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## Conference Highlights

Groundwater is the lifeline for many rural and agricultural regions and their associated cultures and populations around the globe. Groundwater is a cornerstone of global food production and constitutes nearly half the world's drinking water. The challenges of protecting this resource's quality and ensuring sufficient quantities are the focus of this conference.

**Plenary Sessions**: The four plenary sessions will highlight the importance of information sharing, management, policy and legal control of groundwater in agricultural regions, and assessment of agricultural practices and associated effects on groundwater quantity and quality. Experts from California, the U.S. and around the world will speak about the important connection between groundwater supply and quality, rural livelihood, and agriculture/food production for local, regional, and global communities.

**Concurrent Tracks**: Four concurrent tracks offer a wide range of policy and technical presentations on

such topics as irrigation and water use, salinity and nitrates, climate change, agricultural contamination and groundwater scarcity. More than 100 speakers – policymakers, researchers, water district managers, scientists, and others – will address these and other important issues.

**Exhibits**: Be sure and visit our exhibitors: Instrumentation Northwest, RSI Drilling, Solinst Canada Ltd., The Source Group, Groundwater Resources Association of California and the Water Education Foundation.

**Tuesday Reception and Poster Session**: More than 25 posters and our exhibitors will be showcased at a hosted reception from 5:30 p.m. until 7 p.m. This is the perfect place to network with colleagues and learn about cutting-edge research and policy issues related to groundwater and agriculture.

**Wednesday Poster Session**: The posters will continue to be on display for informal get-togethers.

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Tuesday, June 15, 2010

Plenary Session 1

#### Global Groundwater in Agricultural/Rural Regions: Livelihoods and Use of Groundwater in Agriculture

8:15 a.m.	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b> Rita Schmidt Sudman, Executive Director, Water Education Foundation Thomas Harter, Robert M. Hagan Chair, University of California, Davis				
8:30	<b>For Want of Food: Groundwater in Agriculture</b> Thomas Harter, Robert M. Hagan Chair, University of California, Davis				
9:00	Paula La	-	ulture Nexus in California rict, California Department of Water	Resources	
9:30	Groundwater Irrigation an	_	dia's Experience and its Implica ational Water Management Institut		
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	Track A	Track B	Track C	Track D	
	Session A.1 Groundwater and Global Food Security Chair: Jeff Stoner, U.S. Geological Survey	Session B.1 Conjunctive Use of Groundwater and Surface Water Chair: Tim Parker, Layne Christensen	Session C.1 Groundwater, Salinization, and Salinity Chair: Michael Steiger, Erler & Kalinowski, Inc.	Session D.1 Agricultural Groundwater and Energy Nexus Chair: Chris Scott, University of Arizona	
10:20	Autonomous Smallholder Shallow Groundwater Irrigation Development in Upper East Region of Ghana Regassa E. Namara, International Water Management Institute	The Groundwater-Surface Water Connection in California: Balancing Agricultural, Municipal and Ecosystem Needs in Groundwater Management Maurice D. Hall, The Nature Conservancy	Characterization of Land Cover for Estimating Nitrogen and Salt Losses to Groundwater John Dickey, Plantierra, LLC	A National View of the Irrigation Resources to Grow Biofuel and the Groundwater Role Noel Gollehon, Natural Resources Conservation Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture	
10:45	Feeding the World to 2030 and Beyond: The Role of Groundwater Siwa Msangi, International Food Policy Research Institute	Evaluation of Numeric and Integrated Models for Applications in Texas Susan V. Roberts, River Systems Institute, Texas State University-San Marcos	Offsetting Allochthonus Salinity Increases Threatening Irrigated Agriculture with Managed Recharge Jennie Munster, Balance Hydrologics, Inc.	Can Electricity Pricing be a Tool for Efficient, Equitable and Sustainable Use of Groundwater in Indian Agriculture? Dinesh Kumar, Institute for Resource Analysis and Policy	
11:10	Deteriorating Food Security in India Cristina Milesi, California State University Monterey Bay/NASA Ames Research Center	Conjunctive Use: Streamflow Depletion Caused by Pumping Wells on a Nearby Stream John Bredehoeft, The Hydrodynamics Group		Simulating Hydrologic and Biologic Response to Land Use and Climate Change Randall Hunt, U.S. Geological Survey	

