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The premier conference on MAR, ISMAR 11
Long Beach, CA, USA, April 11th to 15th 2022

On behalf of GRA and IAH-MAR Commission, the call for abstracts for the 11th International Symposium on Managed Aquifer Recharge (ISMAR11), April 2022 in Long Beach, CA, is already open.

The ISMAR series started in 1988 in Anaheim and has since travelled all over the world. It returns to Southern California, where it will include a full day of pre-conference educational workshops, several days of technical sessions, the Herman Bouwer Awards Luncheon (all call for nominations will be forthcoming), poster sessions, opportunities for student and young professionals, field trips and great networking, socializing, and entertainment opportunities.

Call for abstracts open: https://airtable.com/shrGJrx6WU4UG9zUv
Visit the ISMAR website here: https://www.ismar11.net/
Visit the GRA event page here: https://lnkd.in/gXn6YNz
Submit an Abstract here: https://lnkd.in/g9zcMvb
Register as a Sponsor or Exhibitor here: https://lnkd.in/g6Sb6ur
View the Sponsorship Opportunities booklet here: https://lnkd.in/gKqA4nh
Stay connected by signing up for the ISMAR11 mailing list for the latest information on abstracts, registration information, etc.

More info: https://www.ismar11.net/#about

There is a sponsorship prospectus available for those that wish to be a sponsor or exhibitor at the event.

Along with the email - Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram and Twitter all have posts about ISMAR11 on GRC. Please comment, like and share to your networks!
Groundwater Resources Association: email@grac.org  www.grac.org

Thank you Adam Hutchinson, Sarah Erck and co-organizers for reporting.

*Former ISMAR 10 conference: www.ismar10.net

**IWRA-FAO online conference 2021. One Water, One Health: Water, Food and Public Health in a Changing World. 7-9 June 2021**

Call for Abstracts. **Deadline extension: May 13th, 2021**

Themes & Issues
1. How can we better manage water for food and public health in a changing world?
2. How can managing water in agriculture contribute to food security and public health?
3. What opportunities lie in the improved cooperation between water, food, and public health sectors?
4. What are the synergies or trade-offs between ecosystem health and human health?
5. How can science better inform public policy, governance and capacity building for water, food and health?

More info: https://iwraonlineconference.org/call-for-abstracts-2021/
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More info: https://geofluids2021.hu/circular/2021-03-03.html

DEADLINE EXTENSIONS

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Over 30 abstracts have been received for session 8 on Managed Aquifer Recharge.
More info: https://iah2021belgium.org/programme/sessions-topics/

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During these two-day workshop all scientists briefly presented their research and described their role within the network.

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Peter Reeve was at the heart of a National Stormwater Australia Award for Excellence: National Prize in the Excellence in Research and Innovation category. This project won the SA Award in 2020, and was up against all other states in the national award which it won on Wednesday night. As well as research to help City of Marion manage its wetland, Peter and team have a big role in helping with water and environmental education of high school students. Congratulations to Peter, Flinders U and City of Marion! Congratulations to our South Australian Winners!

The Oaklands Park Wetlands Education Centre is a joint initiative between the City of Marion and Flinders University and supports Flinders University teaching, Honours, Masters and PhD research projects relating to wetlands and managed aquifer recharge (MAR). The Centre enables STEM outreach, associated with stormwater management to primary and secondary school children. One of the key outcomes for the initiative is to engage local students in applied research that will benefit MAR Operation and Long Term financial planning for Opex and Capex Budgets for all MAR Operators. The resulting innovative and novel applied research is providing information that will drive the continuous improvement of MAR operations whilst providing assurance that no long-term adverse environmental impacts are occurring during the injection of trace amounts of inorganic and organic compounds. 

You can watch the video presentation on our Youtube channel here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zj_C40pQmTU

Additionally, the Combining Integrated Stormwater Management with Environmental Protection at Springwood, Gawler East project.
Wallbridge, Gilbert Aztec received a high commendation in the Excellence in Strategic or Masterplanning category. You can watch the video presentation on our Youtube channel here: Watch video now

Thank you Dr. Peter Dillon for reporting.

Xavier Sánchez-Villa’s great Darcy Lecture in EGU last month

The EGU meeting this year has been 2 weeks-long and there was a lecture on MAR from the Darcy prized lecturer from the UPC, Xavier Sánchez-Villa: Porous media as a canvas for hydro-bio-geo-chemical processes: Facing the challenges.

The lecture is on the Internet but only accessible for EGU attendants. Access to the abstract and link only for people who registered for the EGU meeting (in the: Display materials): https://meetingorganizer.copernicus.org/EGU21/EGU21-15490.html

So if you are not registered find a college who was. It is an exceptional talk (+ don’t skip Jesus Carrera's introduction).

