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IAH2023 CONGRESS ROUND THE CORNER Important updates and information

With IAH2023 just around the corner, we have some important updates and information to ensure you make the most of your Congress experience.

We are excited to publish the first draft of the programme for oral presentations on the website https://iah2023.org.za/

The Scientific Committee are thankful to authors from all corners of the world who have submitted abstracts for oral and poster presenters. Additionally, various organisations have arranged special sessions focussing on topical issues. The special sessions include:

- · The future of groundwater resources research for Africa (convenors UNESCO/IAH)
- · Transformational development of groundwater resources: Towards adaptation and resilience (convenor WRC)
- · Enhancing inclusive groundwater governance and management in TBAs (convenor SADC-GMI)
- · Advancing the knowledge of strategic aquifers in SADC (convenor SADC-GMI)
- · Sustaining Local-scale Resilient Hubs Using Groundwater (Convenor SADC-GMI)
- · Near real-time Groundwater Level Forecasting (convenor BGRM)
- · Municipal Groundwater Supply (convenor City of Cape Town)

- · Young Professionals Programme (convenor WRC)
- Groundwater Project (convenor John Cherry) The Congress provides opportunities for special engagements. There will be a meeting of the new IAH UN-Engagement Working Group and a meeting to establish an 'Education and Outreach Working Group'.

Preliminary Programme

The preliminary programme is now available on our website at https://iah2023.org.za/ Please view the programme to plan your attendance and make the most of the diverse sessions and presentations.

Presenting authors of orals and posters

Presenting authors of both orals and posters will receive an email 25 August 2023 with presentation instructions which will be available on the Congress website by end of August 2023.

Online registration

Late registration is possible until 21 August 2023 at https://iah2023.org.za/registration/

We thank our sponsors and exhibitors for their support.

There are still a few sponsorship opportunities available and limited exhibitor space open. Please contact the organisers at deidre@iafrica.com if you are interested in sponsoring/exhibiting at the congress



























































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Field Excusions

Delegates will receive an email with the Field Excursion itinerary and their exact starting time for their excursion shortly. It is IMPERATIVE that delegates meet at the CTICC 1 - 30 minutes prior to the departure of their field excursion.

Date: All field excursions start on Monday, 18th September 2023.

Meeting Point: Cape Town International Convention Centre 1 (CTICC 1)

Time: Between 07:30 and 9:00 am.





