# CONFERENCES & SYMPOSIA 29

SOUTHERN AFRICA & AFRICA 2003

#### ENVIRONMENTAL COURSES

A series of environmental courses on the new environmental law, implementing environmental management systems and audits, water quality management, environmental risk assessment, air quality management, the legal framework for managing water in South Africa, etc will be held throughout the year by CEM (the Centre for Environmental Management) at the University of Potchefstroom (PU for CHE). Enquiries: Mrs Dydre Greeff/Mrs Madel Lottering. Tel: (018) 299 2714 or (018) 299 2725. Fax: (018) 299-2726. E-mail: aokdg@puknet.puk.ac.za or aokml@puknet.puk.ac.za Web: http://www.puk.ac.za/ education/shortcourses/ environment.html

## ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT OCTOBER 7-9

A short course on environmental management will be held at the Post-Graduate Centre of the University of Pretoria. Enquiries: Ms Marina Nell. Tel: (012) 420 5010. Fax: (012) 362 5285. E-mail: <u>marina.ce@up.ac.za</u>

### MINE WATER NOVEMBER 3-5

A conference with the theme "Implementing sustainable development in mining: From talk to action" will be held at the Indaba Hotel in Sandton. Enquiries: The Conference Administrator – attention: Ms Ammie Wissing, Conference Planners, PO Box 36782, Menlo Park 0102. E-mail: wissing@iafrica.com Tel: 012-348 4493.

Fax: 012-348 1563.

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## WATER SUPPLIERS FEBRUARY 19-24

The Union of African Water Suppliers (UAWS) will be holding its 12<sup>th</sup> bi-annual African congress in Accra, Ghana. Enquiries: Mr Dennis D Mwanza, Water Utility Partnership (WUP), 05 BP 2642, Abidjan, Cote d'Ivoire. Tel: +225 21 2408 28. Tel (direct line): +225 21 2408 13. Cell: +225 070199 01. Fax: +225 21 75 8656/7.

## WASTEWATER JUNE 27-30

An IWA specialist conference on water and wastewater management for developing countries will be held at Victoria Falls in Zimbabwe. Enquiries: Innocent Nhapi, Department of Civil Engineering, University of Zimbabwe, Box MP167, Mount Pleasant, Harare, Zimbabwe. Tel: 263 (0) 4 303288. E-mail: wamdec2004@eng.uz.ac.zw Web: www.uz.ac.zw/engineering/civil/wamdec2004

#### **OVERSEAS**

### GROUNDWATER MAY - DECEMBER 2003

The Centre for Groundwater Studies (CGS) in Australia will be organising short courses on groundwater related themes throughout the year. CGS courses can be counted towards a Master of Science in Groundwater Hydrology degree offered by Flinders University in Adelaide. Australia. Enquiries: Trevor Pillar Tel: 61 8 8201 5632. Fax: 61 8 8201 5635. F-mail<sup>.</sup> cgs.training@groundwater.com.au Web: www.groundwater.com.au

#### DESALINATION SEPTEMBER 28 -OCTOBER 2

The International Desalination Association's conference and workshop on integrated membrane systems for brackish water, seawater and wastewater desalination will be held in Paradise Island, Bahamas. Enquiries: AMTA/IDA Tel: 760 643 1750. Fax: 760 643 1751. E-mail: <u>amtaorg@aol.com</u> Web: <u>www.membranes-amta.org</u>

#### BENCHMARKING SEPTEMBER 29 -OCTOBER 2

A conference on the global developments in water industry performance benchmarking will take place in Perth, Australia. Enquiries: Office of Water Regulation. Tel: +61 (08) 9213 0100. E-mail:

benchmarkingwater@wrc.wa.gov.au Web: www.wrc.wa.gov.au/owr/

#### SEDIMENTS SEPTEMBER 30 -OCTOBER 3

The 2<sup>nd</sup> international conference on the remediation of contaminated sediments will take place at the Palazzo del Cinema, on the island of Lido, Venice, Italy. Enquiries: The Conference Group, 1580 Fishinger Road, Columbus, OH 43221, USA. E-mail: <u>info@confgroupinc.com</u> Tel: 614 488 2030. Fax: 614 488 5747. Web: <u>http://www.battelle.org/ environment/er/conferences/</u> sedimentscon/default.stm