	Track A	Track B	Track C	Track D
11:35	Groundwater Use for Irrigation: A Global Inventory Jacob Burke, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)	Analysis and Simulation of Conjunctive Water Use for Agricultural Settings with the Farm Process for Modflow Randall T. Hanson, U.S. Geological Survey		Groundwater and Energy: Emerging Challenges, Directions and Opportunities Michael Hightower, Sandia National Laboratories
NOON	Lunch and Key		: America's Water Crisis and Wha ity of Arizona, and Author	it to Do About It
	Session A.2 Groundwater and Livelihood Chair: Laurel A. Firestone, Community Water Center	Session B.2 Agricultural Groundwater Management Chair: Vicki Kretsinger Grabert, Luhdorff & Scalmani	Session C.2 Groundwater, Salinization, and Salinity Chair: Vera Nelson, Erler & Kalinowski, Inc.	Session D.2 Groundwater Quality at the Ag-Urban Interface and Agricultural Legacy Contamination Chair: Mike Wireman, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1:25	Looming Impact of Groundwater Quality Degradation on Our Rural Municipal Water Supply and Ag Lands: Not a Technical Issue but a Political and Financial Issue José Antonio Ramirez, City of Firebaugh	Water, People, and the Future: Water Availability for Agriculture in the United States Sharon B. Megdal, University of Arizona	Land Clearing, Rainfed Cropping and Increased Groundwater Resources in Semiarid SW Niger, Africa Guillaume E. Favreau, IRD	Factors contributing to the susceptibility of Public-supply Wells to Agricultural Contaminants Leon Kauffman, U.S. Geological Survey, NAWQA program
1:50	Sustainable Groundwater Management: The Role and Performance of Institutions in India Vasant P. Gandhi, Indian Institute of Management	Evaluating Agricultural Water Use with Crop Life Cycle Assessments Richard Joost, United Soybean Board	A Mass Balance Approach to Evaluating Salinity Sources in the Turlock Sub- Basin, California Michael Steiger, Erler & Kalinowski, Inc.	Evidence for Denitrifica- tion Processes in Nitrate Polluted Groundwater (Catalonia, NE Spain) Using a Multi-Isotopic Approach Pep Mas Pla, Universidad Girona, Spain
2:15	The California Almond Sustainability Program: An Ag Community's Pro- active Approach to Sustain- able Water Management Daniel Sonke, SureHarvest, Inc.	Legal Regimes for Groundwater Regulation: Managing an Increasingly Crucial Resource Stefanie Hedlund, Best Best & Krieger	Agricultural Irrigation Management in Semi-Arid Areas Larry L. Russell, Marin Municipal Water District	Case Study of Groundwater Remediation of Non-point Source Nitrate Ian Bowen, University of Kansas
2:40	Constraints to Small- holder Livelihoods in Irrigated Agriculture in Groundwater-Dependent Parts of Asia Karen G. Villholth, Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland	Gendered Access to Shallow Wells and Riverine Alluvial Dugouts in the Upper East Region of Ghana Eric Antwi Ofosu, UNESCO-IHE	Implications of Past Agricultural Practices on Mobilization and Transport of Selenium and Nutrients from Groundwater to Surface Waters Peter Mangarella, Geosyntec Consultants	Evaluation of Legacy Contamination at the Urban/Agricultural Interface Using Publically-Available Data Eric Suchomel, Geosyntec Consultants
3:05	BREAK			

