Freshwater Opportunities Bulletin

The Freshwater Opportunities Bulletin is published the first Wednesday of every month except July. It provides information about water-related conferences, collaborative courses and field experiences, undergraduate research positions and internships, and other opportunities for students, faculty, and staff at UW System institutions. Please share information with students and colleagues on your campus.

Save the Date

The Freshwater Collaborative will be hosting a partner event on Wednesday, Sept. 27 at the UW-Madison Pyle Center. The event will bring together faculty and staff throughout UW System and partners from industry, government agencies and nonprofits to discuss how to collaborate on issues such as PFAS, phosphorus pollution, research and creating a pipeline to jobs. The event will include facilitated discussion sessions in the afternoon and an evening networking event. Details and registration coming soon.

Courses & Field Experiences for Students

More info at freshwater.wisconsin.edu/for-students/courses-experiences

Port and Terminal Management

Sept. 6-Dec. 15
Taught in person at UW-Superior, Tuesdays/Thursdays
Open to any UW Student

This three-credit course applies management principles to the operation of ports, terminals, warehouses, and distribution centers. Key topics include governance, administration, regulations, hazardous materials, materials handling, intermodal connections, labor relations and environmental impacts. Additional concepts such as location analysis, warehouse management systems, containerization, inventory management, water management, sustainability and impacts of climate change will be addressed. Students not enrolled at UW-Superior can contact Admissions at admissions@uwsuper.edu for guidance on enrolling in the course.

PFAS, Public Health and Policy Symposium Recording

The Great Lakes Freshwater Symposium: PFAS, Public Health and Policy on June 29, 2023, brought together stakeholders from Canada and the United States who are interested in water-related issues. Panelists included:

- Rebecca Klaper, Dean, School of Freshwater Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee; Director of the Great Lakes Genomics Center
- Laura Suppes, 2022-23 Water Policy Scholar, Center for Water Policy; Associate Professor, Public Health and Environmental Studies, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
- Jim Zellmer, DNR Environmental Management Division Administrator

Listen to Recording

Upcoming Water Conferences for Faculty and Students

- Aug. 15: Free Educator Workshop on Water Restoration at UW-Green Bay, Manitowoc Campus. Registration deadline Aug. 4

Are You Running a Fall or Winter Course or Program?

If you will be running a Freshwater Collaborative-funded course, field experience or research opportunity and would like us to promote it in upcoming newsletters and on our website, please email hjeter@uwm.edu with details.

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