## WATER RESOURCES OCTOBER 5-9

The 11<sup>th</sup> world congress on water resources - water resources management in the 21<sup>st</sup> century will be held in Madrid, Spain. Enquiries: E-mail: <u>wwater2003@cedex.es</u> Web: <u>www.cedex.es/</u> <u>iwracongress2003/</u>

## WASTE MANAGE-MENT

## OCTOBER 6-10

The 9<sup>th</sup> international waste management and landfill symposium will be held in Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy. Enquiries: Professor R Cossu, Image Department, University of Padua, Via Loredan 20, 35131 Padova, Italy. Tel: +39 049 8726986. Fax: +39 049 8726987. E-mail: <u>eurowaste@tin.it</u> or info@sardiniasymposium.it

## WEFTEC 2003 OCTOBER 11 – 15

The Water Environment Federation's 76<sup>th</sup> annual technical exhibition and conference will be presented in Los Angeles, California, USA. Enquiries: WEF Tel: 1-703 684 2452. Fax: 1-703 684 2452. Fax: 1-703 684 2401. E-mail: <u>confinfo@wef.org</u> Web:<u>www.weftec.org/</u>

# CONTAMINATED SOILS

# **OCTOBER 20-23**

The 19<sup>th</sup> annual international conference on contaminated soils, sediments and water will take place at the University of Massachusetts in Amherst, MA, USA.

Enquiries: Denise Leonard Tel: 413 545 1239. E-mail: <u>info@UMassSoils.com</u> Web: <u>www.UMassSoils.com</u>

#### WATER-RELATED DISEASES NOVEMBER 1-8

The 1<sup>st</sup> annual international scientific conference on waterrelated diseases, sponsored by the Global Council on Water Diseases, will be held in Abuja, Nigeria.

Enquiries: Please visit the conference website: <u>http://</u><u>www.gcowd.com</u>

#### WASTEWATER NOVEMBER 12-14

The 4<sup>th</sup> international symposium

on wastewater reclamation and reuse will be held in Mexico City, Mexico.

Enquiries: Blanca Jimenez, Instituto de Ingenieria, UNAM, Apartado Postal 70-472, Ciudad Universitaria, 04510, Mexico, D.F. Fax: +525 622-3433. Email: <u>iwa@pumas.iingen.unam.mx</u> Web: <u>http://www.iwahq.org.uk/</u> template.cfm?name=wwrr4

# GROUND WATER DECEMBER 9-12

The National Groundwater Association's 2003 Ground Water Expo will be presented in Orlando, Florida, USA. Enquiries: NGA, Dept 481, Columbus, OH 43265-0481. Tel: 800 551 7379/614 8987791. Fax: (614) 898 7786. E-mail: ngwa@ngwa.org Web: http://www.ngwa.org/ convention/national.html#2003

## WATER HISTORY DECEMBER 11-14

The 3<sup>rd</sup> conference of the international water history association will be held in Cairo, Egypt. Enquiries: Alv Terje Fotland. E-mail: a.fotland@iwha.net Tel: +47 55 589315. Fax: +47 55 589892. Web: <u>http://www.iwha.net/</u>

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## WASTEWATER JANUARY 26-29

A conference on wastewater treatment for nutrient (nitrogen and phosphorus) removal and reuse will be held in Bangkok, Thailand.

Enquiries: Dr Ajit Annachhatre, School of Environment, Resources and Development, Asian Institute of Technology, PO Box 4 Klong Luang, Pathumthani 12120. Tel & Fax: 662 524 5644. E-mail: ajit@ait.ac.th

## SMALL SYSTEMS FEBRUARY 11-13

The 6th IWA Specialist Confer-

ence on Small Water and Wastewater Systems will be held in Fremantle, Western Australia. Enquiries: Dr Kuruvilla Mathew, Environmental Technology Centre – Murdoch University, South Street, Murdoch, WA, 6150, Australia. Tel: +61 (0) 8 9360 2896. Fax: +61 (0) 8 9310 4997. E-mail: <u>K.Mathew@murdoch.edu.au</u>

