



ASSOCIATION OF STATE DRINKING WATER ADMINISTRATORS

Call for Papers & Exhibitors



33rd Annual Conference

Embassy Suites Des Moines - Des Moines, IA - October 22 - 25, 2018



ASDWA is the professional Association supporting state drinking water programs in their efforts to protect public health and implement the requirements of the Safe Drinking Water Act. Our members are the 50 states, territories, the Navajo Nation, and the District of Columbia. On behalf of our members, you are invited to join state, Federal, and local water professionals who will gather at ASDWA's 33rd Annual Conference to tackle the many challenges facing the water community. By contributing your knowledge and vision to the conference's program you can help us achieve our goal of protecting public health as we face an array of 21st century challenges. ASDWA solicits both oral presentations and exhibitors of products and services that are invaluable in helping us achieve our collective goals.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE PROFILE

Approximately 250 attendees are expected at ASDWA's Thirty-third Annual Conference in Des Moines, IA. Conference attendees will include state and territorial drinking water program administrators and their staff, government personnel from EPA and other Federal agencies, drinking water association personnel, water community colleagues, and industry group representatives.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE LOGISTICS

Registration Information

Visit **ASDWA's Events** page on the web at <http://www.asdwa.org/events> to register online for the 2018 Annual Conference.

Conference Registration Fees

State	\$400.00
EPA	\$450.00
Other	\$500.00

Hotel Information

Embassy Suites
101 East Locust St.
Des Moines, IA 50309

ASDWA has reserved a block of guest rooms at the rate of \$145.00 single or double occupancy. Reservations must be made by **September 28, 2018** to guarantee room availability.

Guests are welcome to call 1-800-362-2779 or book their reservations online by following the instructions at <https://www.asdwa.org/events>. If you call, please reference the ASDWA Annual Conference to receive the group discount rate.

For More Information



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PRESENTATIONS

Deadline for Abstracts: June 8, 2018

Please submit your abstract for ASDWA's 2018 Annual Conference. ASDWA will give priority to abstracts received from state drinking water administrators or their staff and from those who partner with state programs.

Notifications regarding submitted abstracts will be made in late July.

PRESENTATION THEMES:

- ❖ Emerging drinking water treatment technologies and optimization
- ❖ SDWA implementation approaches and strategies including collaborations and partnerships
- ❖ DW SRF tools and techniques
- ❖ Drinking water emergency preparedness, resiliency and cybersecurity strategies and tools
- ❖ Small systems: TMF, sustainability strategies, technologies, and compliance
- ❖ Workforce, operator certification, and/or technical assistance initiatives
- ❖ Source water protection and sustainability
- ❖ Clean Water Act/SDWA connections, nutrient pollution, and Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs)
- ❖ Data management, electronic reporting, and SDWIS Prime
- ❖ Lead service line replacement; lead testing in schools
- ❖ Distribution system water quality
- ❖ Emerging contaminants - PFAS & 1,4-dioxane
- ❖ Drinking water research
- ❖ Risk assessment, risk communication and consumer outreach

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMISSIONS:

- ❖ Submit a one page abstract by **June 8, 2018**;
- ❖ Include a title and brief summary of the proposed presentation and the name, title, and affiliation of the intended speaker(s);
- ❖ Include the mailing address, telephone and fax numbers, and email address for the intended speaker(s); and
- ❖ **Submit the abstract to Deirdre Mason of ASDWA via email at dmason@asdwa.org**
- ❖ **You may submit an abstract online at <https://form.jotform.com/ASDWA/call-for-papers-2018>.**

EXHIBITORS

Deadline for Applications: August 30, 2018

Please submit your exhibit space applications for ASDWA's 2018 Annual Conference. Exhibitors have a unique opportunity to discuss critical legislative and regulatory issues with state drinking water administrators, EPA officials, and others in the drinking water community. In addition, exhibitors are able to present their products and services to those with influence on buying decisions - the state drinking water administrators.

EXHIBITOR THEMES:

- ❖ Drinking water and cybersecurity technologies
- ❖ Information on strategies and training for drinking water emergency preparedness, resiliency and cybersecurity
- ❖ Treatment processes & equipment such as particle counters, membranes, ozonation devices, corrosion control, arsenic removal, and disinfection technologies
- ❖ Small system technologies and tools
- ❖ Information on regulatory compliance, education, training, operator certification and technical assistance programs, and data management services and products
- ❖ Strategies and tools for sustainability, water/energy efficiency, and conservation
- ❖ Processes or strategies for dealing with emerging contaminants such as PFAS and 1,4-dioxane

EXHIBITOR FEES:

8' x 8' Booth: \$1200.00 8' x 10' Booth: \$1350.00

INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXHIBITORS:

Please contact Tom Maves of ASDWA at (703) 812-4773 or tmaves@asdwa.org to obtain the exhibitor prospectus, which includes an exhibitor space and sponsorship application. You may also visit us online at <https://www.asdwa.org/exhibitors/> for additional information and submission options.



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