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2020 Singapore International Water Week Scholar Program Accepting Applications

ALEXANDRIA, Va. – The application period for the 2020 Singapore International Water Week Scholar Program is open. Organized by the Water Environment Federation (WEF), National Association of Clean Water Agencies (NACWA) and The Water Research Foundation (WRF) in partnership with the Singapore International Water Week (SIWW), the scholarship will be awarded to water sector leaders dedicated to addressing some of the industry’s most pressing issues using a global approach. The selected scholars will comprise the United States delegation of utility leaders attending SIWW, July 5-9, 2020.

SIWW provides a global platform for water sector leaders to share and co-create innovative solutions. It also reinforces a commitment to the global integration of sustainable water management strategies with urban planning processes. SIWW gathers global water leaders and practitioners from the public and private sectors to engage in discussion and debate, network with key industry players, showcase leading-edge technologies and best practices, and identify practical methodologies to address water issues.

This scholarship program seeks managers of a U.S. water or wastewater utility who are interested in or have a working knowledge in the following interest areas:

- Climate resilience
- Resource efficiency
- SMART utility

General managers and CEOs of utilities are highly encouraged to apply. The scholarship covers travel, lodging and registration expenses. The application deadline is Jan. 10, 2020. For more information about the scholarship, or to apply, click [here](#).

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About WEF

The Water Environment Federation (WEF) is a not-for-profit technical and educational organization of 35,000 individual members and 75 affiliated Member Associations representing water quality professionals around the world. Since 1928, WEF and its members have protected public health and the environment. As a global water sector leader, our mission is to connect water professionals; enrich the expertise of water professionals; increase the awareness of the impact and value of water; and provide a platform for water sector innovation. To learn more, visit www.wef.org.

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About NACWA

For nearly 50 years, the National Association of Clean Water Agencies (NACWA) has been the nation's recognized leader in legislative, regulatory and legal advocacy on the full spectrum of clean water issues. NACWA represents public wastewater and stormwater agencies of all sizes nationwide, who together serve nearly 125 million people. Our unique and growing network strengthens the advocacy voice for all member utilities, and ensures they have the tools necessary to provide affordable and sustainable clean water for all. Our vision is to represent every public clean water utility as a NACWA member, helping to build a strong and sustainable clean water future. For more information, visit us at www.nacwa.org.
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About WRF

The Water Research Foundation (WRF) is the world's leading research organization advancing the science of all water to meet the evolving needs of its subscribers and the water sector. WRF is a nonprofit, educational organization that funds, manages, and publishes research on the technology, operation, and management of drinking water, wastewater, reuse, and stormwater systems—all in pursuit of protection of public health and the environment. WRF represents approximately 1,200 subscribers, hosts an online research library of more than 2,300 completed projects valued at \$700 million, manages an innovation platform (LIFT Link) with a database of more than 140 innovative technologies, and supports the world's largest body of stormwater best practice data. For more information, visit www.waterf.org.
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About Singapore International Water Week

Singapore International Water Week (SIWW) is proud to celebrate 10 years of water excellence in 2018 and will return for its ninth edition from 5 – 9 July 2020, co-located with the World Cities Summit (WCS) and CleanEnviro Summit Singapore (CESG). Comprising the Lee Kuan Yew Water Prize, Water Leaders Summit, Water Convention, Business Forums, Water Expo, TechXchange, Young Water Leaders Summit and Site Visits, the SIWW delivers a range of flagship programmes and platforms that bring together the global value chain of water to share the latest in business and technological innovations, as well as policy developments in water.

At the Water Expo @ City Solutions Singapore, expect the latest product launches and cutting-edge water technologies at the most comprehensive water and environment trade show in the region gathering global water leaders and practitioners. As a testament to its status as the leading global platform, returning exhibitors have already committed more than 70% of exhibition space, well ahead of SIWW 2020. Some of the participating country/region pavilions include Canada, China, Denmark, EUBA, Germany, Israel, Korea, Netherlands, Spain, Taiwan, Turkey, UK and USA.

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