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	Session A.3 Groundwater and Livelihood Chair: Karen Villholth, Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland	Session B.3 Agricultural Groundwater Management Chair: Randall T. Hanson, U.S. Geological Survey	Session C.3 Pesticides: Ground- water Impacts, Monitoring, BMPs, and Regulation Chair: Karen Burow, U.S. Geological Survey	Session D.3 Groundwater Use and Management at the Ag-Urban Interface Chair: Pep Mas Pla, Universidad Girona, Spain
3:30	Monterey County Agricultural Water Sustainability in the Salad Bowl of the World: Generations of Innovation and Conservation Kathleen Thomasberg, Monterey County Water Resources Agency	The Impact of Dairy Farms on the Groundwater Quality of Israel's Coastal Aquifer Shahar Baram, Ben Gurion University	Assessment of Pesticide Leaching to Groundwater in Germany: Comparison of Indicator and Metamodel Approaches Frank Wendland, Research Center Juelich	Trends and Alternatives to Ag to Urban Water Transfers in Colorado Reagan M. Waskom, Colorado State University
3:55	Using Groundwater for Irrigation in Semi- Arid, Hard-Rock Areas in Peninsular India and the Role of UNESCO-IUGS-IGCP Project GROWNET Shrikant D. Limaye, Ground Water Institute, India	Solar-Powered Drip Irrigation Systems in the Sudano-Sahel Jennifer A. Burney, Program on Food Security and the Environment, Stanford University	Development of the FOCUS Groundwater Scenarios for the Assessment of the Leaching of Plant Protection Products in EU Registration Jos Boesten, Alterra	Innovative Nitrogen Management Strategies to Reduce Groundwater Impacts in Drinking Water Source Protection Areas Jacqueline M. Brook, University of Waterloo
4:20	Till the Wells Run Dry? Dealing with Groundwater Depletion in Victoria, Australia, and California, U.S.A. Rebecca L. Nelson, Stanford University	Farmers' Willingness to Adopt BMPs to Control Nonpoint Source Pollution in the Lower Bhavani River Basin, India Sacchidananda Mukherjee, National Institute of Public Finance and Policy	Groundwater Vulnerability Assessments for the San Joaquin Valley Keith Loague, Stanford University	Groundwater Banking and Management in Mixed Agricultural and Urban Regions Jim Beck, Kern County Water Agency
4:45	Water Supply Enhance- ment Project for the Poso Creek Integrated Regional Water Management Plan, Tulare Lake Basin Sam Schaefer, GEI Consultants, Inc.	Opportunities and Constraints to Community Regulation of Ground- water: Lessons from a Grassroots Project in Andhra Pradesh, India Rama Mohan Venkata Ramachandrula, Centre for World Solidarity	Regression Model for Predicting the Concentra- tion of Atrazine Residues in Shallow Agricultural Groundwater across the Conterminous United States Paul E. Stackelberg, U.S. Geological Survey	Social Sustainability of a Groundwater Allocation Plan toward the Resolution of an Allocation Dispute between Agricultural and Forest Water Users Virginie Gillet, Centre for Comparative Water Policies and Laws, University of South Australia
5:10	END SESSIONS			
	Hosted Reception and Poster Session			

## Program

#### Wednesday, June 16, 2010

Plenary Session 2

#### Managing Groundwater Use and Groundwater Quality

	Moderator: Jacob Burke, Senior Water Policy Officer, Land and Water Division, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)				
8:30			upply and Quality in the U.S. ater, U.S. Geological Survey		
9:00	The Global Boom in Groundwa Stephen Fo		ence of Reconciling Resource U gement Team Director, World Bank	-	
9:30	Satellite and Ground-based App Bridget Sc		ng Impacts of Agriculture on G cientist, University of Texas, Austin	roundwater Resources	
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	Econ of G Ma Chain	ession B.4 omic Drivers roundwater anagement :: Sharon Megdal, tersity of Arizona	Session C.4 Nutrients: Ground- water Impacts, Monitoring, BMPs, and Regulation Chair: Dico Fraters, National Institute for Public Health and the Environment, the Netherlands	Session D.4	
10:20	Agricult Usage a K	bility Economics of cural Groundwater and Management eith C. Knapp, rsity of California, Riverside	Groundwater Chemical Status in Denmark Based on Environmental Objectives for Ecosystems and European Water Directives and Guidelines Klaus Hinsby, Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland		
10:45	Cost o Produ Ro	ng the Operational of Groundwater action to Sustain Profits obert Turnbull, be Moss Company	Denitrification at a Dairy Site Supported by Gas-Liquid Phase Modeling of Tritium/Helium-3 Groundwater Age Steve Carle, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory		

