

## 9<sup>th</sup> Annual CCR Workshop

April 17-19, 2023

**New Orleans Marriott** 

EDUCATION \* DIALOGUE \* COLLABORATION

Monday, April 17, 2023			
12:30–5:30 PM	Registration Open		
1:30 – 3:00 PM Galerie 1 & 2 2nd Floor	USWAG Member and Affiliate Dialogue The CCR Rule: The Path Forward – Session 1		
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3:30 – 3:45 PM Galerie Foyer	Break Sponsored By:  HALEY  ALDRICH		
3:30 – 5:00 PM Galerie 1 & 2 2nd Floor	USWAG Member and Affiliate Dialogue The CCR Rule: The Path Forward – Session 2		
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	<b>Note</b> : A separate detailed agenda for the Dialogue is available online for Members and Affiliates. You will need your username and password to access this document.		

## **Monday, April 17, 2023**

5:30–7:30 PM Riverview Room 41<sup>st</sup> Floor **Welcome Reception** 

Open to all Workshop Delegates and Registered Guests

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Tuesday, April 18, 2023			
7:30 AM – 5:00 PM Galerie Foyer 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor	Registration Open		
7:30 – 8:00 AM Galerie Foyer & Galerie 4,5 & 6	Continental Breakfast Sponsored By:  MONTROSE ENVIRONMENTAL  Ground/Water Treatment & Technology, LLC Beyond Water Treatment		
8:00 – 8:10 AM	Welcome & Opening Remarks		
Galerie 1, 2 & 3	Dan Chartier, USWAG Executive Director		
	JR Register, Ash Management & Solid Waste Committee Chair		
8:10 – 10:00 AM Galerie 1, 2 & 3	Plenary Session 1 State and Federal CCR Policy Updates		
	Moderator: JR Register, Ash Management & Solid Waste Committee Chair		
	Current CCR Regulatory Activity, Richard Huggins, Branch Chief, Energy Recovery and Waste Disposal Branch, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency		
	Rulemaking Challenges with Respect to the CCR Rule in Louisiana, Steven Forrester, Geologist Supervisor, and Yolunda M. Righteous, J.D., Administrator of the Waste Permits Division, Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality		
	<b>Update on EPRI's CCR Research Portfolio</b> , Bruce Hensel, Senior Technical Leader and Ben Gallagher, Principal Technical Leader, EPRI		
10:00– 10:30 AM Galerie Foyer & Galerie 4,5 & 6	Break & Exhibit Viewing Sponsored By:  JACOBS®		
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Plenary Session 2		
Galerie 1, 2 & 3	Research & Partner Organization Updates		
	Moderator: Lauren Collins, Southern Company		
	Application of Risk Management and Phytotechnology with Respect to CCR, Dr. Jeffrey Summers, U.S. Department of Energy, and Margaret Kurth and Christopher Cummings, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers		
	Flow Failure Assessment for CCR Dams and Embankments, Dr. Timothy Stark, Professor of Civil Engineering, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign		
	Update from the American Coal Ash Association on Beneficial Use, Thomas Adams, Executive Director, American Coal Ash Association		

