

2ND EUROPEAN WATER AND WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE & EXHIBITION

29-30TH September 2008, Thinktank, Birmingham, UK

MONDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER 2008 (DAY 1)

WASTEWATER T	REATMENT				
9.45 – 10.10	Wastewater Treatment Works Flows and Loads Optimisation in CFD Robinson, C.M.E. and Ganeshalingham, J., MMI Engineering, UK				
10.10 – 10.35	The Wehrle 'lo-energy' Crossflow (sidestream) MBR Robinson, T., Wehrle Environmental, UK				
10.35 – 11.00	Development and Application of a CFD Tool Applied to the Anoxic Zone Design Wilson, R. ¹ , Egarr, D. ¹ and Burt, D. ² , ¹ Severn Trent Water Ltd, ² MMI Engineering Ltd, UK				
11.00 – 11.20	Coffee Break and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)				
11.20 – 11.45	Control of Active Biomass in Biological Wastewater Treatment Systems Through New Generation of ATP-Methods: Improving Effluent Toxicity Monitoring and Optimisation of Performances in Bioreactors Delporte, C. ¹ , Todorova, V. ² and Raymond, M. ² , Ondeo Industrial Solutions, Aquatools, France				
11.45 – 12.10	Development and Validation of a Multi-Configurable MBR Fouling Model Janus, T. and P. Paul, Water Software Systems, Faculty of Computing Sciences and Engineering, De Montfort University, UK				
PLENARY SESSIO	N				
12.15 – 12.35	Delivering Value Through Long-Term Asset Management George Day, Head of Asset Strategy and Interim Director, Network and Regulation, OFWAT				
12.35 - 12.55	Deterioration modelling in Modern Asset Management Serviceability Modelling Integration of Unit Costs and Asset Serviceability Modelling Clive Deadman, United Utilities				
12.55 – 13.05	Discussion and Questions				

13.05 – 14.05	Lunch & Exhibition (ThinkSpace)				
ADVANCED TERTIARY TREATMENT					
14.05 – 14.30	Expanded Bed Technology for Biological Wastewater Treatment Dempsey, M., Advanced Bioprocess Development Ltd and Manchester Metropolitan University, UK				
14.30 – 14.55	Use of Disc Filters in Tertiary Solids Removal Barter, P., Hydro International, UK				
14.55 – 15.20	Metals Removal from Final Effluent using Virotec Filtration Media Lowe, M., Aqua Enviro Limited, UK				
15.20 – 15.40	Coffee Break and Exhibition (Thinkspace)				
15.40 – 16.05	Operation of Advanced Treatment Processes at Ilkeston STW for EDC Removal Churchley, J. and Narroway, Y., Severn Trent Water Ltd				
INLET WORKS					
16.05 – 16.30	Screenings Handling Equipment – Solving Operational Problems Spencer, C., JWC International, UK				
16.30 – 16.55	Inlet Works: Design Approach and Experiences in Yorkshire Water Fell, C. and Green, S., Yorkshire Water, UK				

ROOM 2 - Brit	ndley Room	
SEWERS AND DRAINAGE		
9.45 – 10.10	Contemporary Sustainable Drainage: Time for a Paradigm Change Schofield, D., Arup, UK	
10.10 – 10.35	Sustainable Drainage Systems by Design; Threat or a Promise? Roberts, C. ¹ , Illman, S. ² , and Puckmayr, J. ² , ¹ University of Gloucestershire, ² Illman Young Landscape Design Limited, UK	
10.35 – 11.00	Implications for Treatment Processes and Networks Following Water Saving Initiatives Prior , K. ¹ , Machell, J. ² , Boxall, J. ² , Saul, A. ² , ¹ CookPrior Associates Ltd, ² Pennine Water Group, University of Sheffield, UK	
11.00 – 11.20	Coffee Break and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)	
11.20 – 11.45	Achieving Better Bathing Waters Through a Truly Integrated Multi-Catchment Approach in Barry, South Wales Jones, J. ¹ , Barcock, N. ² , ¹ JRJ Consulting and ² Metoc, UK	
11.45 – 12.10	Low Cost Continuous Collection of Sewer System Condition Data Cutting, J., Mouchel, UK	