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11:10		Groundwater or Livelihood? The Case of Al-Ajaz Community in Northern Syria Adriana Bruggeman, The Cyprus Institute	Trends in Nitrate Concentrations in Agricultural Areas of the United States: Implications for Aquifers and Streams Chris Green, U.S. Geological Survey	
11:35		<b>Groundwater Sustainability</b> – Merely an Illusion? David Eaton, University of Texas, Austin	Cropping System Model for Integrated Evaluation of Agricultural Activities Marco Acutis, University of Milano	
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	Session A.5 Groundwater and Climate Change Chair: Graham Fogg, University of California, Davis	Session B.5 Agricultural Ground- water Management Chair: Mark Giordano, International Water Management Institute	Session C.5 Nutrients: Ground- water Impacts, Monitoring, BMPs, and Regulation Chair: Chris Green, U.S. Geological Survey	Session D.5 Forecasting of Ag Groundwater Quality and Quantity Trends/Comprehen- sive Modeling and Assessment Tools Chair: Steven Carle, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
1:25	Using a Multi-Actor Framework for Simulating the Interaction between Various Actors, Water Supply and Groundwater in Response to Global Change Roland Barthel, Institute of Hydraulic Engineering, University of Stuttgart, Germany	Groundwater Governance in Spain: Aligning Science with Policy Elena Lopez-Gunn, Marcelino Botin Foundation- Water Observatory	Bioavailability of Dissolved Organic Carbon and Ambient Redox Processes in Groundwater Associated with Agricultural Land Use Frank Chapelle, U.S. Geological Survey	Forecasting the Effects of EU Policy Measures on the Nitrate Pollution of Groundwater Based on a Coupled Agroeconomic Hydro(geo)logic Model Frank Wendland, Research Centre Juelich
1:50	Groundwater and Climate Change: Forcing, Feedbacks, and Integrated Hydrologic Response Reed Maxwell, Colorado School of Mines	The Use of Reserve Determination in Assessing Groundwater Quantity Adaora Unoma Okonkwo, South Africa, Department of Water Affairs	Can Groundwater Protection and Agricultural Production Co-exist over Vulnerable Aquifers? Cathy Ryan, University of Calgary	An Overview of Studies of Agricultural Contaminant Trends in Groundwater in the United States Bruce D. Lindsey, U.S. Geological Survey
2:15	Rural Water Supply Drought Vulnerability Assessment in the Desert Southwest Kristine A. Uhlman, Water Resources Research Center, University of Arizona	Managing the Groundwater-Agriculture Nexus in the Largest U.S. Irrigation District Tom Glover, Westlands Water District	Modeling Agricultural Impacts on Groundwater at Contrasting Spatial Scales Bernard Tom Nolan, U.S. Geological Survey	Detection of Trends in Groundwater Quality: An Overview of Methods Developed in Europe Hans Peter Broers, TNO Geological Survey of the Netherlands

