

2023 Eastern Oregon Operators Conference

April 3-5

Pendleton Convention Center

Monday 4/3		Hands-On	Regulatory	Extended
Anderson Perry Sponsored Breakfast		What is the Future of Water Lara Kammerck, P.E., PMP, Carollo Engineers		
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	W BOTH WW		
9:05 AM	10:05 AM	Communicating with Engineers Michael Grimm, West Slope Water District W BOTH WW	Your DEQ Online: Applying for Operator Certification Tiffany, Yellon-Bram W BOTH WW	Math Review 1 & 2 Jadon Herron, Anderson Perry W BOTH WW
Break				
10:05 AM	10:35 AM	Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition		
10:35 AM	11:35 AM	Jonathan Frank, Advanced Control System W BOTH WW	TBD Greg Silbemagel, Oregon Water Resources W BOTH WW	Math Review 1 & 2 Cont. Jadon Herron, Anderson Perry W BOTH WW
Lunch Break				
11:35 AM	12:20 PM	Hydrants Maintenance		
12:20 PM	1:20 PM	Brian Anderson, American Flow Control W	Municipal Water Rights and Effluent Registration Greg Silbemagel, Oregon Water Resources W BOTH WW	Math Review 3 & 4 Jadon Herron, P.E., Anderson Perry W BOTH WW
1:25 PM	2:25 PM	PFAS & PFOS, What is it and How is it Treated? Jim Joyce, PumpTech, LLC. W BOTH WW	Lead & Copper Rule Update Amy Word, State of Oregon W	Pendleton Water & Wastewater Plant Tours Kyle Willman, City of Pendleton W BOTH WW
Break				
2:25 PM	2:55 PM	Checking in on Check Valves: Basic Operation, Selection, and Style of Check Values		
2:55 PM	3:55 PM	Steve, Causseaux, Cimco-GC Systems W BOTH WW	Energy Savings Performance Contracting for Infrastructure Improvements Kathleen Kelleher, Ameresco W BOTH WW	Pendleton Water & Wastewater Plant Tours Cont. Kyle Willman, City of Pendleton
4:00 PM	5:00 PM	Non-Revenue Water Mike Uthe, Mueller Water Products W	(BABA) Act Legislation and Requirements Dane Maben, Anderson Perry W BOTH WW	
Tuesday 4/4		Hands-On	Regulatory	Extended
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	Confidence with Control Valves: Understanding the Basics of Your "PRV's" Steve, Causseaux, Cimco-GC Systems W BOTH WW	DEQ Operator Certification Basics Kimi Grzyb, DEQ WW	Pumping System Troubleshooting Jason Carman, Rural Community
9:05 AM	10:05 AM		Membrane Technology Hiro Kuge, KUBOTA Membrane USA WW	W BOTH WW
Break				
10:05 AM	10:35 AM	Confidence with Control Valves: Understanding the Basics of Your "PRV's" Cont. Steve, Causseaux, Cimco-GC Systems W BOTH WW	NPDES and WPCF Permit Planning Document Requirements Mike Lees, P.E., Anderson Perry WW	Pumping System Troubleshooting Cont. Jason Carman, Rural Community W BOTH WW
Lunch Break				
12:20 PM	1:20 PM	Strategies for Managing Aging Infrastructure Leo Newberg, Inn at Otter Crest W BOTH WW	Sampling Beth Read, RCAC W BOTH WW	Water Treatment Safety and Health Principles Randall Westmorelan, Oregon OSHA
1:25 PM	2:35 PM		Sampling Cont. Beth Read, RCAC W BOTH WW	W BOTH WW
Break				
2:35 PM	2:55 PM	Streamlining Field Inspections Using Web/Mobile GIS Rusty Merritt, Anderson Perry W BOTH WW	Complying with the Lead and Copper Rule Revisions Pierre Kwan, HDR W	Water Treatment Safety and Health Principles Cont. Randall Westmorelan, Oregon OSHA W BOTH WW
4:00 PM	5:00 PM	Utilizing Acoustic Inspection to Prioritize Sewer Maintenance Eugene Hallum, InfoSense, Inc. WW	What's Happening with PFAS? Andrew Nishihara, Stantec W	Reducing Operation Costs with Engery Efficiency Nick Ridling, Engery Trust of Oregon W BOTH WW
Wednesday 4/5		Hands-On	Regulatory	Extended
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	AMI Project Planning and Installation Jonathan Jorgensen, Ferguson W	Food & Beverage Pretreatment Robert Smith, PumpTech, LLC WW	Backflow Specialist Recertification Garrett Yates
9:05 AM	10:05 AM	Security in Controls Jonathan Frank, Advanced Control System W BOTH WW	Intelligent Pumping and Case Stories Simon Cartwright, Xylem-Flygt WW	W BOTH WW
Break				
10:20 AM	11:20 AM	Pumps Steve Trutt, Penn Valley Pump Company W BOTH WW	New AWWA Water Audit Guidelines Kali Kocdemir, Oesa Edge Analytics W	Backflow Specialist Recertification
11:20 AM	12:30 PM	W BOTH WW Shane R. Needham, Ph.D.		
12:30 PM	1:30 PM	Valve Selection Brian Anderson, American Flow Control W BOTH WW	Driven to Distraction Lisa Masters, CIS W BOTH WW	Backflow Specialist Recertification
1:35 PM	2:35 PM	Meter Testing Doug Kubik, Ferguson W BOTH WW	Personal Protective Equipment Lisa Masters, CIS W BOTH WW	
Break				
2:35 PM	2:50 PM	TBD		
2:50 PM	3:50 PM	TBD		
Backflow Specialist Recertification				

