

2019 Annual Conference

APRIL 9-12 | PALM SPRINGS



Tuesday, April 9th

8:30 AM - 3:30 PM 7.2 Contact Hours

\$160 before Friday, March 22, 2019 and \$192 after

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

Permit Writing Workshop

An interactive Permit Writer Workshop where attendees will be provided with a scenario of an industrial discharger seeking a discharge permit. Permit Writer Guidance Team Members (PWGTM) will lead the attendees through a step-by-step process that will allow them to gain an understanding of the elements that are necessary when writing an enforceable permit.

Learner Outcomes:

- Understand the information needed from an industrial discharger seeking an industrial discharge permit.
- Ability to review and interpret an industrial discharger's permit application and laboratory results, applicable sewer use ordinances, agency's local limits, and relevant regulations to compile an industrial discharger permit.
- Ability to identify the necessary elements of an enforceable industrial discharge permit.

GAME ON!

Practice putting together a permit fact sheet and industrial discharge permit



Level: Introduction to; limited knowledge of subject matter / entry level staff

Practice area: Pretreatment



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Workshop Speakers



Shannon Simmers, the Regulatory Compliance Officer at City of Redlands, is responsible for the Pretreatment Program and other regulatory related programs for the City. She is TCP Subject Matter Expert and was involved with recent ECI exam re-validations as well as study-guide revisions. In 2018 the CWEA Clean Water Magazine identified her as a 2018 Emerging Leader and she is also a newly inducted 5S member.



Paula Hansen, Wastewater Control Inspector II at EBMUD, received her Bachelor of Science degree in chemical engineering from Purdue University and Master of Science degree in chemical engineering from the University of California, Berkeley. Her water/wastewater management expertise was gained working with private and municipal clients on industrial wastewater treatment design, compliance, permitting and pretreatment support and enforcement over several decades.



Amelia Whitson is a Physical Scientist in EPA's Pacific Southwest Regional Office (Region 9) in San Francisco. She has worked in Region 9's NPDES Permit Office for nine years, writing NPDES permits, providing technical permitting support to state environmental agencies, and serving as the Region 9 Pretreatment Coordinator.

Additional speakers include: **Abigail Gomez**, City of Riverside; **Wendy Hsiao**, Ontario Municipal Utilities Company and Ariana Pizano.

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