

16th IWA

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WETLAND SYSTEMS FOR WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

SEPTEMBER 30-OCTOBER 4, 2018
VALENCIA, SPAIN

TOPICS ADRESSED

Wetlands, water quality and biodiversity. Biological aspects of wetlands for pollution control.	Design tools and modelling.
Wetlands and carbon footprint.	Operation and maintenance: clogging, vegetation management...
Uses of wetlands: agriculture, sludge treatment, industrial.	Wetlands and water reuse (environmental and others).
Urban wetlands: treatment of CSO.	Pesticides, persistent organic and emerging pollutants.
Vegetation roles.	Economics.
Wetlands improvement: aeration, nutrient removal, fuel cells...	Case studies.

KEY DATES

1 st Announcement and Call for Abstracts	Sept 2017
Deadline for Abstracts	January 31, 2018
Date for notifying successful authors	April 30, 2018
2 nd Announcement	May 15, 2018
Date for full written papers to be received	July 31, 2018
Conference takes place	Sept 30-October 4, 2018



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TECHNICAL TOURS

Several technical visits are planned. An option is the visit to two Constructed Wetlands of l'Albufera de Valencia Natural Park. These CWs are treatment facilities built on former paddy fields. Their objective is to improve the water quality of the Albufera Lake and the biodiversity of this protected area. Alternatively, technical visits to floating CWs and natural wetlands close to Valencia city are planned.



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