First Name	Last Name	Received background form	Day	Date Scheduled	Track	Time Schedules	presentation topic	Water CEU	WW CEU	Form notes	Upload or Laptop
Amy	Word			4/3/2023		1:25 - 2:25	Lead and Copper rule update				
Jim	Joyce			4/3/2023		1:25 - 2:25	Pump Related - TBD				
Kyle	Willman			4/3/2023		1:25 - 5:00	Pendleton Wastewater Plant Tour				
Greg	Sibernagel			4/3/2023		10:35 - 1:20	Whatever you would like.				
Jonathan	Frank			4/3/2023		10:35 - 11:35	We have options: IIoT SCADA (aka SCADA in the Cloud), High Performance HMI, Security in Controls				
Brian	Anderson	X		4/3/2023		12:20 - 1:20					
Kathleen	Kelleher	X		4/3/2023		2:55 - 3:55	Energy Savings Performance Contracting for Infrastructure Improvements				
Steve	Causseaux	X		4/3/2023		2:55 - 3:55	Confidence with Control Valves: Understanding the Basics of Your "PRV's"				
Mike	Uthe	X		4/3/2023		4:00 - 5:00	Non-Revenue Water				
Brandon	Mahon			4/3/2023		4:00 - 5:00					
Lara	Kammereck			4/3/2023		8:00 - 9:00	What is the Future of Water				
Jadon	Herron			4/3/2023		9:05 - 1:20	Math 1/2				
Michael	Grimm	X		4/3/2023		9:05 - 10:05	Communicating with Engineers				
Tiffany	Yelton-Bram			4/3/2023		9:05 - 10:05	Your DEQ Online: Using it to apply to Operator Certification				
Brandon	Mahon			4/4/2023		10:35 - 11:35					
Leo	Newberg	X		4/4/2023		12:20 - 1:20	Strategies for managing aging infrastructure				
Beth	Read			4/4/2023		12:20 - 2:35	Unknown at this time-possibly sampling				
Randall	Westmoreland			4/4/2023		12:20 - 3:55	Water Treatment Safety and Health Principles				
Pierre	Kwan	X		4/4/2023		2:55 - 3:55	Complying with the Lead and Copper Rule Revisions				
Rusty	Merritt	X		4/4/2023		2:55 - 3:55	Mobile GIS for Field Inspections				
Andrew	Nishihara	X		4/4/2023		4:00 - 5:00	What's happening with PFAS?				
Gene	Hallum	X		4/4/2023		4:00 - 5:00	Utilizing Acoustic Inspection To Prioritize Sewer Maintenance				
Nick	Ridling	X		4/4/2023		4:00 - 5:00	Nick				
Steve	Causseaux	X		4/4/2023		8:00 - 10:05	Confidence with Control Valves: Understanding the Basics of Your "PRV's"				
Jason	E Carman			4/4/2023		8:00 - 11:35	Pumping System Troubleshooting				
Kimi	Grzyb	X		4/4/2023		8:00 - 9:00	DEQ Operator Certification Basics				
Hiro	Kuge			4/4/2023		9:05 - 10:05	Membrane Technology				
Lisa	Masters			4/5/2023		1:35 - 2:35	PPE				
Jonathan	Jorgensen			4/5/2023		1:35 - 2:35	Mter Testing				
Steve	Truitt	X		4/5/2023		10:20 - 11:20	Pumps				
Kali	Kocdemir			4/5/2023		10:20 - 11:20	New AWWA water audit guidelines				
Brian	Anderson			4/5/2023		12:30 - 1:30					
Lisa	Masters			4/5/2023		12:30 - 1:30	Driven to Distraction				
Tabbie	West			4/5/2023		8:00 - 3:50	Blackflow Specialist Recertification				
Jonathan	Jorgensen			4/5/2023		8:00 - 9:00	AMI Project Planning and Installation				
Robert	Smith			4/5/2023		8:00 - 9:00	Food and Beverage Pretreatment				
Jonathan	Frank			4/5/2023		9:05 - 10:05	Supervisory Control And Data Acquisition (SCADA in the Cloud)				
Simon	Cartwright	X		4/5/2023		9:05 - 10:05	Intelligent pumping and case stories				
Brian	Peters						OSHA Compliance				

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