

Concept Note: 1st Annual Meet & International Conference on Advancing Circular Economy and Water Reuse

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Date: Thursday, 27th July 2023

Venue: Silver Oak, India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi

Introduction:

1st Annual Meet & International Conference on Advancing Circular Economy and Water Reuse is a significant event organized by NMCG-TERI Centre of Excellence on Water Reuse (NTCoE), established by the National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG), Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Govt. of India and TERI (http://nmcgtericoe-wr.in). Coinciding with TERI's 50th Year anniversary celebrations, this conference is held under the aegis of the NTCoE, in collaboration with the National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG) and the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI). The conference aims to bring together stakeholders to discuss and promote circular economy practices in wastewater value chain and water reuse in line with national missions and UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Background:

NMCG-TERI Centre of Excellence on Water Reuse (NTCoE) in TERI has been established by the National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG), Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Govt. of India. This CoE is the first of its kind in the Country that matches the activities envisaged under the Ganga Knowledge Centre (GKC) of the 'Namami Gange Program'.

It is primarily a technology forum, which aims to bring various stakeholders to a common platform to design and foster research and innovation, including the identification of knowledge gaps for research and the need for new ideas, supporting targeted research, and spurring and nurturing needed innovation for low-cost, effective and integrated wastewater treatment







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technologies, which could bridge the current treatment gaps, boost treatment efficiency, augment capacities and provide safe treated water for reuse. Also, it aims to raise training standards, address skill gaps and align training & research with industry needs.

Conference Themes:

The conference will revolve around the following themes:

- Circular Economy in wastewater value chain
- Water Reuse

Target Audience:

The conference invites participation from a diverse range of stakeholders, including government officials, policymakers, researchers, academicians, industry representatives, NGOs, and international organizations working in the fields of environment, water resources, circular economy, and wastewater management.

Conclusion:

1st Annual Meet & International Conference on Circular Economy and Water Reuse provides a platform for knowledge sharing, collaboration, and innovation in the field of sustainable water management. By bringing together stakeholders committed to circular economy practices and water reuse, the conference aims to accelerate the transition towards a more sustainable and resilient future. Join us in this inaugural conference of the NMCG-TERI Centre of Excellence Water Reuse (NTCoE) and contribute to the advancement of circular economy and water reuse agendas.

To register for the event, click here: [<u>https://register.teriin.org/webinar/webinar_register.php?w_id=V0VCSU5BUl8xOTM</u>]