#### WASTEWATER TREATMENT FEBRUARY 11-13

The 1<sup>st</sup> international conference on On-site Wastewater Treatment and Recycling will be held in Fremantle, Western Australia. Enquiries: Dr Kuruvilla Mathew, Environmental Technology Centre – Murdoch University, South Street, Murdoch, WA, 6150, Australia. Tel: +61 (0) 8 9360 2896. Fax: +61 (0) 8 9310 4997. E-mail:

K.Mathew@murdoch.edu.au

# DRAINAGE MARCH 21-24

The 8<sup>th</sup> international drainage symposium together with the 10<sup>th</sup> national symposium on individual and small community sewage systems, will be held in Sacramento, California, USA. Enquiries: American Society of Agricultural Engineers, 2950 Niles Road, St Joseph, MI 49085. Tel: 269 429 0300. Fax: 269 429 0300. Fax: 269 429 3852. E-mail: <u>AS31@umail.umd.edu</u> Web: <u>http://www.asae.org/</u> meetings/sew04/index.html

## ENVIRO 04 MARCH 28 - APRIL I

The Enviro Convention and Exhibition is an event incorporating six conferences dealing with sustainable industry, water (planning for the future), waste, sustainable energy, business of the environment and advances in odour management. It is a biennial event and will be held in Sydney, Australia. Enquiries: Event Manager, Quitz Pty Ltd, PO Box 632, Willoughby NSW 2068 Australia. Tel: +61 (0)2 9410 1302. Fax: +61 (0)2 94100036. E-mail: <u>quitz@bigpond.net.au</u> Web: <u>www.enviroaust.net</u>

# AUTOMONET APRIL 19-20

An international conference on automation in water quality monitoring - networks for surveillance, early warning and process control strategies and techniques of real time water quality assessment - will be held in Vienna, Austria. Enquiries: Bernadette Ebner, KUONI Incoming Service GmbH, Wahringer Str 2-4/40, A-1090, Vienna, Austria. Tel: +43(0)1 319 7690-26. Fax: +43(0)1 3191180. E-mail: bernadette.ebner@kuoni.at

## FILTRATION APRIL 19-23

The 9<sup>th</sup> world filtration congress, sponsored by the American Filtration and Separations Society, will be held in New Orleans, Louisiana, United States. Enquiries: Ms Kathy Hemming Tel: 1 703 538 1000. Fax: 1 703 538 6305. E-mail: <u>Kathleen.hemming@verizon.net</u> Web: <u>www.afssociety.org</u>

## PIPES APRIL 19-22

A conference called Plastic Pipes XII will be held in Milan, Italy. Enquiries: Michael Ball, PPI Tel: (202)462 9607. E-mail: <u>mball@plasticpipe.org</u> Web: <u>www.plasticpipe.org</u>

## WATERSHED 2004 JULY 11-14

The Water Environment Federation (WEF) will sponsor an international speciality conference in Dearborn, Michigan, USA, on integrated resource management and environmental protection using watershed approaches. Enquiries: WEF, 601 Wythe Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-1994, USA. Tel: 703 684 2400 x 7010.

E-mail: watershed04@wef.org

## HYDROLOGY JULY 12-16

This conference – Hydrology: Science and Practice for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century – will be held in London, United Kingdom, and is designed to bring together hydrologists involved in scientific research and operational practice to address key issues affecting hydrology in the new century.

Enquiries: For more information, please visit the website: <u>www.hydrology.org.uk/bhs2004/</u> welcome.htm

#### ANAEROBIC DIGES-TION AUGUST 29 - SEP-TEMBER 2

The 10<sup>th</sup> World Congress – Anaerobic Digestion 2004 - with the theme: Anaerobic Bioconversion for Sustainability will be held in Montreal, Canada. Enquiries: Mrs Marie Lanouette, National Research Council Canada, 1200 Montreal Road, Building M-19, Ottawa, ON, Canada K1A0R6. Tel: (613) 993-0414. Fax: (613) 993-7250. E-mail: ad10.2004@nrc-cnrc.gc.ca Website: www.ad2004montreal.org

#### WORLD WATER SEPTEMBER 20-24

The International Water Association (IWA) will hold its 4<sup>th</sup> world water congress in Marrakesh, Morocco. Enquiries: AMEPA Tel: +212 3763 2093. Fax: +212 3763 7682. E-mail: <u>sehi@elan.net.ma</u> Web: <u>http://www.iwahq.org.uk/</u>