

# Meeting Announcement and Call for Papers

## MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

You are invited to attend the annual meeting of the Wisconsin Section of the American Water Resources Association (AWRA). The meeting will be held at the Lake Lawn Resort in Delavan on March 3 and 4, 2005. Our theme this year is taken from the title of a recent publication by the Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters: "Wisconsin's Waters: A Confluence of Perspectives." We are planning plenary, oral and poster sessions addressing both surface water and groundwater issues in Wisconsin. We look forward to seeing you at what we're sure will be an exciting meeting. Final program and registration materials will be available in January 2005. For updates, visit the AWRA Web page (<http://www.awra.org/state/wisconsin/index.html>).

## CALL FOR PAPERS

We are soliciting posters and presentations related to the theme as well as for general sessions on research related to hydrogeology, watershed management, hydrology, limnology, aquatic toxicology, water chemistry and aquatic ecology. Please specify your preference for oral or poster presentation when you submit your abstract. Talks will be scheduled in 20-minute time slots, including 5 minutes for questions. Please follow the format illustrated below and limit your abstract to 250 words (including title).

## ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

The deadline for receipt of abstracts is December 20, 2004. Abstracts should be formatted as specified below and saved as a WordPerfect or MS Word document. Authors may submit abstracts in one of the following ways:

1. Submit abstracts as an e-mail attachment to [kmasarik@uwsp.edu](mailto:kmasarik@uwsp.edu)

## OR

2. Submit one printed copy and an electronic copy on a 3.5" diskette to Kevin Masarik – Center for Watershed Science and Education, College of Natural Resources Room 224, Stevens Point, WI 54481.

## STUDENT AWARDS

Students represent the future of water resources professions in Wisconsin. The AWRA Annual Meeting is designed to create a student-friendly atmosphere to present and discuss Wisconsin-related research in all aspects of water science and policy. Students are strongly encouraged to present such research at this meeting. To encourage excellence, awards of \$100 will be offered to the two best student presentations in both the oral and poster categories (a total of four \$100 awards). If you are a student and would like to be considered for an award, please be sure to indicate your interest at the bottom of your abstract.

## DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD NOMINATIONS

Here's your chance to recognize the outstanding contributions of AWRA members! This honor is presented at the annual meeting to an individual or group affiliated with the Section, who has made exceptional contributions in protecting and enhancing Wisconsin's water resources. Include in your nomination a narrative describing the nominee's contributions and contact information for both yourself and the nominee.

Nominations should be sent to Mike Penn, Civil and Environmental Engineering Department, One University Plaza, UW-Platteville, Platteville, WI 53818-3099 or e-mail to [mrpenn@uwplatt.edu](mailto:mrpenn@uwplatt.edu) by January 3, 2005. For more information, contact Mike or visit the AWRA Web page.

flush with the left margin and all subsequent paragraphs should be indented five spaces with no blank line between paragraphs. Abstracts should be formatted with 1-inch margins at the top and sides and in 12-point font.

At the bottom of the page, please include the following information:

- Keywords: (Up to five keywords)
- Presentation Preference: (oral, poster, or either)
- Is this a student presentation?: (Yes or No)

## ABSTRACT FORMAT

### Title

### Byline

Last name of primary author, first name and middle initial, affiliation, address, and e-mail address; first name, middle initial and last name, affiliation, address, and e-mail address for each co-author.

### Body

The body of the abstract should follow the title and byline. The first paragraph should start

American Water  
Resources Association –  
Wisconsin Section

## Meeting Highlights

- "Wisconsin's Waters: A Confluence of Perspectives"
- Plenary Session
- Student Awards
- AWRA Distinguished Service Award

## Dates

March 3 & 4, 2005  
(Thursday and Friday)

## Location

Lake Lawn Resort  
2400 E. Geneva St.  
Delavan, WI 53115  
Phone: 1-800-338-5253  
Fax: 1-262-728-2347  
[www.lakelawnresort.com](http://www.lakelawnresort.com)

## Hosts

American Water Resources  
Association, Wisconsin Section

University of Wisconsin  
Water Resources Institute

Center for Watershed  
Science and Education,  
UW-Stevens Point

Wisconsin Department of  
Natural Resources

U.S. Geological Survey,  
Wisconsin District

## Call for Papers

### ABSTRACTS DUE:

December 20, 2004

Please visit our Web site  
for further information:  
<http://www.awra.org/state/wisconsin/index.html>