

# 2017 UTILITY MANAGEMENT FORUM

The Water Environment Association of Ontario is once again providing a comprehensive forum to meet the needs of utility managers and other water sector leaders in the Province. This one day session provides utility managers with an opportunity to interact in an open and information filled forum, which will address the problems they face daily, and discuss solutions and initiatives practiced by others in dealing with them.

## FEATURED CLIMATE CHANGE PANEL



**Trevor Dickinson**, University of Guelph

Trevor is a Professor Emeritus in the University of Guelph, after a distinguished teaching and research career in Water Resources Engineering at the School of Engineering in Guelph, spanning 50 years. He has received several teaching awards, including a prestigious 3M Fellowship; and has contributed to the authorship of more than 500 articles and presentations, more than 200 of these being refereed. In retirement, Trevor continues to enjoy involvement with colleagues in research and consulting projects.



**Natalia Moudrak**, Intact Centre on Climate Adaptation

Natalia is the Director of the Infrastructure Adaptation Program and advances the development of best practices for building new residential communities in Canada that are more resilient to flooding; as well evaluates the business case for natural infrastructure preservation. Natalia has experience in sustainability strategy, reporting and business case development across a wide range of industry sectors and client organizations. Prior to joining the Intact Centre, Natalia worked at PricewaterhouseCoopers Canada, Risk Assurance Services. Natalia holds a B.A in Economics and a M.A. in Urban Planning from the University of Waterloo. Natalia is a subject matter expert on the International Organization for Standardization Technical Committee for stormwater management.



**Derrick Beach**, Environment and Climate Change Canada

Derrick has been working in the water resources engineering field for over 23 years where he has worked on a variety of projects related to municipal infrastructure. He is currently with the Boundary Waters Issues unit of Environment and Climate Change Canada where he is responsible for monitoring the water quantity and Canada-USA transboundary water uses of the Great Lakes. Derrick's focus for the Climate Change Panel will be (i) insight into the factors which influenced Lake Ontario Water levels in 2017, and (ii) the potential influence of how Climate Change may be affecting circulation and other Dynamics of the nearshore zone of Lake Ontario, including Municipal Treatment Plant intakes, and Ontario's Source Water Protection approach.

### DATE

Tuesday  
October 24, 2017

### LOCATION

Toronto Botanical  
Gardens  
777 Lawrence Ave E,  
North York, ON

### HOTEL

Edward Hotel  
North York  
185 Yorkland Blvd,  
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