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2:40	Climate Change, Agriculture and Sustainable Groundwater Management: Developing a Strategic Groundwater Reserve to Buffer Extreme Droughts Ruth Langridge, University of California, Santa Cruz		In-stream Bioreactor for Agricultural Nitrate Treatment William D. Robertson, University of Waterloo	Modeling Seasonal Risk of Deep Drainage for Different Regions of Ontario: Implications for Source Protection Guideline Development Gary Parkin, University of Guelph	
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	Session A.6 Groundwater and Climate Change Chair: Reed Maxwell, Colorado School of Mines	Session B.6 Agricultural Ground- water Management Chair: Adriana Bruggeman, The Cyprus Institute	Session C.6 Nutrients: Ground- water Impacts, Monitoring, BMPs, and Regulation Chair: Scott Bradford, U.S. Department of Agriculture	Session D.6 Aquifer Recharge in Agricultural Regions Chair: Frank Wendland, Research Centre Juelich	
3:30	Green Water Management to Sustain Agricultural Production in a Changing Climate David Purkey, Stockholm Environment Institute	Framework for the San Joaquin Valley Integrated Regional Water Management Plan Sargent Green, California Water Institute	Denitrification and Nitrate Transport in Groundwater Underlying Large Dairy Operations in California's Central Valley Brad Esser, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	Groundwater Recharge in Eastern San Joaquin County Resulting from the Farmington Program John Green, Stockton East Water District	
3:55	The Impact of Climate Change on Groundwater Recharge in Karkheh River Basin (Iran) Ahmad Abrishamchi, Department of Civil E ngineering, Sharif University of Technology	Collaborative, Stakeholder- Driven, Water-Energy- Agriculture-Ecosystems Modeling and Planning for Long-Term Resource Sustainability Howard Passell, Sandia National Laboratories	Quantifying the Perfor- mance of Regional Scale Reductions in Nutrient Applications for Source Water Protection through Vadose Zone Monitoring David L. Rudolph, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, University of Waterloo,	Managed Aquifer Recharge as Tool for Sustainable Management of Ground- water Quantity and Quality in Agricultural Basins Calla M. Schmidt, University of California, Santa Cruz	
4:20	Interannual to Multi- decadal Climate Variability Effects on Sustainable Groundwater for Agriculture Jason Gurdak, Geosciences Department, San Francisco State University	Impact of State Regula- tion on Groundwater Exploitation in the "Hotspot" Region of Punjab, India Bharat Raj Sharma, International Water Management Institute	Relationship between Nitrogen Surpluses and Nitrate Leaching on Sandy Soils Dico Fraters, National Institute for Public Health and the Environment	Climate Change and Subsurface Storage; or: Groundwater Age Mixing and What it Means to Water Quality Graham Fogg, University of California, Davis	
4:45	Impacts of Groundwater Pumping and Irrigation on Regional Hydrology and Climate Ian M. Ferguson, Colorado School of Mines	Environmental and Socio-economic Implica- tions of Overexploitation of Groundwater Resources in Hassa Oasis in Eastern Saudi Arabia Nasser A. Alsaaran, King Saud University	Assessing Potential Nutri- ent Losses in Tile Drained, Macroporous Soils over an Annual Cycle through Con- servative Tracer Tracking Steven K. Frey, University of Waterloo	Groundwater Management Program for Yuba County Water Agency: A Conjunctive Use Pilot Project Christian E. Petersen, MWH	
5:10		END SESSIONS			
5:30-7:00	Poster Session				





