



Leading-Edge
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Call For Papers

10th IWA Leading Edge Conference on Water and Wastewater Technologies

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Invitation from the IWA President

The 2013 edition of the flagship IWA LET conference returns to Europe and to a new venue, Bordeaux, France. While the venue is new, the forward-looking nature and excellence of the event remain. As the leading edge technology conference, this series looks over the horizon to those technologies which will shape the practice of water and wastewater treatment in the years to come.

The content is provided by the "best of the best", and the attendees list includes those who can help advance your ideas. Thus, it is a must event for those working on these next generations of technology. The program includes both invited papers, but especially those from the innovators who are inventing the future of water and wastewater treatment, like yourself.

So, share your ideas and advances with those who need to know and who can also help you further refine and advance them. Bordeaux is also a lovely location which will further the intellectually stimulating but collegial atmosphere that IWA LET conferences are noted for.

Thus, I would sincerely encourage you to respond to this call for papers and plan on attending LET 2013 Bordeaux.



Glen Daigger
President
International Water Association (IWA)

Invitation from the chairman of the organizing committee

On behalf of the Organising Committee, I would like to invite water professionals around the world to attend IWA's Leading Edge Technology Conference 2013 (LET13). The conference is being held at the Cité Mondiale in the city of Bordeaux, the economic hub in southwestern France constitutes the sixth-largest urban area in France. Bordeaux as a port city on the Garonne River has a strong link with water and environment.

The conference program will attract leading water researchers from all over the world. Parallel tracks offering a wide range of multidisciplinary presentations will provide ample opportunities to learn and network with professionals in your fields of interest. Technical tours are also being planned to demonstrate local applications of advanced water, wastewater and stormwater technologies and management.

In addition the city of Bordeaux and its surrounding area offer great opportunities for recreation. The historic part of the city of Bordeaux is on the UNESCO World Heritage List as "an outstanding urban and architectural ensemble" of the 18th century. Bordeaux has more than 350 classified buildings and buildings listed as Historic Monuments, including 3 religious World Heritage buildings since 1998 as part of the Routes of Santiago de Compostela in France. Bordeaux is also well known as a world's wine capital.

I look forward to meeting you in Bordeaux. Together we will



Philippe Gislette
Chairman
Organising Committee

Topics

The annual Leading-Edge Conference is focused specifically on advances and developments in water and wastewater technologies. It consists of a single plenary session of invited speakers on the first day, followed by two parallel sessions on the second and third day. Proposals submitted for presentation should fit within one of the topics shown below.

- Advanced oxidation – new technologies and applications
- Innovative design, operation and robustness of membrane systems for water and wastewater processes
- Greenhouse gas emissions from water and wastewater systems
- Industrial water treatment technologies - Closing the loop
- Stormwater collection, treatment and recovery technologies
- Resource recovery from wastewater
- Nutrient removal and recovery
- Applications of molecular microbial technologies in water systems

Submission should be made via the conference website using the on-line system under 'Programme Content'. For guidelines on formatting all submission and to find out more information about the conference visit: www.let2013.org

Key dates :

Deadline for paper submission: **15 November 2012**
 Notification of acceptance: **15 January 2013**
 Submission of full papers: **15 March 2013**
 Submission of posters: **15 April 2013**

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