

Newsletter

September 2022

Two new EU grants for research and innovation to achieve zero pollution

Wetsus will partake in two new Horizon Europe projects – NINFA and H2OforAll. In both projects, Wetsus will develop innovative monitoring tools as part of the Wetsus programme line Healthy Environment. NINFA will be embedded in the Groundwater Technology theme. While the work in H2OforAll will be done through the Sensoring theme in close cooperation with the University of Twente.

Both projects are selected to address Europe's Zero pollution challenge. The Spanish LEITAT spearheads NINFA, aiming to prevent groundwater contamination. Universidade de Coimbra will lead H2OforAll, with the focus on securing drinking water quality.

New member

Kinetico Incorporated (USA, www.kinetico.com) has become a Wetsus platform member. Kinetico offers complete water systems that deliver only the highest quality water for general use and drinking, serving more than 100 countries.



European Water Technology Week 2022:

[Full program and registration](#)



We kindly invite you to the second European Water Technology Week (EWTW 2022).

On September 19 - 22, 2022, the global water technology sector will get together in the innovative climate of WaterCampus Leeuwarden. During

this event, business and innovation leaders from companies, universities and governments will meet and inspire each other while attending a varied congress and networking program. Day one, Monday September 19, will feature the Wetsus Congress 2022 and will focus on excellence in innovation and connecting international water clusters. Several inspiring keynote speakers are in the plenary program, including Mark Harbers, Minister of Infrastructure and Water Management. Tuesday and Wednesday morning the emphasis is on science & technology, with 3 keynotes and 18 parallel sessions with a wide range of topics. In addition, several business orientated sessions are on the program. On Wednesday afternoon the focus is fully on business. On Thursday, three appealing tour programs with site visits are offered.



Dutch Junior Water Prize winners in Stockholm

Dutch winners Meinke van Oenen, Nynke Bats and Pjotr de Haan presented their research in the finals of the Stockholm Junior water Prize this week. Their project about sodium removal from horticultural water, the green gold versus salt, was not selected as the overall winner of 36 countries, but the team made a great impression on the jury.

Wetsus is organizer of the Dutch preliminary, and Marlieke Sietsema of our talent team accompanied the group to Stockholm, where Swedish crown princess Victoria handed out the awards.

Calender

Date: 7 September 2022:	Defense Antoine Karengera
Date: 16 September 2022:	Defense Zixin Qian
Date: 19-22 September 2022:	European Water Tech Week Leeuwarden
Date: 6 October 2022:	Theme meetings
Date: 7 October 2022:	Defense Yujia Luo
Date: 7 October 2022:	Defense Mariana Rodrigues
Date: 13-14 October 2022:	5th International Symposium on Physics of Membrane Processes
Date: 3 November 2022:	Wetsus webinar
Date: 24 November 2022:	Wetsus Members Only Congress