## Tuesday, April 18, 2022 12:30 - 1:30 PM **Lunch Sponsored By:** Galerie Fover & **Stantec** Galerie 4,5 & 6 1:30 - 3:00 PM Session 3A Session 3B Soil and Groundwater **Implementation of Corrective** Track A Characterization and Action Conceptualization Galerie 1 & 2 Moderator: Steve Putrich, Haley & Aldrich Moderator: Nelson Morvant, Entergy Conceptual Site Model Refinement Using **Groundwater Monitoring – Alternate Source** Track B **Geochemical and Isotopic Techniques**, Sarah **Demonstrations Lessons Learned**, George Galerie 3 Holmstrom & Clint Miller, TRC Losonsky, Jared Mayeux and Raymond Sturdivant, **In-Situ Groundwater Treatment Strategies at Eagle Environmental Services CCR Sites,** Jim Finley and Naren Babu, Stantec Thinking About Tomorrow, The Importance and Assessment of Groundwater Corrective **Practical Application of a Living Geochemical** Measures at Coal-fired Generation Ash Ponds -Conceptual Site Model (GCSM) at CCR Sites, John **Evaluation Process and Potential Benefits of In-**Bartos and Nicholas Tucci, Haley & Aldrich Situ Treatment Alternatives, Todd Plating and **Groundwater Plume Analytics® Tools for** Mark Miesfeld, Haley & Aldrich **Evaluating CCR Sites,** Joe Ricker, WSP USA Inc. 3:00 - 3:30 PM **Break and Exhibit Viewing** Galerie Foyer & NorthStar Sponsored By: Galerie 4, 5 & 6 3:30 - 5:00 PM Session 4A Session 4B Soil and Groundwater **Implementation of Corrective** Characterization and **Action (continued)** Conceptualization (continued) Track A Moderator: Rob Ferree, Geosyntec Galerie 1 & 2 Moderator: Graham Crockford, TRC **Injection Treatment of Coal Combustion** Minimize the Site-wide False Positive Rate for **Residual Constituents in Groundwater: CCR Detection Monitoring, Charles Hostetler, SCS** Track B Subsurface Hydraulic, Injectability, and Engineer Galerie 3 Modeling Studies, Jim Redwine, Anchor QEA LLC Is It Time to Update Your Background Values for **Evaluation of Ion Exchange and Metal Oxide Groundwater Monitoring?** Nathan Betts and Jay Sorption for Lithium Remediation in Piper, Jacobs **Groundwater at CCR Sites,** Raul Tenorio and Jacob Chu, Haley & Aldrich **Innovative Applications of Isotopic Evaluations** to Support Alternate Source Demonstrations for An Evaluation of the Framework for and **CCR Constituents in Groundwater,** Lauren Approaches to Determining Long-term Capacity Fitzgerald, Geosyntec Consultants, Inc. and Stability of Inorganic Constituent Attenuation in the CCR Industry, Jim Finely, PJ Nolan and Cole Mayer, Stantec and WSP 5:30 - 7:30 PM Grand *Reception -* Cosponsored By: Acadia Ballroom Open to all Delegates and Registered Guests: 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor ASHCOR **→ Forgen**

Wednesday, April 19, 2023			
7:30 – 8:00 AM Galerie Foyer & Galerie 4, 5 & 6	Breakfast Cosponsored by:	<>>SEFA	
8:00 – 9:30 AM  Track A Galerie 1 & 2  Track B Galerie 3	Session 5A Risk Management and Stakeholder Engagement  Moderator: Victor Modeer, Vistra  TVA CCR Risk Management Program, Nicholas McClung, TVA  Risk Assessment for Supporting CCP Site Closure and Protecting Human Health and the Environment, Ari Lewis and Andrew Bittner, Gradient  10-year Overview of Engineered CCR Management Solutions at a Major US Coal-fired Power Plant, Don Fuller, Stantec	Closure of CCR Units  Moderator: Jeff Loewe, NiSource  Closure of CCR Impoundments:  Dewatering Techniques, Drain the Ash First, Adam Curry, Keller  Dewatering – The First Phase of Ash Impoundment Closures, A Case Study, Christine Harris, Groundwater Treatment & Technology, LLC  Challenges & Pragmatic Solutions for the Closure Design and Construction of a 300-Acre CCR Landfill – A Case Study, Jason Pokorny, Haley & Aldrich and Andrea Martinez, Salt River Project	
9:30 – 10:00 AM Galerie Foyer & Galerie 4, 5 & 6	Break & Exhibit Viewing Sponsored by:	COM	
10:00 – 11:30 AM  Track A Galerie 1 & 2  Track B Galerie 3	Session 6A Long Term Stewardship & Information Management (cont'd)  Moderator: David Bacher, NRG Uncorking the Potential That Resides Within Existing Datasets, Nikki Pagano, Ramboll Best Practices for Environmental Data Management and Governance for Data Resilience, Darby Litz and Kristen Brown, TRC Data Quality Assessment of a Long Running QA Program – The Domino Effect of the Pandemic, Amanda Cover, Environmental Standards	Session 6B Beneficial Use of CCR  Moderator: Sam Bader, Xcel  CCR Closure by Beneficial Reuse: Sustainable Opportunities and Challenges Moving Forward, Saiprasad Vaidya, Ashcor  Reclaiming and Recycling Coal Ash for Beneficial Use in Concrete as Closure Strategy, Bill Fedorka and Tom Kierspe, The SEFA Group  Successful Practices to Accelerate Pond Closure with Beneficial Reuse of CCR, John Gartin, Tetra Tech, Inc.	
11:30 – 12:30 PM Galerie Foyer & Galerie 4, 5 & 6	Lunch Cosponsored By: Open to all Workshop Delegates  Saila	® Geosyntec consultants	
12:30 PM	Workshop Concludes		

## Wednesday, April 19, 2023

USWAG Members-Only Session – Part 1			
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USWAG Members-Only Session – Part 2			
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