## **Groundwater Research: What's New** *and* **Useful?**

Minnesota Ground Water Association Virtual Spring Conference 2021 – April 27, 2021



## **AGENDA**

Time	Speaker	Affiliation	Topic
8:00 – 8:10	Tony Runkel	MGWA President	Welcome
8:10 – 8:50	Peter Kang	University of Minnesota	From Mapping Injection Capacity of Aquifer Storage and Recovery Sites to Predicting Transport in Fractured Aquifers
8:50 – 9:30	Mindy Erickson	US Geological Survey	What have we learned from 60K arsenic measurements in new wells? A lot!
9:30 – 10:10	Jessi Meyer	University of lowa	A Multidisciplinary Approach to Characterizing Overlapping Heterogeneities Controlling a Mixed Organic Contaminants Plume in Glacial Sediments
10:10 – 10:25	Break		
10:25 – 11:05	Colby Steelman	University of Waterloo	Can Geophysics Really be Used to Understand Hydrogeological Problems?
11:05 – 11:45	John Nieber	University of Minnesota	The spatial and temporal distribution of total terrestrial water storage in the region extending from the Twin Cities to Moorhead, Minnesota
11:45 - 12:10	MGWA Business: Nominations, White Paper Committee, Newsletter, Education Committee, MGWA Foundation		
12:10 – 1:10	Lunch		12:30 -1:00 Student Networking Lunch
1:10– 1:50	Crystal Ng	University of Minnesota	A Tribal-University Collaboration for Interdisciplinary Research on Wild Rice Waters Management
1:50 – 2:30	Bonnie Keeler	University of Minnesota	Valuing the social costs of groundwater pollution for more efficient and equitable water management
2:30 – 2:45	Break		
2:45 – 3:25	Jens Blotevogel	Colorado State University	Treatment Trains for Efficient Destruction of PFASs in Contaminated Water
3:25 – 4:05	Dave Hart	Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey	Low Cost and Easy Instrumentation for Groundwater/Surface Water Measurements
4:05 – 4:45	Randy Hunt	US Geological Survey	New Tools and Approaches for Groundwater Problems
4:45 – 5:00	Wrap up: additional questions and discussion		

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