



**Registration
is now open!**

WEFTEC 2014 Facts & Figures

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- Comprehensive technical program featuring more than 1,000 presentations, which were part of 145 technical sessions, 31 workshops, and 8 facility tours
- 3,143 international attendees from 84 countries

THE EXHIBITION

September 28 – September 30

Exhibition Hours

Monday, September 28 – Wednesday, September 30 8:30 am – 5:00 pm, plus private demo hour from 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm on Monday and Tuesday.

Technologies and Services You Will Find

Biosolids & Sludge	Instrumentation, Controls, and Automation	Solids Processing/ Biosolids Management
Chemicals and Chemical Handling	Pipe and Collection Systems	Stormwater Treatment Equipment/Processes
Contract Operations	Pumps, Valves and Motors	Wastewater Treatment Equipment/Processes
Drinking Water Treatment Equipment/Processes	Safety Equipment	
Engineering & Consulting	Sampling and Laboratory Equipment/Services	
Industrial & Hazardous Waste Management		

Operations Challenge

Operations Challenge is the water quality industry's premier professional skills competition. Recognizing excellence in wastewater operations, the five events demonstrate the range of talents possessed by contemporary water quality practitioners. Operations Challenge exposes participants to emerging practices and products in a competitive, educational, and social atmosphere. Participating teams must be endorsed by their Member Association.

Improved and Expanded on the Exhibit Floor

Stormwater Pavilion – Specially dedicated area on the exhibit floor to showcase stormwater treatment products and services including a theater for programming.

Innovation Pavilion – Specially dedicated area on the exhibit floor to showcase innovative water treatment technologies and programming.

Technical Sessions on the Floor – Access up to 20 technical sessions on the exhibit floor to stay informed on the latest practices from industry leading speakers.

Public Official Tours on the Floor – Selected groups of public officials tour the exhibit floor to learn more about the water and wastewater industry and how to best represent their constituencies.

Mobile Sessions on the Exhibit Floor

Have you always wanted to understand different technologies on the exhibit floor but didn't know how to compare them? The mobile sessions will help you do just that. Technical presentations will take place in several different booths containing related equipment to allow you to hear details from the experts. Move from booth to booth as a group and get your questions answered in an educational format. For example, mobile sessions this year will include topics such as UV disinfection, phosphorus removal, and decentralized treatment.

THE CONFERENCE

September 26 – September 30

WEFTEC's Technical Conference

The technical conference, workshops, and facility tours are must-attend educational opportunities. The technical conference includes the following tracks:

Research and Innovation	Stormwater Management
Industrial Issues and Treatment Technology	Watershed Resources Management and Sustainability
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Process and Design	Utility Management and Leadership
Facility Operations	Water Reclamation and Reuse
Residuals and Biosolids Management	Future Insights, Global Issues, and Sustainability
Collection Systems	Government Affairs

Educational Credits

Earn up to 1.2 Continuing Education Credits at workshops, 16.5 Professional Development Hours at technical sessions, and 8 Contact Hours per day at the exposition.



Workshops and Facility Tours

WEFTEC workshops and facility tours enhance the attendees' educational experience. With more than twenty workshops over two days, attendees are offered hands-on, interactive courses with subjects covering topics from wastewater microbiology to management development. Education sessions and workshops at WEFTEC undergo a rigorous review process where 50% or less of the submissions are accepted for presentation resulting in the highest quality program. Facility tours offer attendees a "technology in practice" experience, with the opportunity to visit active projects, construction, and/or operations at sites within the local host community.

Utility Partnership Program

The WEFTEC Utility Partnership Program is specifically designed to maximize utility attendance at this can't-miss training event, despite the strain of current economic struggles. Work for a utility? Please contact Brittany Burch at bburch@wef.org.

International Trade Delegate Program

WEFTEC 2014 attracted 3,143 international attendees from 84 countries. Twenty-two trade delegations from Algeria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, China, Ecuador, Hungary, India, Korea, Latvia, Mexico, Morocco, Nigeria, Peru, Philippines, Russia, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Saudi Arabia and South Sudan actively engaged with U.S. trade agencies, foreign trade groups, exhibitors, and fellow attendees to explore new markets and establish business contacts. For more information, visit <http://www.weftec.org/tradedelegations/>



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