

2nd KISUMU WATER EXPO AND CONFERENCE

12th-15th June 2014

COOPERATION: LINKING WATER-ENERGY-AGRICULTURE!

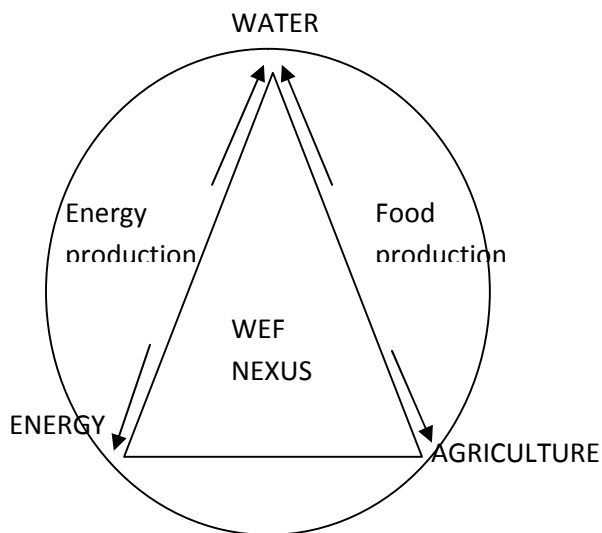
Will be held in Kisumu, Kenya.

Kisumu has a over a hundred years of rich history, the third largest city of Kenya, the first Millennium City, located next to the Lake Victoria-The second largest fresh water lake in the world.

Call for papers and other contributions to be submitted by 28th March 2014.

Water is a connector-Nexus that links everything together-Water, Energy, Food (WEF) Nexus.

COOPERATION



Water is everything, vital for life, development and prosperity in all sectors. In spite of this obvious connectivity, water is still seen by many as a sector, thereby creating unnecessary barriers in discussions about water. Cooperation and working partnerships are absolutely important if we are to sustainably manage water in the future.

The Kisumu Water Expo & Conference is a comprehensive learning event, which seeks to provide continued professional development for water, energy and agriculture professionals.

According to International Water Association (IWA), the subjects of Water, Energy and Food security are of vital importance for future life and industry and have been identified as the key world topics of the next decades.

The congress is being organised in Kenya by **Grassroots Water Limited**, supported by **Kisumu County Government**, **Kenya Water Industry Association (KWIA)**, **Kenya Water Sector Network (KEWASNET)**, **Kisumu Central Business District Association (KCBDASS)** and **Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS)**. There will also be other international and local organisations organising specific sessions and parallel meetings at the conference.

The congress will attract up to 300 delegates for this event and will feature a large industry presence and trade exhibition.

Who will attend?

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| -Academic and industry researchers | -UN and other multilateral organizations |
| -Utilities and suppliers | -Universities |
| -City and municipal planners and Managers | -Resource centres |
| -Local and International NGOs | -Regulators |
| -County and national government agencies | -Equipment suppliers |
| -Consultants | -Water, Energy and Agriculture related organizations |

Submissions

Abstracts presentations for the Kisumu Water Expo 2014 workshops are welcome from experts and actors of all different disciplines. Submissions should be made before **March 28** at abstracts@kisumuwatexpo.com

Author participation in the Kisumu Water Expo Workshops

At least one author of each selected abstract must register and attend the conference. Authors must meet their own expenses (registration fee, travel, accommodation, etc) to attend the conference.

Conference topics

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| -Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WaSH) initiatives | -Infrastructure design and Management |
| -Community-led total sanitation program | -Climate change adaptation |
| -Renewable Energy | -Fish farming |
| -Water, Energy and Food (WEF) Nexus | -Water, Agriculture and Food |
| -Linking Water/Energy/Food policy and legislation development | -Management, financing and institutional |
| -Water resources Management | -Irrigation |

Abstract format

Prospective authors are encouraged to submit an abstract in English for review by the committee. The abstract should be text only (no graphics) and follow the format below;

-Title

-Introduction and objectives

Summary of the topic

-Methodology approach

-Description and discussion of the approach of study

-Analysis, results, conclusions, and recommendations

-Clear and understandable statements on which we can assess the value added by proposal abstract

The author must identify the Key areas i.e.(Water, Energy and Agriculture) in which the abstract would be presented.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE MARCH 28 2014

EVENT PROPOSALS

Proposals are welcome from organisations who wish to host an event at the Kisumu Water Expo. By hosting an event, you engage a wide range of stakeholders in discussions and debate around a specific issue of your choice. KISUMU WATER EXPO encourages collaborating with other organisations in order to build partnerships.

Submissions should be made before March 28 2014 at conveners@kisumuwatexpo.com.

The seminars and side events at the Kisumu Water Expo are sessions where the content, format and programme are developed by the convening organisation(s). Seminars have duration of two hours. A side event is a one hour session in the late afternoon. The proposals must focus on the KISUMU WATER EXPO 2014 theme which is **COOPERATION: LINKING WATER-ENERGY-AGRICULTURE!**

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PROVISIONAL EXHIBITION AND CONFERENCE TIMETABLE

Day	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
Thursday 12 June	Registration Welcome Address Keynote Address EXPO	Paper and discussion sessions EXPO	3 parallel side events followed by Networking Gala
Friday 13 June	Paper & Discussion sessions Capacity Development workshops EXPO	Panel Discussions Micro keynote Showcase Vote of thanks & Feedback EXPO	Networking EXPO
Saturday 14 June	EXPO	EXPO	EXPO
Sunday 15 June	EXPO	EXPO	EXPO

Registration Fees

Early bird Full conference registration **USD 59.99** or **Kshs. 5000.00** paying before 10 March 2014 (USD 100 or Kshs. 8500 thereafter).

Student Full conference registration (With valid college ID) **USD 49.99** or **Kshs. 4000.00**

Presenting Author Full conference registration **USD 59.99** or **Kshs. 5000.00**. You can follow this link <http://www.eventbrite.com/e/kisumu-water-expo-and-conference-2014-tickets-10288538295?aff=ch> to register.

Includes; Attendance at all sessions, side events and workshops, lunch, tea and refreshments, Networking Gala, Pre-prints-conference bag and book of abstracts, programme, timetable, Proceedings posted afterwards-electronic CD, notepad and pen.

Refund Deadline

To receive a full refund, all cancellations must be received in writing no later than 30 May 2014. Cancellations made after 30 May will not be refunded. Send cancellation requests to registration@kisumuwaterexpo.com.

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