



**AIR & WASTE MANAGEMENT
ASSOCIATION
Lake Michigan States Section**

2023 Annual Air Conference

**Wednesday, October 11, 2023
Drury Lane Conference Center
Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois**

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The A&WMA Lake Michigan States Section is pleased to once again offer the Midwest's most comprehensive annual program on air quality management issues. Conference attendees will hear from senior Federal, State and local representatives on developing regulatory and enforcement initiatives. You will also hear from government, industry and consultant representatives on the latest developments in air quality and dispersion modeling, new monitoring technologies, and lessons for addressing and assessing emerging contaminants in the air sector.

EXHIBIT / SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Companies that supply products and services for environmental management are invited to have exhibits on display at the conference.

The Exhibit fee will be \$675, which includes:

- 6' Exhibit table & chairs
- Full registration for one representative
- One (1) additional exhibit only registration for additional staff (meal charge for those attending lunch \$75)
- Exhibitors' cocktail reception with each exhibitor receiving 10 drink tickets to distribute.
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- List of conference registrants following the conference.

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- General Conference Supporter - \$250 (limited to 10 sponsorships)

Full conference information and registrations can be found on our website at www.LMAWMA.org

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7:30 a.m.	REGISTRATION, BREAKFAST and EXHIBIT VIEWING
8:00 a.m.	WELCOME & INTRODUCTION <i>David Loring, Partner, ArentFox Schiff; Conference Co-Chair</i>
8:05 a.m.	U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY UPDATE
Speakers:	<i>Debra Shore, Regional Administrator</i> U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5
8:20 a.m.	KEYNOTE PRESENTATION - <i>Climate Change and Climate Risk – Developing Actionable Information</i>
Introduction:	<i>Harish Rao, Principal</i> <i>Rao Consulting</i>
Speakers:	<i>Dr. Rao Kotamarthi, Senior Scientist, Environmental Science Division</i> Argonne National Laboratory
9:00 a.m.	SESSION I – <i>Assessing & Addressing Emerging Contaminants</i>
Moderator:	This session will address analytical method summary and best practices for emerging contaminants in air, including PFAS, PCB Congeners, and Dioxins and Furans. We will also discuss analytical methods in development. David Lutz, Senior Manager, United Airlines
Speakers:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>David Dempsey, Managing Consultant, Chemical Sector Services</i> Trinity Consultants • <i>Julia Roth, North America Air Services Portfolio Lead</i> SGS • <i>David Hunter, Technical Director</i> Partner Engineering and Science
10:15 a.m.	BREAK AND EXHIBIT VIEWING
10:30 A.M.	SESSION II – <i>Innovation and Developments in Air Monitoring</i>
Moderator:	This session will explore recent and forthcoming developments in the area of air monitoring, including the use of drone technologies for measuring methane emissions from landfills, fence-line monitoring, and the emergence of satellite technology to observe hourly measurements of air pollution over large urban areas. The program will highlight the emergence of such technologies, the use of such technologies by industry, NGOs and government, and the impact such air monitoring approaches may have on Environmental Justice and other initiatives. David Loring, Partner, ArentFox Schiff
Speakers:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Dan Pearson, Senior Project Manager</i> Clean Air Engineering • <i>David Barron, Chief Technical Officer</i> Sniffer Robotics • <i>Raed Mansour, Director</i> Office of Innovation at the Chicago Department of Public Health • <i>Barry L. Lefer, Program Manager – Tropospheric Composition</i> NASA

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12:00 p.m.	LUNCHEON KEYNOTE – <i>Sustainability and Decarbonization Initiatives</i>
Introduction:	Steven Siros , Partner, Jenner & Block
Speaker:	Dean Frommelt , Global Environmental Director ADM
1:15 p.m.	SESSION III – <i>Federal and State Regulatory Updates</i>
	Senior Executives from the air programs at EPA Region 5, IDEM, IEPA, EGLE and WNDR will present air program priorities impacting the regulated community. This panel will address current issues, such as environmental justice implementation, enforcement priorities and new regulatory initiatives.
Moderator:	Kurt Kissling , Partner, Warner Norcross + Judd
Speakers:	John Mooney , Director, Air and Radiation Division U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5 Julie Armitage , Chief, Bureau of Air Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Annette Switzer , Air Quality Division Director Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy Matt Stuckey , Assistant Commissioner, Office of Air Quality Indiana Department of Environmental Management Gail Good , Director, Air Management Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
2:45 p.m.	BREAK AND EXHIBIT VIEWING
3:00 p.m.	SESSION IV – <i>Federal and State Enforcement Initiatives Roundtable</i>
	During the Federal and State Enforcement Initiatives Roundtable, the speakers—representatives from government, environmental nonprofit, and industry—will discuss the latest environmental enforcement developments with an eye towards what’s next. Topics will include recent court decisions drawing back on the administrative state, environmental justice, evolving monitoring technologies and citizen suit enforcement, voluntary self-disclosure policies, PFAS, and climate change litigation.
Moderator:	Arie Feltman-Frank , Associate, Jenner & Block
Speakers:	Robert Kaplan , Regional Counsel U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5 Matthew Dunn , Division Chief, Environmental Enforcement Division Illinois Attorney General’s Office Howard Learner , President and Executive Director Environmental Law & Policy Center Allison Torrence , Partner Jenner & Block

