

International Water Forum 2016

Challenges for Human Resource Development

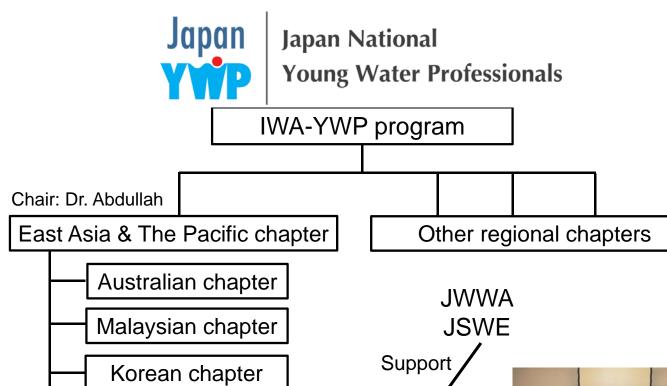
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YWP and Capacity Development

Japan-YWP Yasuhiro Asada

What is YWP?

- IWA (International Water Association)
 - Global network of water professionals
 - Young Water Professionals (YWP) program: To assist students and young professionals in the water sector to become global water leaders in the future
 - Activity of IWA-YWP
 - Networking young water professionals
 - Providing opportunities for research, discussion, and career development



 established in 2010 for active contribution to academic research and practical action associated with water issues.

Japanese chapter (Japan-YWP)



Kick-off symposium 3







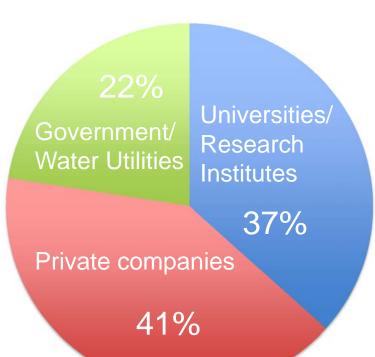
Japan-YWP: Members

Total members:390

Average age: 33.8

(IWA: up to 35 years old)

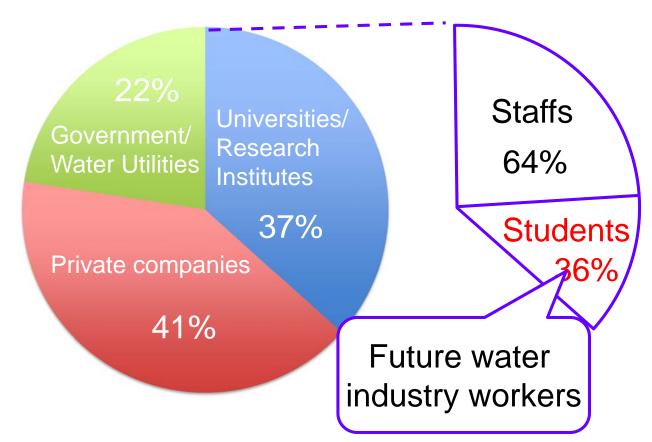




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Japan-YWP: Members





Activities of Japan-YWP

Contents	Event	Collaboration	Target age
Seminar	Seminar on Water supply (three times a year)	Japan water research center (JWRC)	24-30
Carrier	International symposium in WET conference (carrier development)	Japan Society on Water Environment (JSWE)	21-25
Symposium	International Forum on Water Supply Today!	Japan Water Works Association (JWWA)	All
Seminar	Evening seminar		18-35
Seminar	Seminar on Sewage	Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transportation and Tourism (MLIT)	28-40
Recruit	Recruiting seminar		18-24
Seminar	Annual meeting and seminar		All
Carrier	Carrier development seminar	Japan Society on Water Environment (JSWE)	18-25



Activity: Seminar/Workshop

Providing valuable opportunities for <u>face-to-face communication</u> by organizing several domestic and international events







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One of the ways to communicate:









Annual meeting and Seminar

Outline and Objective:

- This is the largest event of Japan-YWP. We generally report our annual activity.
- After the meeting, seminar is held.
- Three or Four presentation was given and sometimes workshop was carried out.
- Name card exchange is also carried out one by one at the end of the event.





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Evening Seminar

- The evening seminar is organized by Japan-YWP alone.
- This is free style talk session and two researcher give a lecture about their current works. Because all the participant is young, more active discussion has been made between audience and presenter.
- We hope some collaboration or new concept will be born from the discussions.





International symposium on WET conference

Title: Development of international academic career

Outline and Objective:

- This event is given for young researcher or students.
- To promote going abroad, prominent young researchers who have studied in foreign countries give a presentation about his life or how much it was good.
- Not only Japanese, but also foresing researcher made a presentation.





