



Who Owns Stormwater?

You are welcomed to a two-day international conference on effective integration of stormwater management with urban planning. Main objective of the event is to gather know-how and experience from other Baltic Sea Region countries, where stormwater management is effectively integrated into urban planning, and find ways to apply it in Estonia and countries with similar challenges (Latvia, Lithuania, Poland etc). Participants and speakers are from the Baltic Sea Region universities, public authorities and private companies.

When: 7th and 8th of September 2016.

Where: Tallinn University of Technology, Ehitajate tee 5 (hall Hall U01-101), 19086 Tallinn, Estonia.

The event is open to the public and free of charge.

Please register your participation via Google From here: <http://goo.gl/forms/GWUmkwMdCGk4w3il2>

The event will be broadcasted live here: <https://youtu.be/wP82q22cEs4>

Programme

Wednesday, 7 September (TUT; Hall U01-202)

10:00-10:30 **Registration and coffee**

10:30-10:45 **Opening words**

Rainer Vakra, Chair of the Environmental Committee of the Parliament of Estonia

10:45-11:15 **Measures concerning urban flooding in the Estonian Action Plan for Adaptation to Climate Changes**

Kati-Liis Kensap, Department of Climate Changes, Ministry of Environment

11.15-11.45 **Study on possibilities to collect charges for stormwater maintenance (Tariff systems)**

Raili Kärmäs, Councillor, Water Department, Ministry of Environment

11.45-12.15 **Guidelines from US EPA concerning Green infrastructure and relevant financing** *Nicole*

Johnson, Economic/Commercial Officer, U.S. Embassy

12.15-.12.45 **Green Infrastructure objects visited during the BF project and some examples from New York**

Ana-Maria Jones, Hamburg University of Applied Sciences

12.45-13.00 **Q&A**

13:00-13:45 **LUNCH**

13.45-14.05 **Local regulations for city planners in Pärnu**

Karri Tiigisoos, city planner

14.05-14.25 **TUAS study on Turku Harbour Area**

Jan-Hendrik Körber, Turku University of Applied Sciences

14.25-14.45 **Handbook on sustainable stormwater management for the Skanste region in Riga**

Jurijs Kondratenko, Grupa 93

- 14.45 -15.05 **Transport/parking lots in Tallinn and adaptation possibilities to flooding risks**
Prof Dago Antov, TUT Dept of Logistics
- 15.05-15.25 **Comparative study of stormwater retention in areas with different permeability**
Mieke Klein, Hamburg IFU
- 15.25-15.45 **Q&A**
- 15.45-16.15 **Coffee break**
- 16.15-16.45 **Stormwater Monitoring and Quality of Stormwater**
Sten Yondt, SweCin AB
- 16.45-17.00 **Overview of stormwater management and monitoring clusters in the region**
Tõnu Hein, Cleantech Estonia NPO
- 17.00-17.15 **Introduction to Site Visit 1: Tallinn Wastewater Treatment Plant**
Tiina Kärner, TWWP
- 17.15-17.30 **Introduction to Site Visit 2: Reconstructed rainwater ditch in Tallinn Botanical Garden**
Kristiina Habicht, Design Bureau Urmas Nugin
Ken Mandre, Water 4 People
Karolin Kairo-Gassman, Tallinn City Government
- 17:30-17:45 **PANEL DISCUSSION “Stormwater as a resource”**
- 19:30 Reception in Restaurant “Kaerajaan” in Town Hall Square , Old City (at own expense)

Thursday, 8 September

SITE VISITS – BUS EXCURSION

- 9.30-10:00 **SEMINAR** (in TUT Hall SOC 209): „**Past, Present and Future of Stormwater Management in Tallinn**” *Margus Koor, Tallinn Wastewater Treatment Plant*
- 10:00-11.15 **Bus excursion** to Tallinn Wastewater Treatment Plant (*explanations are given by Tiina Kärner and Margus Koor*)

On the way to the Botanical Garden the bus will stop in the city centre near Hotel Forum, for those who have to leave.

- 11.30 **Excursion** continues in **Tallinn Botanical Garden** and Lepiku Ditch
Explanations are given by Olev Abner, head of the outdoor collections, about the maintenance of the reconstructed object.
- 12.45-13:00 **Closing words** (*In the rose garden or tropical greenhouse, depending on the rain*)

The bus can take people to the Ferry terminal, Airport, Hotel Forum as necessary.