



GWD
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
18 October 2021



AGENDA

1. Welcome and Opening
2. Acceptance of Agenda
3. National Chair report
4. Professional Matters - CPD
5. Governance Issues
 - 5.1 Independence
 - 5.2 Membership
 - 5.3 Constitution Amendment
6. Activities
 - 6.1 Achievements
 - 6.2 Upcoming Events
7. Executive Committee
 - 7.1 Announcement: Branch Representatives 2022/2023
 - 7.2 Announcement: National EXCO 2022/2023
 - 7.3 Way Forward



National Chair Report



Remember

- Laura James (BWA)
- Rowena Hay (Umvoto Africa)
- Chris Hartnady (Umvoto Africa)
- Louis van Niekerk (GHT Consulting)



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Vision



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Activities **Talks – Zoom**

21 talks – Branches (+1300)

1 (x3) talk - Young Professionals

1 (x5) talk Collaboration IAH-SA



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Activities **Kids Awareness**

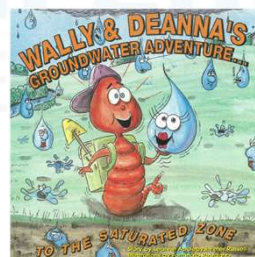
Izelda Uses-Mbatha

Groundwater Science workshop (Gr2-3)

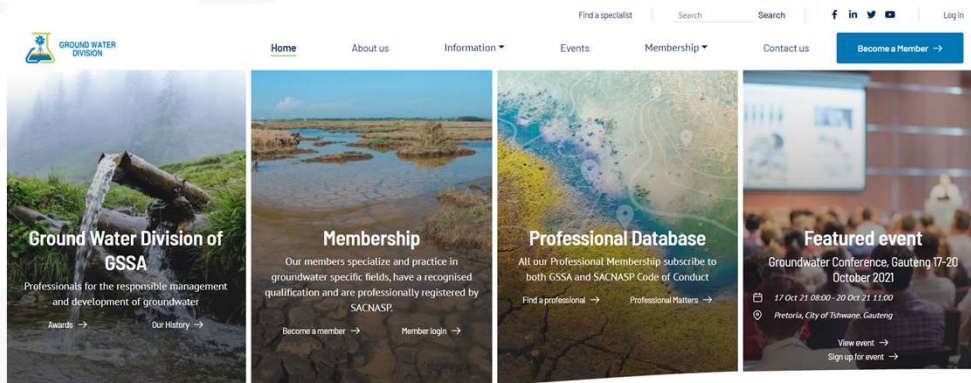
Colouring Competitions

Groundwater flow model

Translation of Wally & Deanna
10 RSA languages



National Chair Report Website



National Chair Report Members



Total Database	Central	E Cape	Gauteng	KZN	Northern	W Cape	Total	% paid	Increase or Decrease
2019	100	59	378	40	29	173	779		
2020	97	57	292	46	73	166	731		
2021	96	77	332	56	68	167	796		
Paid up									
2019	19	16	56	18	4	33	146	18.7%	
2020	16	10	63	17	12	26	144	19.7%	-1%
2021	12	16	69	17	11	45	170	21.3%	+18%



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Members Benefits

- Active Members List
- Find a Specialist (Professional database)
- Receive CPD certificate for Gw Talk (free)
- Discount on registration events
- Our Stories
- Tender requirement (GwD registration)



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Promote

Become a member:	Membership fee
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active Members List • Find a Specialist (Professional database) 	
Our stories	Free
Advertisement on the Website	R1500 per month
Groundwater Talks	R1000 per Live talk online, Rxxx per In-person and R1000 per Debrief



National Chair Report Governance



Constitution Amendments

Code of Practice

Closer cooperation with IAH-SA, GAKZN and BWA



National Chair Report Team



Ms Nicolette Vermaak	National Vice-Chair
Mr Yazeed van Wyk	National Treasurer
Dr Jaco Nel CoC	National Secretariate
Prof Ingrid Dennis	Northern
Mr Kwazi Majola	GAUTENG
Dr Amy Allwright	CENTRAL
Mr Pieter Labuschagne (2020)	KZN/ GAKZN
Mr Mark Schapers (2021)	Western Cape
Mr Etienne Mouton	Eastern Cape
Prof Ingrid Dennis	Northern
Mr Julian Conrad	IAH-SA Portfolio
Prof Matthys Dippenaar	Immediate past chair and Professional matters Portfolio
Mrs. Elanda Schaffner	National Coordinator





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Questions ?



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GwD Constitution Amendment 2021



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Membership:



- Incorporated the Code of Practice
- Split between Active (paid-up) vs Non-Active (unpaid membership fee)
 - Incorporate an membership reinstatement fee

Amend the voting process to include online platform

Amend the Operational Structure to incorporate an Executive Committee (EXCO) and Management Committee (MANCO)


- EXCO: Chair, Vice, Secretary, Treasurer and Secretariat support
- MANCO: EXCO, Branches, Portfolio, Immediate Chair, Co-Opted members, Affiliated gw Org (IAH-SA, BWA, GAKZN)

Add new and permanent Portfolios Professional Matters and Early Career (Young Professionals)






Election

Branches



Oudi Kgomongwe	GAUTENG
Amy Allwright	CENTRAL
Gary Ainsworth	KZN/ GAKZN
Kornelius Riemann	Western Cape
Etienne Mouton	Eastern Cape
Ingrid Dennis	Northern

Election

EXCO



Roger Diamond

Kwazi Majola

Sumaya Israel

Fanus Fourie

National Chair

