

Call for abstracts

Nordic Wastewater Conference

NORDIWA

2019

Helsinki, Finland

23 – 25 September 2019



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Leading Nordic event for water professionals – experts and practitioners, managers and operators: utility staff, city planners, researchers, engineers, advisors and others with an interest in wastewater management and climate change adaptation in the Nordic region.

FIWA, DANVA, Samorka, Svenskt Vatten and Norsk Vann invite all water professionals with an interest in wastewater, sewerage and climate change adaptation to submit abstracts for platform, poster and workshop presentations at **NORDIWA 2019**.

Topics for NORDIWA 2019

- Wastewater treatment
- Micropollutants and microplastics
- Energy efficiency and green house gas emissions
- Sewer management and treatment of combined sewer overflows
- Sustainable stormwater management
- Climate adaptation and mitigation
- Circular economy
- Sludge management
- Resource recovery, recycling and recovery of nutrients, reuse of wastewater
- Biogas production and use
- Sustainable Development Goals and wastewater
- Management, governance, benchmarking and new legislation
- Digitalisation
- Protection of the Baltic Sea and co-operation around the Baltic Sea area

Practical information – submission of abstracts

Abstracts shall consist of maximum 600 words
- ½ A4 page and be written in English.
Conference contains platform presentations (15 min)
and shorter workshop and poster presentations.

The deadline for submission of the abstracts
is **January 10th 2019**. The abstracts should be
submitted on **www.norddiwa.org**. The Programme
Committee selects the abstracts and the authors
are informed in the end of March 2019.
The authors of the selected abstracts must submit
a presentation or produce a poster by the end of
August. The conference language is English.

Presentations and posters will be published in a
digital form and are distributed to the participants
at the conference.



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Programme Committee

Lise Hughes, Aarhus Vand A/S, (IWA) • **Helle Kayerød**, DANVA • **Marina Graan**, Helsinki Region Environmental Services Authority, (IWA) • **Mika Rontu**, FIWA • **Saijariina Toivikko**, FIWA • **Sigurjón Norberg Kjærnested**, Samorka • **Fjóra Jóhannesdóttir**, Veitur (IWA) • **Magnar Sekse**, Bergen (IWA) • **Arne Haarr**, Norsk Vann • **Anders Finnson**, Svenskt Vatten • **Anna Norström**, Svenskt Vatten (IWA)

Young Water Professionals

A special session will be organised for Young Water Professionals in the Nordic region.

Special workshops

- A Specialist Workshop on wastewater treatment will be organised in cooperation with Aalto University
- A Specialist Workshop on stormwater management and climate change adaptation will be organised in cooperation with Aalto University
- A Specialist Workshop on small wastewater treatment plants will be arranged in co-operation with the Finnish environment institute (SYKE)

Conference Venue

Clarion Hotel Helsinki - an exciting new meeting place that is 78 metres high.

The conference will be held at the Clarion Hotel Helsinki, located in the new Jätkäsaari (Busholmen) urban investment district in the central West Harbour area. Helsinki's city centre, shops and metro station are just a short walk away. Alternatively you can hop on a tram right next to the hotel.

<https://www.nordicchoicehotels.com/hotels/finland/helsinki/clarion-hotel-helsinki/>

Social program

Conference dinner will be held at the conference venue, Clarion Hotel Helsinki on Tuesday 24th September 2019.

Additionally, there will be Helsinki City reception at The Helsinki City Hall on Monday 23rd September 2019.

Technical tours

As a part of the conference we will organise technical tours with opportunities to visit interesting locations.

Hotels and Tourism

Information about hotel booking and being a tourist in Helsinki: <https://www.myhelsinki.fi/en>

Conference Fee

Early Bird Discount until 1st August	1023 € (incl VAT)
Standard Conference fee	1122 € (incl VAT)
Early Bird Conference fee for platform presenters	682 € (incl VAT)
Standard Conference fee for platform presenters	748 € (incl VAT)
Early Bird Conference fee for full-time students	460 € (incl VAT)
Standard Conference fee for full-time students	540 € (incl VAT)

Conference fee includes Helsinki City Reception and Conference Dinner as well as excursions.

Key dates

- Deadline for submission of abstracts is 10th January 2019
- Registration opens 1st April 2019
- 2nd May 2019 programme published
- Early bird discount ends 1st August 2019