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Trinkwasseraufbereitung

Trifluoressigsäure

Non-Target-Analyse

Adsorption von Selen-Oxoanionen

Phosphorfreie Antiscalants

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Society of Water Chemistry

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WASSER 2027

May 3 – 5, 2027
Berchtesgaden/Germany



www.gdch.de/wasser2027



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The WASSER 2027 will take place
on May 3 - 5 2027 in Berchtesgaden.

► SCOPE OF THE CONFERENCE

The WASSER is the central German conference for experts in the fields of water chemistry, water treatment, and basically all water-related disciplines. Special focus is on sharing the latest research results, discussing current scientific challenges, and, most importantly, the personal exchange.

► CONFERENCE VENUE

AlpenCongress Berchtesgaden
Maximilianstr. 9
83471 Berchtesgaden/Germany

Further information about the conference location can be found on our webpage

www.gdch.de/wasser2027

► SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

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► ORAL PRESENTATION AND POSTER SUBMISSION

Abstracts for oral presentation and posters on the following topics can be submitted in English or German:

- Research on mountain lakes and the Alps
- River systems, lakes/reservoirs, and groundwater
- Climate change: impact on water management
- Drinking water treatment and distribution
- Wastewater treatment and water reuse
- Hygiene and microbiology
- (Bio-) Analytical methods
- (Eco-)Toxicological methods and studies
- Detection/fate/effects of nanoparticles/microplastics
- Detection/fate of natural/anthropogenic (harmful) substances (analysis, occurrence, degradation, transformation)
- Standardization of water analysis methods
- PFAS

Please submit contributions by **December 1, 2026** via:

www.gdch.de/wasser2027

Abstract guidelines are available from the conference webpage.

Please highlight the innovation of your results and indicate potential applications. All submitted abstracts will be evaluated by the members of the Scientific Committee, who also have the final responsibility for compiling the program. The time for presentations will be 15 minutes plus 5 minutes for discussion.

► CONFERENCE LANGUAGE

Oral and poster contributions may be presented in German or English.

► PUBLICATIONS

Accepted abstracts will be published in the conference proceedings, which will be available to all participants in digital format at the beginning of the conference. In addition and depending on the agreement of the respective authors, selected abstracts will be published in the journal "Vom Wasser".

► TRAVEL GRANTS

The Society of Water Chemistry offers a limited number of travel grants to students and doctoral candidates with oral lectures or poster contributions. Application forms can be downloaded from the [conference homepage](#):

Please send the completed form to Maike Fries (m.fries@gdch.de), by **March 1st, 2027** at the latest.

► AWARDS

The Society of Water Chemistry will honor outstanding doctoral and master theses with dedicated awards – all sponsored by the Walter-Kölle Foundation. **The deadline for submitting proposals is October 31, 2026.** All applications should be sent to Maike Fries (m.fries@gdch.de).

Further information: www.gdch.de/wchg under „Awards&Honors“

► GENERAL ASSEMBLY

On **Monday, May 3, 2027**, we invite you to the General Assembly of the Society of Water Chemistry in the AlpenCongress Berchtesgaden. Afterwards we will meet for a "Colorful Night of the Posters" with snacks and drinks.

► SOCIAL PROGRAM

On **Sunday evening, May 2, 2027** our Get-together will take place including a Water Science Quiz. A city tour is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon. On Tuesday evening we meet for the conference's Networking Dinner.

► YOUNG WATER FORUM (JUNGES WASSERFORUM; JWF)

The JWF represents the young researchers within the Society of Water Chemistry and organizes several activities in the framework of the conference:

May 2, 2027 (Sunday): „Snacks & Science“ exchange meeting; prior to the Get-together.

May 4, 2027 (Tuesday): Career Lunch

For further information, please see: www.gdch.de/jwf

► FAMILY SERVICES

A family room is available during conference hours. Please note that no childcare or special equipment is provided. Children must be supervised by an adult at all times. Use is at your own risk.