PLENARY SESSION (ROOM 1)				
Lunch and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)				
POLICY				
Evaluating the Impact of Policy Formation on Implementation: The Case of Drinking Water Directive 80/778/EEC				
Jenkins, J., University of Hertfordshire, UK				
Water Quality Monitoring and Modeling Studies to Support Resource Management Decisions				
Evans, D.J. and Jones, V., Atkins Limited, UK				
Delivering Plans to Ensure Safe Drinking Water Homewood, J., Atkins, UK				
Coffee Break and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)				
Public Awareness Campaign For Natural Drinking Water in Ljubjana, Slovenia Jamnik, B., JP Vodovod-Kanalizacija, Slovenia				
Balancing Levels of Service with Estimates of Source Yield Piper, B., Atkins Water Resources Management, UK				
New Passive Sampling Device for Improved Monitoring of Drinking Water and Groundwater Resources De Jonge, H. and Møller, M., Sorbisense A/S, Denmark				
Lotic eutrophication – Case Study of a Tropical River in Southeast Brazil Cunha, D.G.F. and Calijuri, M.C., SHS/EESC/USP, Department of Hydraulics and Sanitary Engineering, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil				
Predicting the Impact of Projected Change in Agriculture by 2015 on the Likelihood of Catchments across England and Wales Meeting 'Good Ecological Status' for Sediment Collins, A.L., Anthony, S.G., Turner, T., Hawley, J., ADAS, UK				

ROOM 3 – Lodge Room

FUTURE WATER: THE UK GOVERNMENT'S WATER STRATEGY

9.45 - 12.10

Session organised by Dr. James O. Jenkins, University of Hertfordshire

Chair: Professor Bob Breach

Leading regulatory and industry practitioners are brought together to provide delegates with a unique opportunity to understand how the water industry and its regulators are responding to the UK government's water strategy. The session concludes with a panel led to discussion that offers delegates the opportunity to question guest speakers.

The Regulator Perspective

David King, Director of Water Management (9.45 – 10.05)

Nick Ellins, Head of Policy and Research, Consumer Council for Water (10.05 – 10.25) Dr. Cheryl Case, Head of the Water Strategy Team, DEFRA (10.25 -10.45)

The Water Industry Perspective

Richard Critchley, PRO9 Water Supply Demand Manager, United Utilities (10.45 – 11.05) (Coffee Break 11.05 – 11.20)

Mike Pocock, Head of Strategic Planning, Three Valleys Water PLC and Veolia Water (11.20 – 11.40)

Regulators and Industry Together (11.40 – 12.10)

Discussion led by Professor Bob Breach and Panel

12.10 -13.05	PLENARY SESSION (ROOM 1)
13.05 – 14.05	Lunch and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)

SUSTAINABLE ENGINEERING

14.05 – 14.30	Water Framework Directive: Sustainable Treatment Solutions to Achieving Good Ecological Status
	Andrews, J. and Hobson, J., WRc plc, UK
14.30 – 14.55	SEA Change or Just a Minor Ripple?
	Davis, P. and Barker, M., Entec UK Ltd, UK
14.55 – 15.20	Risk Management for the Revised Bathing Water Directive: How to Identify Failure
	Mechanisms and Management Strategies for Compliance
	Dannatt, R., Franklin, S. and Saunders, A., Metoc, UK
15.20 – 15.40	Coffee break and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)
15.40 - 16.05	Asset Management in the Context of Environmental Impact: Optimising
	Investment, Performance and Maintenance
	Dannatt, R., Saunders, A. and Lester, J., Metoc, UK
16.05 - 16.30	Feasibility Study on Grey Water Reuse
	Jiang, J., Acheampong, B., He, Q., Balazs, T. and Bancroft, T., Faculty of Physics
	Science, University of Surrey, UK
16.30 – 16.55	Upgrading Foul and Storm-Water Pumping Stations and Rising Mains in Extreme
	(Middle East) Conditions
	Bottom, S. and Graham, H., Gutteridge Haskins and Davey Ltd, Australia

TUESDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER 2008 (DAY 2)

ROOM 1 – Lecture Theatre

THE WATER FRAMEWORK DIRECTIVE – WILL IT IMPACT THE WATER COMPANIES? 9.00 – 10.40

Chair - Tony Harrington, Head of Environment, Yorkshire Water

Where are we at with the WFD?

