

WEAO YOUNG PROFESSIONAL VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

Thank you for expressing an interest in volunteering with WEAO Young Professional (YP) Committee. To assist us with understanding your preferences and interests, please complete this form. We require assistance for both events and on committees. Each opportunity has a level of time commitment and logistics.

YP volunteers typically participate on a YP subcommittee or take on a YP liaison role.

Please specify two or three YP subcommittee positions or liaison roles of interest:

YP Sub-Committees:

<input type="checkbox"/> Conference	Coordinate YP involvement in the annual WEAO conference.
<input type="checkbox"/> Magazine	Create and distribute YP content to WEAO members through social media, <i>Influents</i> articles, and the YP newsletter.
<input type="checkbox"/> Mentorship	Coordinate, develop and implement the WEAO Mentorship Program.
<input type="checkbox"/> Professional Development	Organize events focusing on technical content, soft skills and plant tours.
<input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship	Coordinate the annual WEAO and Kelman scholarship programs.
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Events	Organize events focusing on social networking opportunities.
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Chapter Program	Coordinate and support Student Chapters across Ontario, including organization of the Student Chapter Leadership Forum.
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Design Competition	Coordination of the annual Student Design Competition providing an opportunity for Ontario Post-Secondary student teams to find solutions for real world problems in the industry.

YP Liaison Roles*:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Asset Management (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Promotions and Event Planning (WEAO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Climate Change (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Engagement and Education (WEAO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Collections Systems (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Residuals and Biosolids (WEAO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conference (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Utility Management (WEAO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government Affairs (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Wastewater Treatment & Technologies (WEAO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Water for People (WEAO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Operations Challenge (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Ontario Water & Wastewater Association |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Wastewater Operators (WEAO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Ontario Public Works Association |

*YP liaisons sit on WEAO and partner committees to provide updates and information to the YP team. They help to co-ordinate panelists and speakers for our technical sessions and are the line of communication between both teams. **We typically look for YPs with a couple years of work experience who can commit at least two (2) years to the YP liaison position.** See the WEAO website for committee details (www.weao.org).

Name: _____

Company/School: _____

City: _____ Prov: _____

Telephone: _____ Member ID: _____

E-mail: _____

Please check the box to subscribe to the WEAO YP monthly newsletter

Experience in Water/Wastewater Industry (identify one):

Nature of your role: (identify all applicable)

Undergraduate Student (program years 1 or 2)

Operator

Undergraduate Student (program years 3+)

Municipal/Provincial/Federal Government

Postgraduate Student

Consultant

0 to 3 years of work experience

Government Agency

3 to 5 years of work experience

Research Laboratory

5+ years of work experience

Educational Institution

Manufacturer of Equipment

Equipment Supplier

Student

Other: _____

Please outline why are you interested in volunteering with WEAO YP:

Please describe applicable experience and relevant skills that you can bring to WEAO YP:

Please describe the experience and skills that you wish to develop through volunteering with WEAO YP:

On average, how many hours per week would you like to commit to volunteering with WEAO YP?

How did you hear about the WEAO YP Committee?

It is important for WEAO YP volunteers to hold a current WEF/WEAO YP or student membership – <https://www.wef.org/membership/join-wef/> to sign up!

Please Return to: yp@weaocommittee.ca