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4:00 p.m.	BREAK AND EXHIBIT VIEWING
4:15 p.m.	SESSION V – <i>Air Quality and Dispersion Modeling</i>
	The session addresses updates on the recent and anticipated changes to the state and federal air dispersion modeling requirements, with particular emphasis on how these changes may impact source permitting in the Lake Michigan States. We will also discuss the regional air quality models, how they are used by different stakeholders in the air pollution planning community, current areas of growth, inherent limitations, and future directions in modeling technology.
Moderator:	Giulia Aliyeva , <i>Global EHS Director</i> , PerkinElmer
Speakers:	Zac Adelman , <i>Executive Director</i> Lake Michigan Air Directors Consortium (LADCO)
	Brian Leahy , <i>Senior Meteorologist</i> Barr Engineering Company
	Renante Marante , <i>Environmental Engineer III</i> Chicago Department of Public Health
5:15 p.m.	CLOSING REMARKS followed by NETWORKING RECEPTION
	Daniel Robertson , <i>Associate</i> , Jenner & Block; <i>Conference Co-Chair</i>

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**Non-members receive a one-year Local Associate membership with Lake Michigan States Section.*

**Have multiple employees from the same company that want to attend?
Contact Robin Pelsis at 847-202-0418 to register and receive a 30% discount
after the first registration.**

A limited number of scholarships are available for anyone who requires CLE credit to maintain professional registration such as attorneys, professional engineers and professional geologists and who could not otherwise afford to attend this conference. There are also a limited number of government and student scholarships. Contact Robin Pelsis at (847) 202-0418 or robin.pelsis@lmawma.org for more details on any of the scholarships.

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Cancellations will be accepted until October 1, 2023 (less a \$75 cancellation fee). Substitutions may be made at any time. After October 1st, we will no longer be able to issue any refund, but the conference proceedings will be provided.

To register - mail or e-mail your registration to the address below. Online registration is also available at www.LMAWMA.org

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Drury Lane Oakbrook
100 Drury Lane
Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois 60181
Phone: 630-530-8300
<http://www.drurylaneoakbrook.com>

Registration

To register, complete the on-line registration form at www.lmawma.org or return the enclosed registration form with your payment to: A&WMA, 11 W Pleasant Hill Blvd., Palatine, IL 60067.

Included with Registration

Conference registration includes a continental breakfast, refreshments during breaks, lunch and an exhibitor-sponsored cocktail reception at the end of the conference. Attendees have the option to receive a printed handout or electronic version of available presentations.

Conference Proceedings

Conference Proceedings will be posted on the A&WMA-LMSS website. Attendees will be notified by e-mail when the final papers and presentations are available.

Continuing Education Credit Opportunities

Conference attendees may be eligible for Continuing Legal Education Credits or Professional Development Hours. For more information, please contact Robin Pelsis at robin.pelsis@lmawma.org or 847-202-0418.

Refund Policy

If written notice of cancellation is received on or before October 1, 2023 payment will be refunded, less a \$75 cancellation fee. (Cancellation fees apply regardless of payment method). Substitutions may be made at any time. This refund policy applies to all occurrences, including weather-related events and other natural disasters. In the unlikely occurrence of event cancellation, the Association is not liable for any expenses incurred by the registrant other than the full refund of registration fee(s) paid.

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Exhibitor Opportunities

Exhibitor opportunities are available at a cost of \$675.00 for a tabletop display. The exhibits will be highly visible to conference participants during the entire conference, with specific times for viewing during breaks and a closing reception.

Hotel Reservations

A block of rooms has NOT been reserved, but attendees are invited to make individual reservations at either the Hilton Suites Oakbrook Terrace or the Hilton Garden Inn Oakbrook Terrace. Both are located in the parking area of Drury Lane.

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www.oakbrookterracesuites.hilton.com

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