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Carrier development seminar in JSWE

- This seminar is given for the students who joined in JSWE conference.
- In the seminar, some senior water professionals working in company, university and utility (water works) will give a presentation about their daily job.
- Sometimes, we had seminar about writing paper or leading edge research in water field.



Recruiting seminar

Outline and Objective:

 Most of young students do not have a chance to know details about water companies.

To meet the water companies and students, matching

event was held every year.

 The point is that all the explainer of company side is young professional member.
 So, students can easily ask a question and feel more comfortable.



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JWRC Water Workshop

- Water sectors are facing many challenges.
 Not only are there new challenges, but also the past challenges must all still be addressed. Now we want to know how the other professionals address these challenges and share the know-hows.
- In the workshops, water professionals from public and private sectors make presentations about their water related activities. After the presentation, all participants discuss the problems and share their experiences.





International symposium for water treatment

Title: learning Water technologies from the past

Outline and Objective:

- Inviting prominent professors; Prof. Mark Loosest, Prof. Bruce Littman, Prof. Chen, Prof. Yoshimasa Watanabe, Prof. Ekamer and Prof. Shin.
- The purpose of this event is to learn about the history about the water treatment technologies. Each professor has established new style of water technologies but most of young professionals did not know about their history.
- To catch up and develop these technology, we has asked to give a presentation about the detail history of their carrier and researches.





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<u>The 10th International Symposium on Water Supply Technology</u> <u>- IWA Japan-YWP Special Session -</u>

Title: Water supply for future

~ How to overcome changes and the uncertainty? ~

- This seminar was aimed to discuss the vision from the viewpoint of Young Water Professionals to overcome the enormous changes and challenges which the water sectors were going to face in the near future.
- Prof. Helmut Kroiss, IWA President presented a keynote speech in the session.
 And three more young water professionals made presentations about the leading ideas and practices of their own regions.
 Eventually, the session was a great success, with more than 50 participants.





Activity: Networking through media

Website

- Event report
- Event announcement
- News Letters

■ Mailing list

- Announcement of water-related events
- Knowledge sharing





Japan

Activity: NEWS LETTER

For 7 years, 12th news letter was published.

Contents

- 1. Event report
- Event announcement
- (News exchange with other YWP chapter)
- 4. Letters from Senior professional to young
- We have published three newsletters a year.
- Each include the announcement of the YWP event and comment from Distinguish water leaders to young professionals.
- From the last year, we exchange the articles with Christian. Christian interviewed to INSA and we translated from English to Japanese.
- This is good to learn English as well as water news. We hope continue this activity with the other chapters.



イベント告知 その1

平成28年度第2回JWRC水道講座

水道が抱える様々な課題について、水道事業体ならびに関連企業がどのように考え対応してきたか、その経験 や具体例を、二名の講師より発表いただきます。講演後は、グループ討議の時間もご用意しております。講師と 参加者の対話により、問題解決や業務改善のヒントが得られるのではないでしょうか。

毎回多くの方にご参加いただき、際況な遺産になっております。水道技術研究センター主催の研修ということで、 水道事業体職員の方にも参加いただきやすい講座と思います。申込み期限が近くなっておりますで、興味のあ る方はお早めにお申込みください。

平成28年10月11日(火) 14時30分~16時30分(14時受付開始)

<会場>

オカモトヤ第2ビル貸会議室

(東京都港区虎ノ門1-22-16第二オカモトヤビル3階) <参加費> 無料 <書語> 日本語

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①(株)日水コン 水道事業部東京水道部 技術第三課 渡辺 佑輔 様 「水道広域化の取り組みに係るコンサルティングの実際」

②神奈川県企業庁 企業局水道部浄水課 諸節 聖爵 様 「神奈川県営水道における水安全計画実効性向上のための取り組み」

10月4日(火)までに、申込票に必要事項を記入し、[kouza@iwrc-net.or.jp] あて電子メールでお申込み ください。詳細については、Japan-YWP Webサイトのイベント開催案内か、(公財)水道技術研究セン Webサイト[http://www.jwrc-net.or.jp/kenshuu-koushuu/kouza/28_2nd.html]をご確認ください。





Chapter Leaders Forum on 2018 at Kyoto (pre-symposium of IWA2018 at Tokyo)

- In Japan, population will be decreasing and we are now facing the downsizing of the water networks. To overcome this situation, we are now discussion what we should do and what want to be. This is a vision of Young Water Professionals in Japan.
- Now, we are now discussing about our action plans to 2050.
- And we are planning to hold this meeting on January 2018 at Kyoto.





Thank you for your attention!!