

# NEWSLETTER OF THE SINGAPORE WATER ASSOCIATION

BRINGING A NEW VIBRANCY TO SINGAPORE'S GROWING WATER INDUSTRY

# **Orientation Day 2021**

8th January 2021, Complimentary, HYBRID



An awesome 82 participants (onsite & online) attended the inaugural Orientation Day, especially curated for the new members who joined us in 2020 amidst the pandemic. It was a great HYBRID event where we can finally meet business partners (although with 1m safe distancing). More one-to-one B2B meetings could be facilitated through this event. Media partner, Water & Wastewater Asia, interviewed a few selected companies and had great exchanges. We look forward to a blessed and fulfilling 2021!

Presentation decks of new members can be downloaded from www.swa.org.sg/swatch/

### SWA Webinar: Delivering Sustainable Water Solutions Through Decentralization

Jointly organised with Fluence Corporation 12 January 2021, Complimentary, Webex



Almost 90 participants attended the webinar co-organised with Fluence Corporation on 12th January 2021. Mr YONG Wong Jin (CEO, Fluence Asia) gave a welcome address while Mr Gilad Yogev (Snr Product Manager, Fluence Corp) gave an excellent presentation on sustainable water solutions through decentralisation.

Deck and recording can be downloaded from www.swa.org.sg/swatch/

# SWA YWP Webinar Career Talk with SUTD - Developing Engineers into Future Leaders of the Water Industry

29 January 2021, Complimentary, Webex

#### Career Talk with NUS - Developing Engineers into Future Leaders of the Water Industry

4 February 2021, Complimentary, ZOOM

SWA Young Water Professionals Committee (YWPC) organised the webinar with SUTD and NUS respectively on 29 January 2021 and 4 February 2021. YWPC vice-chair, Kshitij Asthana (Associate Director, Aecom Singapore gave an overview of SWA, Singapore water landscape and the career pathways for engineering graduates.



#### SWA Webinar: Minimizing Chlorate in Water Disinfection: On-site Sodium Hypochlorite Generation brings Safer, Sustainable and Economic Water

Jointly organised with De Nora Water Technologies 4 February 2021, Complimentary, Webex



More than 100 participants got an overview of chlorate, a key DBP (Disinfection By-Product) and how it is regulated in the water treatment sector. Participants were also able understand what the implications of their disinfection systems are with regard to chlorate; learn how to minimise chlorate by technology options to ensure safe water as well as to manage water disinfection in a safer, sustainable and economic way from the webinar coorganised by Singapore Water Association and De Nora Water Technologies on 4th February 2021, 1030am SGT.

Deck and recording can be downloaded from "http://www.swa.org.sg/swatch/"

# SWA/SgWX Water Utilities Series: Total Water Management in Hong Kong

13 January 2021, Complimentary, Webex



The Hong Kong Water Supplies Department (WSD) has promulgated the Total Water Management Strategy for sustainable use of water to ensure water security and support the developments in Hong Kong. This webinar presented Hong Kong's water challenges and the solutions that WSD has implemented to ensure operational continuity.

## SWA Webinar: Virtual Briefing & Update by PUB Water Supply Network (WSN) Department

18 February 2021, Complimentary, Webex





Sixty-six SWA members joined the virtual briefing and update by PUB Water Supply Network Engineer Mr Wong Jia Jie on 18 February 2021, 11am. The session was exclusive for SWA members and is concised and brief with many sharing opportunities by the WSN department.

Deck and recording can be downloaded from www.swa.org.sg/swatch/

# **UPCOMING SWA ACTIVITIES**

#### SWA/SgWX Water Utilities Series: Water Resources Management Strategy in Jakarta

23 February 2021, Complimentary, Webex

Rapid development, increasing population and climate change have caused environmental challenges in Jakarta. These require concerted efforts from both the public and private sectors to overcome. This webinar will introduce the water resource management strategy in Jakarta, the programmes and initiatives that have been introduced as well as the upcoming projects that are being planned.



# SWA Webinar: Canadian Virtual Showcase of Water Tech Companies

Jointly organised with High Commission of Canada in Singapore and PUB Singapore Water Exchange 4 March 2021, Complimentary, Webex



The High Commission of Canada in Singapore, in partnership with Singapore Water Association and PUB Singapore Water Exchange are coorganising a webinar: Canadian Virtual Showcase of Water Tech Companies on 4th March 2021, Thursday, SGT 9am to 10:30am.

This webinar introduces the Canadian utilities and water companies, presenting their water and wastewater technologies solution and roadmap.

### SWA Webinar: ISRAELI Digital Water Technologies

Jointly organised with Ministry of Economy and Industry, Israel and PUB Singapore Water Exchange 24 March 2021, Complimentary, Webex



Singapore Water Association and the Israel Embassy in Singapore are co-organising a complimentary Webinar on Israeli Digital Water Technologies on 24th March 2021, Thursday, 4:00pm to 5:30pm. This event is supported by PUB, Singapore's national water agency.

Israel's Foreign Trade Administration at the Ministry of Economy is responsible for managing and directing

the international trade policy of the State of Israel. The Foreign Trade Administration operates over 45 economic missions in countries all over the world. Each of the missions has a team that is dedicated to fostering trade and investment between local companies and Israeli companies. A total of five Israeli companies will showcase their Smart/Digital Water Technologies and solutions.

# SWA [Hybrid] Event – in conjunction with World Water Day Behind the scene: Brave Blue World

This event is brought to you by DuPont, Xylem and SUEZ 17 March 2021, Complimentary, Webex



'Brave Blue World' is a documentary that paints an optimistic picture of how humanity is adopting new technologies and innovations to rethink how we manage water.

Executive producer and founder

of Brave Blue World Foundation, Paul O'Callaghan, will be giving a welcome brief along with a 30 minutes panel discussion on the global water challenges and solutions after the online screenplay.

#### **SWA WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS**

(joined from January and February 2021)

#### **ORDINARY MEMBERS**

- GHD Pte Ltd
- Manila Water Asia Pacific Pte Ltd
- Rohm and Haas Electronic Materials Singapore Pte Ltd
- SIIC Environment Holdings Ltd
- Singapore Valve & Fitting Pte Ltd (Swagelok Singapore)
- Keppel Seghers Pte Ltd

#### ASSOCIATE MEMBER

- Diehl Metering Pte Ltd
- Fiber Sense Singapore Pte Ltd
- H2O One Pte Ltd
- Nanos Water System LLP
- Quasset Pte Ltd
- Ripple2ware Incubator Pte Ltd
- Swisspro Pte Ltd / Katadyn Singapore

#### **2021 EVENTS CALENDAR**

2021 will be bustlingly filled with water shows, networking events, knowledge sharing sessions and webinars. We have an exciting and interesting lined up of water series with PUB, Singapore's National Water Agency. Download from https://www.swa.org. sg/2021-events-calendar/

#### **INTERESTED TO JOIN SWA?**

We welcome all organisations who are actively involved and interested in the water and wastewater industry to join Singapore Water Association as either Ordinary, Associate or Institutional member.

Sign up at https://www.swa.org.sg/membership/sign-up-online