



7th World Water Forum 2015

April 12-17, 2015, Daegu & Gyeongbuk, Rep.of Korea

Thematic Process Session Proposal Form

4.5.2 – “Financing water professional training to develop competencies: A fruitful economic strategy for water utilities!”

Thursday 16 April, 17h-19h

DEC_311, DAEGU – EXCO, 3F Room 325AC (200 seats, classroom type)

Online program available (v05.05.2015)

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1. Session

Reference theme*

(Multiple selection is possible, in case of the joint session with other themes)

- 1.1. Enough Safe Water for All
- 1.2. Integrated Sanitation for All
- 1.3. Adapting to Change : Managing Risk and Uncertainty for Resilience and Disaster Preparedness
- 1.4. Infrastructure for Sustainable Water Resource
- 2.1. Water for Food
- 2.2. Water and Energy
- 2.3. Water and Cities
- 3.1. Green Growth, Water Stewardship and Industry
- 3.2. Managing and Restoring Ecosystems for Water Services and Biodiversity
- 3.3. Ensuring Water Quality from Ridge to Reef
- 3.4. SMART Implementation of IWRM
- 4.1. Economics and Financing for Innovative Investments
- 4.2. Effective Governance : Enhanced Political Decisions, Stakeholder Participation and Technical Information
- 4.3. Cooperation for Reducing Conflict and Improving Transboundary Water Management
- 4.4. Water Cultures, Justice and Equity

X 4.5. Enhancing Education and Capacity Building

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| Session type* | <input type="checkbox"/> Concluding Session (Design Group only) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Issue Session (Session Group) |
| Joint Session with different processes | <input type="checkbox"/> Regional Process (please specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Political Process (please specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Science and Technology Process (please specify) |

Session title* (please kindly use media-friendly language)

T4.5.2 - Financing water professional training to develop competencies: A fruitful economic strategy for water utilities!

Session description* (180 words, please kindly use media-friendly language)

Around the following question: “Why investing in training for water professional is a fruitful economic strategy? “, the Session will analyze water professional training in an economical point of view, presenting its benefits for Water and Sanitation Services and for infrastructure’



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sustainability.

Developing competencies through professional training is key-issue for strengthening performance of water and sanitation services. Experience shows that capacity building is a good way to improve water services delivery. By promoting better efficiency in the operation and maintenance, professional training outputs are directly supporting backbone issues for the sustainable development of the water sector. Consequently, investing in professional training is a **fruitful qualitative strategy**.

Considering the volume of funding mobilized for Water and Wastewater infrastructure, developing capacity through professional training is a relevant way to promote long-term profitably. The lifetime of an infrastructure (and so on the investment profitability) is deeply linked with the maintenance and good use made of it. By upgrading activities standards and outcomes, professional training is furthermore a **fruitful long-term strategy**.

| Session Duration* | | □ 90min X 120min | | |
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| Order | Estimated lead time (min) | Description of items/presentations | Confirmed speakers | |
| 1 | 15 | Opening and introductive Key notes The benefits of vocational training for WSS and infrastructure' sustainability- AquaForMED study | - Josiane MONGELLAZ , Secretary of INWTC - Samir BENSALD , ONEE-IEA (Morocco) | |
| 2 | 30 | 1st round table: An experienced point of view on vocational training of Water and Wastewater public and private Utilities | - Ramon AGUIRRE , ANEAS (Mexico City) - Yamba HAROUNA OUIBIGA , ONEA (Burkina Faso) - Asief ALLI , Rand Water (South Africa) - Jean-Marc JAHN , SEAAL (Algeria) | |
| 3 | 30 | 2nd round Table Vocational training, a fruitful economic strategy: Point of view of training centers | - Newton LIMA AZEVEDO , Hydrus (Brazil) - Joseph PRONOST , IOWater - Amadou Hama MAIGA , 2iE - Jean-Antoine FABY , AgroParistech (France) - Jack Moss , Senior Advisor, AquaFed - Zbigniew SOBOCINSKI , Gdansk Water Foundation, Poland. - Cléo LOSSOUARN , French Paris Public Water Utility | |
| 4 | 30 | 3rd round table The point of view of administrations and financing institutions on vocational training's relevancy | - Frédéric MAUREL French Development Agency - Johan GELY , DEZA, Swiss Development Agency - René CORNEJO DÍAZ , Minister of construction and sanitation (Peru) - Emiliano RODRIGUEZ BRICEÑO , Director at CONAGUA (Mexico) | |
| 5 | 15 | Questions of participants – synthesis – closing remarks, | Ali FASSI FIHRI , CEO_President, ONEE (Morocco) INWTC World President | |

Session schedule in detail
(Insert as many items as you wish)



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3. Session Format/Logistics

Expected number of Participants(room size)¹⁾ *

Less than 50pax 50~100pax + 100~150pax + 150~200pax More than 200pax (pax)

Preferred Room Type²⁾ *

Theater Type Classroom Type Roundtable Type Other()

Use of Translation English-Korean(FREE of charge)³⁾ *

Yes No

Use of Translation for other languages(charged service)³⁾ *

Yes (French Spanish Arabic Chinese Russian Other(Please indicate language(s))

+ No

Additional Requirements(fees can be charged depending on items)

- 1)The room size is subject to changes.
- 2)The room type is subject to changes.
- 3)The 7th World Water Forum Secretariat provides a simultaneous translation in English-Korean only. Please note that the use of translation service for other languages will be charged to the session convenors. The guidelines for the extra services for translation including the price and other details will be announced shortly.

- All rooms will be equipped with 1 computer, 1 video projector, 1 screen, 2 microphones and 1 staff.
- Additional equipments or services(furniture, catering service, additional staff, etc.) will be charged to the session convenors. The guidelines for the extra equipment and catering services including the price and other details list will be announced shortly.
- **Please complete this form and return it by e-mail no later than 15 September 2014.**

(Contact information is different depending on themes. Please refer to the contact information on the bottom of the page)

I agree with the terms and conditions as stated in this form on behalf of this group.

Date 26/01/2015

Organization INWTC - Secretariat

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Contact Points of 7th World Water Forum Thematic Process

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