



# Toward Sustainable **Groundwater** in Agriculture

*2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference  
Linking Science and Policy*

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**June 28-30, 2016**

**Hyatt Regency at the San Francisco Airport  
Burlingame, CA**

*Sponsored by the Robert M. Hagan Endowed Chair*

This three-day conference will provide scientists, policymakers, agricultural and environmental stakeholders, local, state and federal governmental officials, and consultants with the latest scientific, management, legal and policy advances for sustaining our groundwater resources in agricultural regions around the world.

***Additional Groundwater Workshops set for June 27***

## **Program Highlights:**

Groundwater is the lifeline for many rural and agricultural regions and their associated cultures and populations around the globe and a cornerstone of global food production. Groundwater constitutes nearly half the world's drinking water and much of the world's irrigation water supply. Drought; overuse; groundwater salinity; nonpoint source pollution from agricultural activities (including animal farming, ranching, and forestry activities); and groundwater quality and quantity conflicts at the urban-rural interface have reached global dimensions and threaten the health and livelihood of this planet.

This special conference will build upon research and presentations from the 2010 International Groundwater Conference. The June 28-30, 2016, conference will feature plenary sessions and technical sessions on a wide range of topics.

***Abstracts are now being accepted until November 30, 2015***

***Go to <http://ag-groundwater.org> to access the abstract submittal form***

Visit <http://ag-groundwater.org> to learn more about potential topics for discussion, review materials from 2010, and learn more about submitting an abstract for the 2016 event.

Sponsorship opportunities and exhibit space are available. Contact Beth Stern [bstern@watereducation.org](mailto:bstern@watereducation.org) for more information.

Watch the Foundation's website at [www.watereducation.org/internationalgroundwater2016](http://www.watereducation.org/internationalgroundwater2016) for information about speakers, sponsors and exhibitors – and registration information.

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