration planning and implementation

Additional tracks or sessions will focus on the following topics:

- **Reducing Combined Sewer Overflows**
- **Managing Stormwater in Transportation Projects**
- **Industrial Stormwater Management**
- **Legal Issues in Stormwater and Watershed Management**

SUBMIT ABSTRACT ONLINE AT WWW.OHSTORMWATERCONFERENCE.COM

Questions: Please contact Harry Stark at hstark@ohstormwaterconference.com or 216-385-5248

2016 Ohio Stormwater Conference - Abstract Submittal Form

Or Submit Online at OHSTORMWATERCONFERENCE.COM

The following information must be submitted by October 30, 2015. It is preferred that information be submitted online at www.ohstormwaterconference.com. Please provide only the names of those that are committed to present if accepted, (preferably limited to 2). Accepted presenters will receive a discounted conference registration rate. There is no discount for poster submittal.

☐ Presentation ☐ Poster and Presentation ☐ Poster only

Title (10 word limit): _____

Tracks

- ☐ Stormwater Practice Planning and Design
- ☐ Stormwater & MS4 Program Management
- ☐ Watershed Planning
- ☐ Monitoring, Modeling and Research
- ☐ Reducing Combined Sewer Overflows
- ☐ Managing Stormwater in Transportation Projects
- ☐ Industrial Stormwater Management
- ☐ Legal Issues in Stormwater and Watershed Management

Length of presentation only (before questions).

- ☐ 20 Minute
- ☐ 50 Minute

This presentation complements other material submitted by: _____

Has this material been given at other forums? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please describe when, where and in what form:

Primary Presenter: _____

Organization and Job Title: _____

Address: _____

City: _____, State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Co-presenter: _____

Organization and Job Title: _____

E-mail of Co-Presenter: _____

Please attach or submit the following:

- Summary of Presentation (150 words or less; to be used in the program).
- Target audience for the presentation:
- Primary learning objectives for the presentation?
- Briefly describe the conclusions or analysis you intend to present:
- Speaker Bio (65 words or less):

All Speakers/Poster Presenters including other submitters will receive notification of acceptance/denial in January 2016.