Martin Booth, Water Framework Directive Programme Executive, Environment Agency

Is OFWAT considering the implications?

Kevin Ridout, Interim Head of Quality Enhancement, OFWAT **Anne Robson**, Senior Analyst, OFWAT

Water Company awareness of the WFD

Ruth Barden, Environmental Scientist, Wessex Water

Yvette De Garis, Head of Environmental Strategy, Thames Water

Facilitated Panel Discussion including above speaker plus

Amanda Craig, Major Project Manager – PRO9, Natural England,

Simon Tait, Professor of Civil Engineering, University of Bradford

led by the Chair with audience involvement

10.40 – 11.10	Coffee & Exhibition (ThinkSpace)				
CARBON FOOTP	RINT & ENERGY MANAGEMENT				
Chair – Dr. Mike	Keil, Head Climate Change Policy, OFWAT				
11.10 – 11.35	Calculating the Carbon Footprint of Wastewater Treatment Plants				
	Hunt, P., Tze Yen, C. and Franklin, B., Earth Tech Engineering Limited, UK				
11.35 – 12.00	Sustainable Environmental Projects – a bottom up approach				
	Wilson, R., Pell Frischmann, UK				
12.00 – 12.25	Comparing the carbon footprint of an Anaerobic Membrane Bioreactor Reactor				
	(MBR) to other sewage treatment processes				
	Jolly, M., Knight,G. and Strutt, J., Black & Veatch UK				
12.25 – 12.50	Nutrient Removal Versus Carbon Footprint Reduction in Wastewater Treatment: An				
	Acceptable Balance				
	Ifelebuegu, A., Severn Trent Water Ltd, UK				
12.50 – 13.50	Lunch and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)				
13.50 – 14.15	Energy Use and Carbon Footprint for Waste Water and Sludge Treatment				
	Wall, D. and Holland, G., MWH Global, UK				
14.15 – 14.40	Reducing Carbon Footprint by being Specific about Energy Saving				
	Griffith, F., ABB Ltd, UK				
14.40 – 15.05	Carbon Footprinting AMP4 Projects				
	Black, J. and Rands, J., United Utilities, UK				
15.05 – 15.30	Electricity Production, H ₂ Generation and CO ₂ Mitigation During Wastewater				
	Treatment by a Modified Fenton Process				
	Tokumura, M., Morito, R., Znad, H.T. and Kawase, Y., Research Center for Biochemical				
	and Environmental Engineering, Department of Applied Chemistry, Toyo University,				
	Japan				

