

3. Water Harvesting in urban areas
4. Watershed management

Each of the sessions will have interaction with participants. Their interaction would go a long way in framing detailed guidelines for the States and the country.

PROGRAMME

Inauguration	10-11.15
Water availability-Demand	11.30-12.15
Traditional water harvesting practices	12.15-13.15
Water harvesting Urban areas	14.30-15.30
Watershed management	15.30-16.30
Valedictory function	16.45-17.30

PARTICIPATION:

Experts from various Government Organizations/Undertakings concerned, Educational Institutions and Consultancy Organizations are invited to participate in the deliberations of the workshop. This will enable the experts to fine tune the challenges of new millennium in the fast changing technologies.

REGISTRATION:

Registration of delegates will be made upon advance payment of registration fee as indicated below:

Corporate Members of IEI	Rs. 250/-
Non-Corporate Members (individual)	Rs. 500/-

Delegates from the Govt. / Pvt. Organizations / Educational

Institutions Rs. 500/-
Students Rs. 200/-

PAYMENTS:

All payments shall be made through A/C Payee Cheques (local delegates/Organizations) drawn in favour of "The Institution of Engineers (India), Ahmedabad" payable at any of the scheduled Bank at Ahmedabad, India.

Venue:

The Workshop will be held at the Institution of Engineers (India), Gujarat State Centre, Bhaikaka Bhavan, Ahmedabad on 5th December 2014.

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Venue: Ahmedabad

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ABOUT WATER MANAGEMENT FORUM

With a view to bringing awareness among the users about the scarce resource and its conservancy & judicious use, a national forum--Water Management Forum (WMF) was established by IEI at Ahmedabad. The WMF is actively organizing seminars on Water conservancy and management.

ABOUT THE SEMINAR

Water is the elixir of life. But it is not available in abundance on earth. On the other hand, water demand is increasing exponentially due to development going on at a rapid pace. Not only industrialisation, but urbanisation is putting lot of strain on

our already strained water resources. It has therefore become extremely necessary to conserve water. We can conserve water in rural and urban areas by following recharging technique saving every drop of water that falls on earth. Our country has been practicing water conservation since ages. It is intended to revisit all these methods and to explore the possibility of reviving the old culture wherever found relevant.

This year has been decided to be celebrated as Water Conservation Year by the Government of India to underline the importance of Water Conservation and therefore Gujarat State Center has decided to organise this one day workshop under the aegis of Agriculture Engineering Division Board of IEI and Water management Forum of IEI. The workshop is going to be attended by the practicing engineers from urban as well as rural area and experts involved in making this approach applicable in the country. The workshop is proposed to be organized over one full day with technical brainstorming sessions besides the Inaugural and Valedictory Functions. The **sub themes** :

1. Our water resources, demand, future projections and water conservation in our day to day use
2. Traditional water harvesting practices in different parts of the country