



Terms & Conditions

Wetskills-South Africa 2025 (Cape Town)

The participant, upon registration, affirms that:

- They commit to attending the Wetskills Water Challenge program in Cape Town, South Africa, scheduled from March 7 to March 20, 2025.
- They acknowledge the program fee, which is a maximum of €435 (excluding VAT, with VAT applicable only for participants from The Netherlands). This fee applies to international and local participants requiring accommodation in Durban during the program. The programme fee includes accommodation (hostel, sharing rooms with more participants), field trips, workshops, working locations, supervision, and **some meals**.

*Note: The IWA Reclamation and Reuse Conference entrance fee (ranging from €275 to €550) is **NOT** included. Visit <https://iwareuse2025.com/reqistration/> for more details.*

- They acknowledge personal responsibility for covering travel expenses (including plane tickets, train fare, bus transportation, etc.) and any additional costs not encompassed by the program fee. *N.B. The Wetskills organisation strives to find possibilities to keep the costs to the participants at a minimum. During past editions, participants often successfully arranged financial compensation for their Wetskills participation from their university or employer. We therefore strongly encourage applicants to inquire from local and regional institutions about funding opportunities to compensate for the costs (mobility funds, travel allowance, etc.).*
- Cancellation procedure
 - Till the final registration deadline of this Wetskills event and **three days** after the Acceptation email, they can refuse participation by sending the organisation email.
 - A cancellation after **three days** of receiving the acceptance email, but two months before the start of the Wetskills programme, they will pay the organisation 25% of the participation fee.
 - Cancellation is between one and two months before the start of the Wetskills programme, and they will pay 50% of the participation fee to the organisation.
 - A cancellation within a month before the start of the Wetskills programme will result in payment of 100% of the participation fee to the organisation.
 - If the travel regulations between countries change due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) between the acceptance email and the programme's start, the participants will receive the participation fee back. Wetskills Foundation and its partners will not be responsible for compensation for costs such as travel tickets, quarantine time, or repatriation flights.
- They bear full responsibility for their behaviour and the risks of the program. They acknowledge that the organisation and its partners are not responsible for any loss of, or damage to, personal belongings during participation in the program.
- They bear full responsibility for dealing with the coronavirus (COVID-19) according to the regulations and direction of the WHO, South African and Dutch governments, and the country where they live. Wetskills Foundation and its partners will not be responsible for compensation for costs such as travel tickets, quarantine time, or repatriation flights. **Only participation fees will be recovered** (see also cancellation procedures).
- Before, during and after the Wetskills programme, the Wetskills Foundation will treat the personal data according to the AGV regulations in The Netherlands, based on the E.U's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).