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11:10	Socio-Economic Impact of Groundwater Pollution Due to Disposal of Textile Effluent – A Case Study from India Saravanan Ramasamy, Anna University	Policy and Economic Drivers in California that Affect Ground- water Management and Sustainability in Agricultural Regions Matt Zidar, GEI Consultants, Inc.	Cycling of Organoarseni- cals Released from Poultry Litter: Results from a Field Experiment in an Agricultural Watershed Oluyinka Oyewumi, Virginia Tech and State University	Development and Pilots for a National Groundwater Monitoring Network in the United States Tim Parker, Layne Christensen
11:35	Developing Ground- Up Solutions to Non- point Source Pollution of Groundwater: An Environmental Justice Perspective Laurel A. Firestone, Community Water Center	Legal Instruments for Dealing with Agricultural Groundwater Management in the United States John C. Peck, University of Kansas	Investigating Long- Term Effects of Manure Management Activities on Groundwater Quality in Alberta Kristen Lorenz, Alberta Agriculture and Rural Development	Monitoring Groundwater for the Effectiveness of Action Programs in Denmark, 1988-2009 Lærke Thorling, Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland
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	Session A.8 Agricultural Groundwater: Regulatory Controls, Compliance, and Monitoring (Use and Quality) Chair: Linda Bond, Consultant	Session B.8 Agricultural Groundwater Management Chair: Matt Zidar, GEI Consultants, Inc.	Session C.8 Animal Farming, Manure Management and Groundwater Chair: Calla M. Schmidt, University of California, Santa Cruz	Session D.8 Groundwater and Agriculture Interfaces Chair: Tom Nolan, U.S. Geological Survey
1:25	Nitrate Reduction in a Groundwater Dominated Catchment: How Good Are Our Models? Jens Christian Refsgaard, Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland	Management of Ground- water in California through an Integrated Regional Water Management Plan David Orth, Kings River Conservation District	Colloid Transport Behavior in Agricultural Soils: Microbes and Microspheres Edwin Cey, University of Calgary	New Developments for Conjunctive Manage- ment in Idaho: Why Our Expanding Understanding of Science Should Expand How We Address the Doctrine Against Waste in Idaho Water Right Transfers Dylan R. Hedden-Nicely, University of Idaho, College of Law
1:50	Nitrates Directive Compliance: Checking for Nitrate in Groundwater in the Netherlands Arnoud de Klijne, National Institute for Public Health and the Environment	Addressing Groundwater Overexploitation: Large Scale Success of Communi- ty Management Approach- es in Hard Rock Aquifers of Southern India Sanjay Pahuja, World Bank	Reuse of CAFO Wastewater on Agricultural Lands: Potential Environmental Contaminants, Transport Pathways, and Treatments Scott A. Bradford, U.S. Department of Agriculture, ARS, U.S. Salinity Laboratory	Identification and Quantification of Nitrate Transport in Agricultural Areas Yuri Mun, Korea Environment Institute

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2:15	Can We Determine Background Nitrate Concentration in Groundwater? Kelly L. Warner, U.S. Geological Survey	<b>Strategies for Efficient</b> <b>Irrigation</b> John Selker, Oregon State University	Relationship between Farm Management, Nitrogen Surplus, Nitrate Concentrations and Economic Performance of Dutch Dairy Farms on Sandy Soils Joan W. Reijs, Wageningen University and Research Centre, Agricultural Economics Research Institute	Modeling Crop Water Demand and Root Zone Flow Processes at Regional Scales in the Context of Integrated Hydrology Emin C. Dogrul, California Department of Water Resources	
2:40	CV-SALTS Initiative: Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board Efforts to Tackle Salinity and Nitrate throughout the Central Valley and Who Needs to be Involved Pamela Creedon, Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board	Groundwater in China: Development, Regulation and Farmers' Responses Qiuqiong Huang, Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota	An Investigation of Polices for Controlling Groundwater Pollution from Confined Animal Feeding Operations Jingjing Wang, University of California, Riverside	Assessing and Forecasting Nitrate Fluxes in Agricultural Aquifers Chris Green, U.S. Geological Survey	
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3:20	Plenary Session 4 <b>Toward Sustainable Groundwater In Agriculture:</b> Challenges, Observations, and Key Outcomes				
	Moderator: Margaret Catley-Carlson, Chair, Canadian Water Network				
	<b>Panel</b> : Mark Giordano, Principal Researcher, International Water Management Institute Michael Campana, Professor of Geosciences, Oregon State University				
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6:00		lournal Special Iss	ue Author Meeting		