Also, this session might be slightly relevant to the MAR community but not very directly: https://meetingorganizer.copernicus.org/EGU21/session/39488.

Thank you Drs. Daniel Kurtzman and Catalin Stefan for reporting.
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DINAMAR project’s team keep gathering those books of hydrogeology specially dedicated to MAR technique which are available for free on the Internet. The repository is open to everyone and any contribution will be welcome, emailing to: dinamar@tragsa.es.

Please notice that we understand for a book a publication with or exceeding 50 pages. We thank in advance your participation.

Repo link: https://dinamar.tragsa.es/post/actualizacion-update-libros-sobre-la-tecnica-mar-repositorio-mas-de-100-libros-mar-books-repository-more-than-100-free-books-on-mar-april-2021

NEW BOOKS ON MAR

The Institutional Dimensions of Groundwater Recharge: A Special Collection

MAR in USA collection of use-cases: In this special collection, editors and authors examine deployment of MAR in examples from around the USA to illustrate the range of institutional approaches used as well as how those relate to the drivers and objectives of MAR. The overarching impetus for this work is the recognition that water managers often anecdotally agree that institutional elements are as important, or more important, than technical challenges to MAR in many cases.

Articles access: https://online.ucpress.edu/cse/pages/idgr

Future volume on Artificial Recharge for third world countries

An organization, with Headquarters in Delhi, named Centre for Science and Technology of the non-aligned and other developing countries is taking initiatives for a future volume on Artificial Recharge for third world countries.

More information and specific info will come shortly. Please, stay tuned.

Thank you Dr. Dipankar Saha for reporting
Managed Aquifer Recharge for Water Resilience.
Water Journal special issue containing 23 papers selected from ISMAR 10 conference. There is 20% discount for all authors published papers in this special issue. If anyone orders over 20 copies, 10% additional discount will be applied.

More info, pdf of the book and purchase of the printed version: https://lnkd.in/dDiQSHG

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Informative leaflet: bookReprintFlyer_3558.pdf (413,64 kb)

Managed Aquifer Recharge. A showcase for resilience and sustainability

Imminent release of the UNESCO-IHP-GRIPP book: MAR. A show case for Resilience and Sustainability on 28 international MAR case-studies.

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Funcagua has organized during 2021 April a series of conferences on Aquifer Recharge.

Full collection of presentations on line: https://fb.watch/4Ut_vYzv9U/

Regarding the I Congreso Nacional de Seguridad Hídrica Guatemala, 22th to 25th March 2021, which included a session on water security and MAR (in Spanish); the whole presentations of the 4-day conference have been merged in a single pdf file.
Download: https://lnkd.in/ehFtJh5.

Stay tuned for personalized zoom links in the website www.funcagua.org.gt
Webinar "MAR and Environment" organized by Chihuahua University (UACH).

Results.

The Autonomous University of Chihuahua (UACH) organizes conferences on managed recharge and other current topics.

On April 16th, Dr. Jon San Sebastian (Tragsatec) was invited to give the talk: "MAR and Environment".

Direct access (You Tube, in Spanish): [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8ufDT0-hsGI&feature=youtu.be](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8ufDT0-hsGI&feature=youtu.be)

More info: UACH.

Thank you Miguel Ángel González for reporting.
Old publications on MAR (another drop of nostalgia…).

The selected drop has been … *Aquifer storage and recovery. Future directions for South Australia:*

Aquifer Storage and Recovery (ASR) has considerable potential to improve the quality and availability of water resources in South Australia by harvesting waters such as, urban stormwater runoff and treated wastewater, and injecting them into suitable aquifers for later recovery and use. The South Australian Department for Water Resources has carried out a significant number of investigations into ASR schemes using source water of varying quality. The work is at the International leading edge in the design and implementation of ASR schemes that use low quality waters injected into, and stored in, aquifers of low transmissivity.


**IAH Commission on Managing Aquifer Recharge. Twitter account**

Please, follow the Twitter account of the IAH Commission on Managing Aquifer Recharge at [https://twitter.com/IAHMARCom](https://twitter.com/IAHMARCom)
And that’s all by now… please, keep reporting (dinamar@tragsa.es), if you do not share your pieces of news, we cannot include them in the next newsletter…

Thank you very much for your kind attention

Best regards

Dr. Enrique Fernández Escalante of behalf of the IAH MAR Commission co-chairs.


Sister sites:

http://china-mar.ujn.edu.cn/

https://dinamar.tragsa.es/

Please, get ready for our next main event: www.ismar11.net