

# WaterAid at the World Water Week in Stockholm 2016

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Date, time and location	Title and link to online program	Co-conveners	Summary of session (for details on presenters follow the link)
Sun 28th, 09.00 - 10.30  Room: FH 202	<b><u>City-wide sanitation services: recent thinking and experiences</u></b>	WaterAid; GIZ, SusSanA; UNDP-SIWI Water Governance Facility; Water Global Practice – World Bank	What is the latest thinking on delivering sanitation city-wide? What can we learn from recent experiences? This event brings together key sector stakeholders to address the key challenge that urban sanitation represents in the pathway towards the Sustainable Development Goal's ambition of Universal Access by 2030.
Sun 28th, 14.00 - 15.30  Room: FH 202	<b><u>Basins to Boreholes: Monitoring for Water Security</u></b>	WaterAid, IUCN; ODI; University of Technology Sydney	Too often the real water challenges faced by poor and vulnerable populations in developing countries are absent from high-level discussions and debates around the achievement of water security. This session aims to share lessons on how WASH and WRM activities can synergistically contribute to a wide range of Global Goals.
Sun 28th, 14.00 - 15.30  Room: FH 307	<b><u>Political Drivers for Sustained Change in Water Service Delivery</u></b>	IRC; Osprey Foundation; Water For People and WaterAid	The delivery of rural WASH services, in developing countries, is most often within the mandate of local government authorities. In order to develop and deliver universal services on a sustainable basis, local government must invest in those services and have sufficient capacity to support the management and regulation of them. In this session elected and unelected district leaders from three countries will share how they have worked to bring the reality of universal services alive, within their administrative areas.



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Mon 29th, 14.00 - 15.30  Room: NL Pillar Hall / Pelarsalen	<b><u>Secure Water. Empowered Citizens: What Can Social Accountability Achieve</u></b>	GPSA, KEWASNET, U4, WIN, Water Witness International and WaterAid	This session brings together practitioners, beneficiaries and government duty-bearers to share evidence from social accountability initiatives in Africa, Asia and Central America. Triangulating these experiences with preliminary research findings and evidence from other sectors, participants will discuss how social accountability can contribute to water security and services; and develop recommendations for effective upscaling.
Tue 30th, 09.00 - 10.30  Room: NL 461	<b><u>Upscaling the WASH-Nutrition Nexus for Sustainable (Body) Growth</u></b>	Action contre la faim; DGIZ and BMZ, Germany; German WASH Network; SWA; Sustainable Sanitation Alliance; WaterAid and WHO	In past years, the neglected connection between WASH and Nutrition has stepped into the limelight. This seminar builds on the results of the Bonn WASH-Nutrition Forum 2015 (WNF) – bringing a range of key nutrition actors to Stockholm for the first time. The seminar will identify incentives for doubling the number of countries integrating WASH in their nutrition plans and advocates for an umbrella framework of sector integration within the SDGs, utilising the global platforms SWA Partnership and SUN Movement.
Tue 30th, 11.00 - 12.30  Room: NL Auditorium / Aulan	<b><u>Gendered WASH needs: programming for the home, school and workplace</u></b>	CARE International; LSHTM / SHARE; Plan International; SNV; UNICEF ; University of Oklahoma and WaterAid	This workshop will focus on unpacking what the “special” needs of women and girls are in educational, domestic, and work place settings. We will focus on two themes: 1) psychosocial distress and vulnerabilities associated with constrained access to WASH services and (2) menstrual hygiene management (MHM).



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Tue 30th, 14.00 - 15.30  Room: FH Congress Hall A	<b><u>Eye on LAC: Water and Sanitation as a Business: Constraints-Opportunities</u></b>	IADP; IRC; One Drop; Water For People and WaterAid	Providing improved water and sanitation services generate market opportunities for private businesses. Based on good practices and real examples, the goal of this seminar is to understand how to generate this environment in Latin America and develop viable business models that make water and sanitation a profitable and sustainable business in the region.
Wed 31st, 11.00 - 12.30  Room: NL 357	<b><u>Social Sustainability - A Framework for Approaching the Water SDGs</u></b>	Water Global Practice of the WB and WaterAid	Too many investments in water infrastructure fail or yield sub-optimal results because they are not socially sustainable. This session examines water's role in social sustainability – how it strengthens or weakens social compacts. What are the barriers to social sustainability and on the flip side, what deepens social sustainability?
Wed 31st, 16.00 - 17.30  Room: FH 202	<b><u>Maintaining healthy watersheds: improving governance of ecosystems management for sustainability</u></b>	Conservation International; IUCN; IWMI; Luc Hoffman Institute - WWF, UNEP-DHI Centre for Water and Environment and WaterAid	Achieving sustainable delivery of water-dependent ecosystem services requires maintaining healthy ecosystems. This requires sound, adaptive governance that recognizes the tradeoffs implicit in ecosystem modification and water allocation decisions. We will convene a panel and breakout discussions on this interplay.
Thu 1st, 11.00 - 12.30  Room: NL Pillar Hall / Pelarsalen	<b><u>Scaling-up WASH action in Companies' Supply Chains: Promoting Sustainable Growth</u></b>	CEO Water Mandate; WaterAid and WBCSD	Over recent years, there have been a number of initiatives to support action on WASH in companies' operations. However, there needs to be a step change in corporate action on WASH; companies need to look beyond their own operations and into their supply chains. This interactive event will share and test research findings while enabling participants to provide input into the development of guidance and tools.



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Thu 1st, 14.00 - 15.30  Room: FH 307	<b><u>HSBC Water Programme: a partnership powering sustainable growth</u></b>	HSBC, Earthwatch, WWF-UK and WaterAid	The HSBC Water Programme, a partnership with Earthwatch, WaterAid, WWF and over 50 other NGOs, supports lives and livelihoods by tackling the water challenge on a number of levels: water provision, protection, education and scientific research. In this session HSBC will discuss what value a financial institution can bring to the water agenda – through philanthropy and collaboration, but also business decisions and involvement of a global workforce.

## Sessions/Activities outside of the official World Water Week program

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Mon 15th Aug - 3rd Sept  The Kungsträdgården park in central Stockholm.	<b>WaterAid and H&amp;M Foundation photo exhibition <i>Noori Tales: Stories of the Indus delta</i></b>	H&M Foundation and WaterAid	WaterAid and H&M Foundation are holding a free public, outdoor exhibition with photographs by award winning photographer Malin Fezehai. The exhibition documents the effects of water scarcity and climate change on the lives of school children in the Indus Delta in Pakistan. It also documents the work of our global School WASH programme funded by H&M Foundation.