ROOM 2 – Brindley Room

ODOUR MANAGEMENT

Chair - Julie Jeavons, Principal Engineer, Mouchel

9.00 - 9.25	Emergence of Odour Standards for the Wastewater Sector		
	Hall, D., Entec UK Ltd, UK		
9.25 – 9.50	Odour Management – Taking it Seriously		
	Peirson, S., ADAS Environmental Group, UK		
9.50 – 10.15	Autonomous Odour Alert System		
	Mesbah, B. ¹ and Micone, P. ² , ¹ Airfobep, ² Odotech, France		
10.15 – 10.40	Development of Probabilistic Dispersion Modeling for Odour Impact Assessment		
	from DCWASA Reuse site		
	Intarakosit, E. ¹ , Baecher, G.B. ¹ , Peot, C. ² and Ramirez, M. ² , ¹ University of Maryland,		
	² DC Water and Sewer Authority, USA		
10.40 – 11.10	Coffee and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)		
NUTRIENT & PHO	DSPHORUS REMOVAL		
11.10 – 11.35	Design Selection, Construction and Commissioning of Three Tertiary Denitrification		
	Filter Systems for the Southern Water AMP4 Programme		
	Barnes, C., MWH Global, UK		
11.35 – 12.00	Actual Works Performance – Robust Design for WFD Consent Changes		
	Wickens, D., Severn Trent Water Ltd, UK		
12.00 – 12.25	Practical Experiences From Implementing Total Nitrogen Removal in the UK:		
	Meeting the 10 mhN/l Standard with 4 Stage Bardenpho		
	Sunner, N., MWH Global, UK		
12.25 – 12.50	Implementing Nitrifying Sand Filters for Combined BOD and Ammonia Reduction:		
	Selection, Design and Performance Review		
	Chapman, P., MWH Global, UK		
12.50 – 13.50	Lunch and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)		
13.50 – 14.15	Evaluation of Suitable Design Configurations for Enhanced Biological Phosphorus		
	(EBPR) at Minworth WwTW		
	Pitt, S. ¹ , Hale, C. ¹ , Kaur, K. ¹ , Vale, P. ² And Wilson, R. ² , ¹ WatStech Ltd, ² Severn Trent		
	Water Ltd, UK		
14.15 – 14.40	Fermenting RAS to Improve Enhanced Biological Phosphorus Removal		
	Thomas, D., Severn Trent Water Ltd, UK		
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ROOM 3 – Lodge Room

ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CARBON EMISSIONS REDUCTION IN THE WATER INDUSTRY 9.00-10.40

2005/2006 the water industry consumed 7,700 GWh of energy which accounts for 2% of total UK consumption; this presents an ever increasing burden for the industry, particularly as energy bills have doubled in the last 5 years. However, there area also substantial opportunities for energy saving, carbon emissions reduction and for the implementation of renewable and energy recovery technology.

Mouchel has carried out extensive work to look at novel ways of addressing some of the industry's largest

areas of energy consumption, such as pumping and activated sludge aeration. We are working with known techniques as well as providers of novel software and technology to provide optimum solutions for energy efficiency. In addition we are working with the industry to identify opportunities for embedded renewable generation, including small scale hydro and anaerobic digestion.

Some of the key areas for discussion include:

- Voltage optimisation
- Pump optimisation
- Process optimisation
- Small scale hydro
- Anaerobic digestion
- Biosolids processing

Speakers: Fiona Griffiths, Martin Hall and Laurie Reynolds, Mouchel

10.40 – 11.10	Coffee & Exhibition (ThinkSpace)			
DRINKING WATE	ER CONTAMINANTS			
11.10 – 11.35	NDMA and Other Nitrosamines in UK Drinking Water Chen, Z. and Templeton, M.R., Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Imperial College, London, UK			
11.35 – 12.00	Survey of PFOS in Raw and Drinking Water Sources in the UK McLaughlin, C. ¹ , Hall, T. ¹ , Kanda, R. ² , Foster, J. ³ And Rumsby, P. ¹ , ¹ National Centre for Environmental Toxicology, WRc plc, ² STL, ³ Drinking Water Inspectorate, UK			
12.00 – 12.25	Removal of Perfluorinated Compounds by GAC Treatment Markall, B., Anglian Water Services, UK			
12.25 – 12.50	Manganese Removal in Potable Water Treatment – A Black Art Robinson, P., Scottish Water, UK			
12.50 – 13.50	Lunch and Exhibition (ThinkSpace)			
13.50 – 14.15	A Low Maintenance System for Removal of Iron and Manganese from Contaminated Groundwaters Sapsford, D.J. and Williams, K.P., Cardiff School of Engineering, Cardiff University, UK			
14.15 – 14.40	Assessing the Service Life of Field-Spent GAC Using Rapid small Scale Column Tests (RSSCTs) Kaur, K. ¹ ,Pitt, S. ¹ , Porter, M. ² and Wetherill, A., ¹ WatStech Ltd, UK, ² Yorkshire Water Services, UK			