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### Singapore International Water Week 2024

#### Event Details

- Dates / Days : 18 – 22 June 2024 (Tue – Sat)
- Venue : Sands Expo & Convention Centre, Marina Bay Sands, Singapore

#### Significance and Themes

- Launched in 2008, Singapore International Water Week (SIWW) 2024 will be its 10<sup>th</sup> edition.
- The biennial SIWW is one of the premier global platforms that gathers thought leaders, experts and practitioners from governments, cities, utilities, and industry to share knowledge and best practices on innovative water, coastal and flood solutions, and foster partnerships to tackle urban water and associated climate challenges.
- SIWW2024 aims to galvanise climate action amongst municipal and industrial stakeholders.
- Key themes for SIWW2024 include:
  - **Climate Mitigation and Water Sustainability**, including net zero & decarbonization, nexus & circularity, advanced treatment technologies, used water management & reuse, low-energy desalination, water quality & one health, climate financing.
  - **Climate Adaptation**, including coastal protection & flood resilience, nature-based solutions, blue-green infrastructure, adaptive multi-functional land use, adaptation financing.
  - **Digitalisation**, including smart networks and systems, sensors, digital twins, AI & machine learning, and autonomous robots.

#### Programme Pillars

Joint Opening	Joint Opening of Singapore International Water Week 2024 and CleanEnviro Summit Singapore 2024, with an opening address by Guest-of-Honour, Ms Grace Fu, Singapore’s Minister for Sustainability and the Environment.
Joint Opening Ministerial Plenary	A platform for world leaders to share insights on cross-disciplinary sustainability policies, governance approaches and solutions to build sustainable and climate-resilient cities.
Utilities CEO Roundtable <i>(by-invitation)</i>	A by-invitation closed-door event targeted at senior utility leaders to share experiences and solutions and foster closer cooperation amongst peers to solve emerging challenges facing utilities.
Coastal and Flood Resilience Cities Roundtable <i>(by-invitation)</i>	A by-invitation closed-door event targeted at senior officials from municipal cities and regulatory authorities to share experiences and solutions amongst peers to build climate-resilient cities and protect urban communities against extreme weather events and sea-level rise.

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Emerging Utility Leaders Summit <i>(by-invitation)</i>	A by-invitation Summit for next-generation water utility leaders to engage with and learn from senior utility and industry leaders, and to interact and build networks with peers from other utilities around the world.
Water Leaders Summit	Plenary sessions involving senior industry and utility leaders that showcase successful case studies and applied solutions in building resilient, sustainable and smart utilities.
Coastal and Flood Resilience Leaders Summit	Plenary sessions involving senior industry and city leaders that showcase successful case studies and applied solutions in building climate-resilient cities.
Lee Kuan Yew Water Prize 2024	<p>A prestigious, internationally recognised award conferred on an individual or organisation for outstanding contributions towards solving the world's water problems by developing or applying innovative technologies, policies or programmes which benefit humanity.</p> <p>The 2024 Laureate will receive the Prize Medallion at an award ceremony from Mr Tharman Shanmugaratnam, President of the Republic of Singapore on 18 June 2024, and deliver a keynote lecture on 19 June 2024, during Singapore International Water Week 2024.</p>
Titans of Industry	A high-level panel of global industry CEOs who will share their corporate vision and strategy as leaders in urban sustainability, resilience and innovation, and how their organisations are working with clients as effective change agents to achieve their business goals.
Water Convention	Co-organised with the International Water Association, this technical conference gathers water professionals and practitioners to share knowledge, experiences and engage in discussions on sustainable technological solutions, processes and management strategies that address key water issues.
TechXchange	A forum designed to connect start-ups and innovators with utility and industry end-users, venture capitalists and accelerators/incubators to accelerate commercialisation of new water technologies from lab to market.
Industrial Water Solutions Forum	A forum targeted at industrial end users to profile the latest industrial water innovations and solutions aimed at reducing industrial water footprint, improving operational efficiency and meeting regulatory discharge standards.
Water Expo	In cooperation with IFAT and organised by Messe Munich, the SIWW Water Expo is the pre-eminent marketplace for the international water, coastal and flood community to converge and find opportunities in business. The Water

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	Expo showcases the latest state-of-the-art solutions, technologies, products and services for cities, utilities and industry in Asia.
Thematic and Business Forums	Covering emerging trends, opportunities, and challenges of today, the Forums aim to discover trends, solutions and high-impact collaboration projects across various themes and markets in the water sector.
Technical Site Visits <i>(ticketed separately)</i>	Offering first-hand experience to Singapore's integrated approach in achieving water sustainability, these visits to various technical facilities exemplify the best of sustainable urban and water solutions through Singapore's urban transformation into a City of Gardens and Water.
Networking Functions	Numerous networking functions offer informal opportunities to foster business and collaboration. These functions include the Industry Night @ Water Expo, Happy Hour, Lee Kuan Yew Water Prize 2024 Award Ceremony & Banquet (ticketed separately) and SWA Golf @ SIWW2024 (ticketed separately).

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