## Poster Presenters

- Zeinab Shaaban Abou-Elnaga, Mansoura University, Challenges of Water sector: Groundwater and Agriculture in Egypt
- Alishir Afrous, University of Azadegan, Nitrate Leaching in Various Irrigation Methods and Simulating Nitrate Movement and Transport with LEACHN Model
- Jocelyn Boudreau for Jean Caron, Université Laval, Qc, Canada, Saving Water and Energy Using Spatially Distributed Real Time Water Potential Sensors in Cranberry
- Hans Peter Broers, TNO Geological Survey of the Netherlands, Implementing the EU Water Framework and Groundwater Directives in the Netherlands: Monitoring and Compliance Regime for Groundwater
- **Michael V. Callaghan**, *University of Calgary*, Investigation of Groundwater Flow Paths During Leaching of Salt-affected Soils
- **Pennan Chinnasamy**, *University of Missouri*, Measuring and Monitoring HydroBiogeochemical Flux in a Forested Riparian Floodplain/wetland
- **Guillaume Favreau for Ibrahim Maïmouna**, *Université Montpellier*, Impact of Irrigation on Soil and Groundwater Salinity in the Komadugu Yobe Valley, Lake Chad Basin.
- **Tigistu Haile for Wakgari Furi Konchi**, University of Poitiers, Aquifer Geometry and the Impact of Irrigation Water on Groundwater Level Changes in Main Ethiopian Rift
- **Thomas Harter for Ryan Hines**, University of California, Davis, Understanding the Effects of Agriculture-Driven Multiscale Groundwater-Surface Water Interactions on Scott River Baseflow and Stream Temperature in Support of Beneficial Salmon Habitat
- Heidar Ali Kashkuli, Islamic Azad University, Groundwater Investigation and Modeling of Buchir-Homeyran Plain , Hormozgan Province, Iran
- Daniel B. Marcum, University of California Cooperative Extension, Groundwater Monitoring in Big Valley in the Northeastern California Counties of Lassen and Modoc
- Siwa Msangi, International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), Exploring the Behavioral Dynamics of Groundwater Usage in India: Evaluating the Potential Effectiveness of Community-based Management Schemes

- **Gene-Hua Crystal Ng**, *MIT*, Probabilistic Predictions of Groundwater Recharge Under Climate Change Scenarios in a Dryland Cotton Region of the Southern High Plains
- Adaora Unoma Okonkwo, South Africa, Department of Water Affairs, Assessment of the Influence of Geology on Groundwater Quality: A Case Study of Kutama and Sinthumule Areas in Limpopo Province
- **Pep Mas Pla for A. Folch**, Universitat Autònoma de Edifici, Groundwater in Situ Biodenitrification Pilot Test in Fractured Media
- Pep Mas Pla for Anna Menció, Universitat de Girona, Spring Water Nitrate Content as Indicator of Hydrological Response to Agricultural Fertilization (Osona region, NE Spain).
- **Rey A. Rodriguez**, H2O R2 Consulting Engineers, Inc., Restoring and Maintaining a Lakes Oxygen Supply Using the RezOX gPRO H2O Oxygenator
- **Bridget R. Scanlon**, *University of Texas at Austin*, Comparison of Irrigated Agriculture in the U.S. High Plains and North China Plain
- **Bridget R. Scanlon**, *University of Texas at Austin*, Impacts of Rain-fed and Irrigated Agriculture on Soil Water and Groundwater Salinity
- **Heejun Suk**, Korea Institute of Geoscience and Mineral Resources, Model Development for Analysis of Nitrate Leaching and its Field Application in a Rural Area
- Kristine A. Uhlman, University of Arizona, Predicting and Mapping Ground Water Vulnerability to Nitrate in Arizona
- Karen G. Villholth, Geological Survey of Denmark and Greenland, Support to Capacity Building within Integrated Groundwater Management in Africa
- Esther J.W. Wattel-Koekkoek, *RIVM*, Groundwater Quality in the Netherlands, 1984-2008
- **Esther J.W. Wattel-Koekkoek**, *RIVM*, Monitoring the Effects of Emission Reduction Policy: Groundwater Quality in Forests and Heathland in the Netherlands
- Yohannes Woldeyohannes, La Trobe University, Characterizing Groundwater Dynamics in Western Victoria Using Menyanthes Software